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# **IELTS Band Score 5.0 Course Outline**

LEVEL: Band Score 6.0 (Upper Intermediate + / CEFR B2+)

This fully online, self-study IELTS preparation course aims to provide students with the knowledge and skills required to pass the IELTS exam at Band Score 6.0 (Upper Intermediate + level / CEFR B2+).

Lessons are divided into themes by language to help students master vocabulary by topic, and further sub-divided into specific language skills, such as reading, writing, listening, speaking and vocabulary and grammar.

Each topic includes approximately six hours of teaching video. However, to be successful, students should spend approximately three times this length of time in self-directed learning. Students should avoid merely watching the videos without working through exercises but should pause the recordings at given points to undertake activities that reinforce the learning. Language learning is not like learning factual information, and students must practice what they learn, otherwise they will not develop the language skills they need to pass their IELTS exam. In particular, students should find the time to practice their speaking skills with a study partner, family member or friend.

As students complete each level, they earn entitlement to a one-hour group consultation tutorial where they ask questions or practice their speaking skills.

#### Mini Trial

Week	Language Topic	Lessons	Videos	Length (Hours)	Recommended self-study	Group consultation time
1	Communication	11	20	6	17 hours	1 hour
2	Feelings	11	20	6	17 hours	1 hour
	Total	22	40	12	34 hours	2 hours

#### **Full Trial**

Week	Language Topic	Lessons	Videos	Length (Hours)	Recommended self-study	Group consultation time
1	Communication	11	20	6	17 hours	1 hour
2	Feelings	11	20	6	17 hours	1 hour
3	Work and Study	11	16	5	18 hours	1 hour
4	Science	11	19	6	17 hours	1 hour
5	Art and Leisure	11	19	6	17 hours	1 hour
	Total	55	94	29	86 hours	5 hours

#### Assessment



There is no formal assessment attaching to this introductory course.

## **Learning Outcome**

By the end of week two, students will have covered the foundation skills at IELTS band score 6.0 level and be able to demonstrate the following skills and answer the following question types:

Skill Type	Specific Topic or Question Type
Speaking	Part 1: Talking about the News; Part 2: Describe an Event
Listening	Notes Completion; Table Completion, Form Completion; Multiple Choice
	Questions; Sentence Completion
Reading	Matching Headings; Sentence Completion; Yes/No/Not Given Questions;
	Matching Information
Writing Task 1	Writing the Overview; Describe a Chart
Writing Task 2	Opinion Essay

In addition to the above, by the end of week five, students will be able to demonstrate the following skills and answer the following additional question types:

Skill Type	Specific Topic or Question Type
Speaking	Part 2: Describe a Skill; Part 3: Shopping and Retail; Discussing Games
Listening	Matching Information; Label a Diagram
Reading	Summary Completion; Matching Features, Multiple Choice Questions
Writing Task 1	Selecting and Comparing Data
Writing Task 2	Paragraph Structure; Structuring an Argument; Compare and Contrast
	Essay

### **Contact Information**

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