



School of English

*Friendly Learning*



# Welcome to ABC School of English

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At ABC School, we offer a friendly welcome to students from all over the world to our accredited school in Covent Garden. We are proud to provide a very personal learning experience in a sociable, relaxed, yet professional and safe environment.

We established ABC School in 2002 and since then have successfully taught many thousands of students, and built a strong reputation for quality of teaching and service. Whatever your reason for learning English; social, academic or professional, we are here to support and help you achieve your ambitions.

ABC School is authorised to accept students on short term study visas. We are accredited by the **British Council and Callan Method Organisation (CMO)**, and are a member of **English UK**, all of which guarantee quality.

We understand that coming to London is a very big decision to make and we will always do our best to ensure that you feel comfortable whilst studying with us. We offer support in all areas including progress in your studies, choice

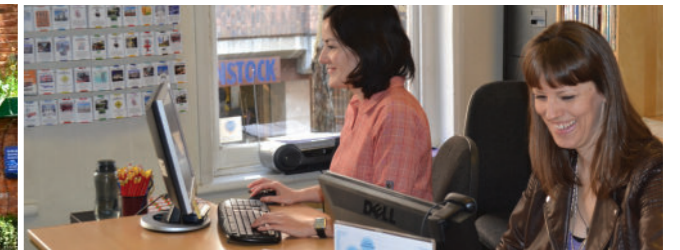
of accommodation and life in London. You are always welcome to come and have a chat with us.

In addition to studying, we also want you to have fun in London! We arrange a variety of social events, where you can learn about British culture, meet interesting and exciting people and practise your English outside the classroom. You will instantly belong to the school's vibrant community!

**Join us and experience first hand ABC School's hospitality! We look forward to welcoming you to the school soon.**



Sue Rao BA (Hons), MSc  
Principal



## Why us?

✔ Established in 2002 and since then successfully taught many thousands of students, and built a strong reputation for **quality of teaching and service**.

✔ Accredited by the British Council, Callan Method Organisation (CMO) and a member of English UK – this ensures a **high standard of teaching and student services**.

✔ Our teachers are **native English speakers** qualified to teach English as a foreign language (TEFL) and educated to degree level.

✔ General English Courses that fit in with your **academic, personal or professional commitments**; with flexible timetables and highly competitive prices. All levels from **CEFR A1** (beginners) to **CEFR C2** (advanced).

✔ Callan Method General English courses focus on speaking, pronunciation, listening and understanding. These skills provide you with the confidence to communicate effectively in English. The Callan Method has been on the market for over fifty years and is taught worldwide.

✔ Intensive English courses – carefully structured courses combining the Callan Method with General English to provide full immersion in English and an intense learning experience.

No matter what your professional or academic goals, whether a beginner or at an advanced level, you will benefit from more than twelve years of dedicated experience in teaching English. The choice is yours!

✔ Great location – the school is located in Covent Garden, in the heart of London's West End – a neighbour to the famous Royal Opera House, Covent Garden Market, the British Museum, and a hidden gem, Neal's Yard.

✔ We have a wide range of accommodation available to suit your requirements and budgets. We also offer transport from all London airports to your accommodation.

✔ Exciting social programme. Socialising is vital to your progress. We organise an exciting and fun packed programme of free and paid social events for you.

✔ Our multinational classes form an exciting community in which you learn, have fun and speak English on a daily basis.

✔ Experience ABC School's hospitality - you will instantly belong to the school's vibrant community.



Accredited by the British Council for the teaching of English as a foreign language.



A member of English UK. An organisation for accredited schools and colleges.



