

IELTS Preparation Course - A

Objective: The course aims to develop students' listening, reading, writing and speaking skills

for their IELTS test. In addition, students will acquire IELTS vocabulary and grammar

through the course

Target: Undergraduates and postgraduates who intend to pursue graduate study abroad,

in which IELTS score is one of the admission requirements

Instructor: Mr. Samuel Vong, training instructor of the Upper House Academy

Venue: UM classroom (*The exact location is to be announced upon confirmation*)

Medium of Instruction: English

Course Schedule and Content: (12 sessions; 36 hours in total)

Session	Date		Topic	Time
1	19 Jan	(Sat.)	Listening - Students will have seen the most common types of questions and will be able to utilise the individual skills required to gain marks, e.g. 'Complete the tables' and 'Fill in the blanks'.	10:00 - 13:00
2	20 Jan	(Sun.)		
3	26 Jan	(Sat.)	Reading - Students will have seen the common themes of reading passages and will be able to deal with different types of questions such as 'Yes/No/Not Given', 'Matching Headings'.	
4	27 Jan	(Sun.)		
5	16 Feb	(Sat.)		
6	17 Feb	(Sun.)	Writing - Students will have seen most of the types of the diagrams in task 1 and the common themes in task 2. They will have learnt specific key vocabularies and will be able to use them in their own writings. In addition, they will demonstrate the ability to organise their ideas in a logical way to write cohesively.	
7	23 Feb	(Sat.)		
8	24 Feb	(Sun.)		
9	2 Mar	(Sat.)		
			<u>Speaking</u> - Students will have learnt different vocabularies relevant to a number of themes and will understand how to use these to form complex sentences in speech	13:00
10	3 Mar	(Sun.)	Mock Test* on Listening, Reading, Writing	
11	9 Mar	(Sat.)	Mock Test* on Speaking	
			Reading & Writing Practice	
12	10 Mar	(Sun.)	Mock Test* on Speaking	
			Reading & Writing Practice	
No class from 2 Feb to 10 Feb				

Remarks

This preparation course is free of charge and a **deposit of MOP500** will be collected upon enrollment. Participants are eligible for a refund of their deposit if

A. their attendance rate in the course is 80% or above, AND

B. they finish the mock tests* as prescribed in the course.

Otherwise, their deposit will be forfeited.