

Online Pre-sessional English Programme



Dates:

Starting at 5.0 - 12 weeks

11 May – 7 August 2026

Break:

22 – 26 June 2026

Starting at 5.5 - 6 weeks

29 June – 7 August 2026

Visa application after the Pre-sessional course

You will not require a CAS or visa for the online Pre-sessional English courses

Students on the online courses will only receive their main course CAS once they have successfully completed the Pre-sessional English course

When you have received this CAS, you will be able to apply for a visa for your main degree course

Key information

Visa-free online programme for intensive English language and study skills preparation

Ideal for students with an offer to begin a degree at Leeds Conservatoire in 2026

Develop essential academic skills in writing, reading, listening, and speaking from anywhere

Assessments include weekly quizzes, weekly assignments such as academic presentations, essays and discussions, and a final test

Successful completion guarantees a place at Leeds Conservatoire (subject to meeting all other offer conditions)

Academic requirements

Offer of a place at Leeds Conservatoire.

English language requirements

12 week programme: IELTS 5.0
(with a minimum of 4.5 in each skill).

6 week programme: IELTS 5.5
(with a minimum of 5.0 in each skill).

Time commitment

10 hours of face-to-face online
tuition per week

10 hours of self-study per week

You cannot get a combined CAS for this online Pre-sessional course.

If you have not yet met the English language requirements, you must pass the Pre-sessional course to fulfil your degree offer condition.

Cost:

Join at 6 or 12 weeks, according to your entry level.

Entry level	Duration	Exit level	Price	Start date	End date
5.0*	12 weeks	6.0	£3000	11/05/26	07/08/26
5.5	6 weeks	6.0	£1750	29/06/26	07/08/26

*One week break from 22 June 2026.

English language condition

Offer holders can use the Online Pre-sessional English Course to meet their English language condition.

Successful completion of the Pre-sessional course at the required level will fulfil the English language requirement.

Assessment will be completed in a timely manner to accommodate visa applications.



If you are a few points short of your English requirement, this programme is a great choice. The teachers are kind, responsible, and treat you like a friend. It is a very affordable and worthwhile way to prepare for the UK.

Chunyu Jiang (Joshua)



This online course is highly effective and cost-efficient. Being able to study from any location helped me save significantly on accommodation. The teachers are incredibly patient and answer every question clearly.

Zhenggao Li