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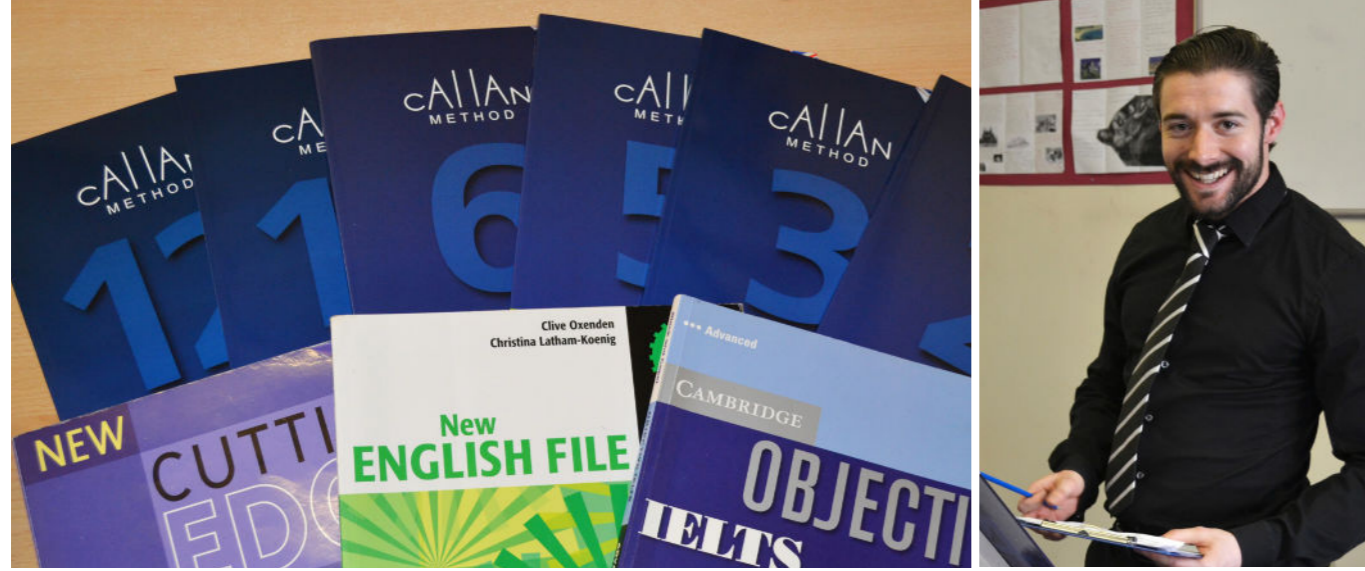


Accredited by the Callan Method Organisation which demonstrates a commitment to high standards of teaching quality.



A member of the Federation of Small Businesses; the UK's leading business organisation for small and medium sized businesses.





# Courses

We offer English courses to fit in with your academic, personal or professional commitments. All courses run from Monday to Friday, at various levels all year round.

LEVELS	DURATION	GROUP SIZE	MIN. AGE	TIMETABLE	NUMBER OF LESSONS
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## General English - Callan Method

Beginners (A1) to advanced (C1)	1 to 48 weeks	Max 14 students	16	Mornings, afternoons, evenings	5 to 20 lessons per week, Monday to Friday
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Callan Method courses are designed to improve your understanding and spoken English. The main focus is on speaking, listening and pronunciation. Constant systematic correction of your mistakes, by native English speaking teachers, greatly improves your pronunciation and confidence when speaking.



You may have studied grammar at school for many years but still find understanding and speaking English difficult or you may be a complete beginner. Whatever your level of English, the fun, fast Callan Method will really help you!

## General English

Intermediate (B1) to advanced (C1)	1 to 48 weeks	Max 14 students	16	Mornings & afternoons	15 hours per week, excluding breaks, Monday to Friday
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General English courses are intended for anyone interested in learning the English language in order to communicate more effectively in everyday life. The focus is on grammar, reading, writing and listening skills, expanding vocabulary, phrasal verbs and idioms.

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## Intensive General English

Intermediate (B1) to advanced (C1)	1 to 48 weeks	Max 14 students	16	Mornings & afternoons	25 or 35 lessons per week, Monday to Friday
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Intensive English courses offer full immersion in the English language and are one of the most popular courses in our school. These courses combine General English with the Callan Method and focus on all language skills: speaking and pronunciation, listening and understanding, grammar, reading and writing.

## Cambridge Exam Courses

Intermediate (B1) to advanced (C1)	1 to 12 weeks	Max 14 students	16	Mornings & afternoons	15 hours per week, excluding breaks, Monday to Friday
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Exam courses are designed for students who are interested in taking external exams (Cambridge exams) or who are preparing for university (IELTS exams). The courses cover all four skills, reading, writing, speaking and listening. They also include practice in exam techniques and practice exams.

## One to One Courses

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One to one lessons are flexible yet very intensive courses designed exclusively for you and your needs. You can choose to work on all skills: grammar, writing (General English) and listening and speaking (Callan Method); or combine both for faster progress. This type of tuition is also useful for work (Business English) or exams.

## Other Courses

A great way of learning English and enjoying your hobbies! Choose from:

- ✔ English & dance classes – a selection of 40 different dance style courses
- ✔ English, music & drama classes – for complete beginners to advanced levels
- ✔ English & sports activities – contact us for more details!



# Accommodation

a great way to stay in London

Choosing the right accommodation is as important as choosing the right course. This is why, we work with well established agencies which offer a range of accommodation options, including homestays, flatshares and students halls of residence.

We cater for all budgets and all students' special requirements. All accommodation is carefully selected and visited by our Welfare Officer. We take great pleasure in helping you find the type of accommodation that is most suitable for you.

## Homestays

There is no better way for you to experience "British" life than by living in a friendly and caring environment where you can immerse yourself in the English language. We try to place only one student of the same mother tongue when two or more students are staying in the same homestay.

## Flatshares

Flatshares will offer you the chance to stay in central London at reasonable rates. It is good value for money, a lot of fun and a great way to meet new people.

We will try our best to place you in multinational flats; however, you may well find yourself lodged with students of the same nationality. This may mean a possible loss of contact with speakers of English outside the classroom. We will advise you if this is the case.

## Student Halls

Holborn Halls of Residence offers accommodation from the famous London School of Economics (LSE) and is only a two minute walk from our school. This accommodation is available to students of ABC School of English during the summer months (the beginning of July until the middle of September).

Holborn Halls of Residence are set up in a flatshare layout and each flat has up to five rooms. There is a fully equipped eat-in kitchen, a shower room and a toilet (shared by four to five guests). The kitchen is provided with: utensils, cooker, fridge, tea/coffee maker.

## Airport Transport

When you arrive at one of London's airports, make sure you travel to your accommodation the safe and affordable way. We can provide you with transport from the airport to your accommodation.



Homestays



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# Your stay at ABC School

## Friendly Learning

Socialising is vital to your progress, therefore we organise an exciting and fun packed programme of free and paid social events for you (not included in fees), including sports events, day trips out of London to places of historical and cultural interest and nights out in London.



It is a great way to meet new people, learn about British culture and practise your English outside the classroom.

“ It has been a great experience and I enjoyed every single day I was there. Once I stepped into the reception on my first day, everyone was very friendly and helpful to show me around the school.



Clara, student from Germany

“ I attended the school for a few months and I took both Callan method and an IELTS course and I do not hesitate to say my English became quite fluent.



Sergio, engineer from Spain

“ Everyone who works at ABC School is so kind and friendly, and it is therefore possible to learn so much. My knowledge of English improved and I also learnt practical ways to use my English in real life situations.



Hitoshi, student from Japan

“ At ABC, you have activities very often (trips around some other cities, picnics in the park and every Friday all the students and teachers gather at the pub) to meet new people and practise English, of course.



Maripaz, actress from Chile

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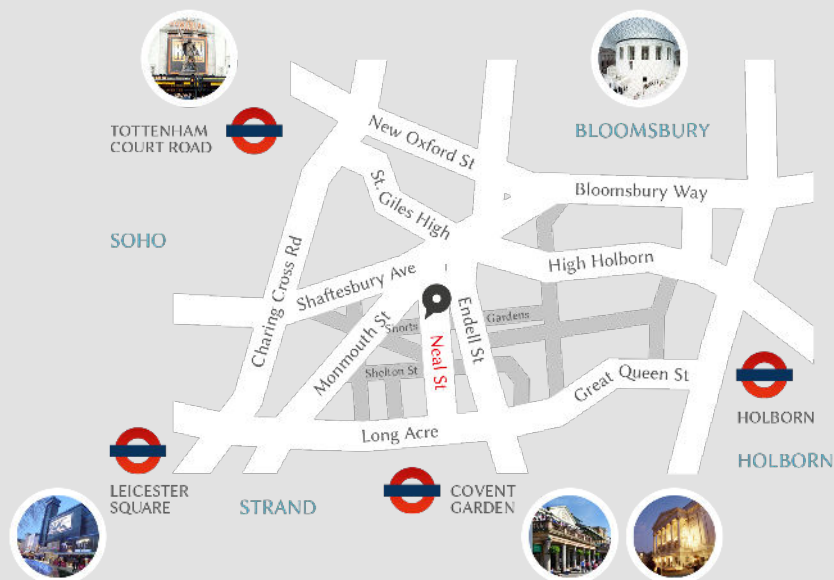
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