TESOL
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages
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Dear Potential Student,

Thank you for your interest in studying TESOL at the Brisbane College of Australia.

This document contains our TESOL information. There is one TESOL course available at our college:

- Certificate IV in TESOL

Brisbane College of Australia is located in the prime position of Brisbane’s Central Business District surrounded by many shops, cafes, entertainment and public transport.

We have an experienced, dedicated teaching team and excellent materials. As an insight into our well-equipped facilities, we offer Counselling Services and Social Activities. Our college has a kitchen, lunchroom, computer room, printing and photocopying facilities and library available to all students. The library has a range of books, CDs and journals to assist our students in their learning experience.

Information regarding the course details, duration and entry requirements can be found in the pages to follow.

We hope this information is useful and look forward receiving your application.

Yours Sincerely

Administration Team
2011 Course Information

ENROLMENT FEE

All courses require an enrolment fee of $100.00
All fees are Australian Dollars

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<th>FULL TIME TUITION FEE</th>
<th>DURATION</th>
<th>TEXT BOOKS</th>
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<td>Certificate IV in TESOL</td>
<td>$2,500</td>
<td>8 Weeks</td>
<td>$250</td>
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2011 COURSE STARTING DATES

10 Jan 7 Feb 7 Mar 4 Apr 3 May 6 June 11 July 1 Aug 5 Sept 3 Oct 7 Nov 5 Dec

2011 PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

3 Jan 26 Jan 22 Apr 23 Apr 25 Apr 2 May 13 June 17 Aug 26 Dec 27 Dec

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

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<th>TERM</th>
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<th>HOLIDAY PERIOD</th>
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OVERSEAS STUDENT HEALTH COVER

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<th>Length of policy</th>
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<td>Up to 3 months</td>
<td>$105.00</td>
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<td>Up to 9 months</td>
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<td>Up to 12 months</td>
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Health Cover is provided by Bupa OSHC. All premiums include GST, are in Australian dollars and may be subject to change.

ACCOMMODATION

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<td>Homestay</td>
<td>$210 p/wk</td>
<td>3 Meals/day &amp; Utilities</td>
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<td>Share Accommodation</td>
<td>$150-250 p/wk</td>
<td>Price includes an estimation of food and utilities costs.</td>
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Accommodation requires a $100 placement fee and additional nights for home-stay accommodation is $30 per night.

SAMPLE TIMETABLE*

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<tr>
<th>DAY/TIME</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
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<td>9:00am – 10:30am</td>
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<td>Morning Tea</td>
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<td>Lunch</td>
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*The sample timetable is subject to change
Certificate IV in TESOL

Course Length: 8 or 15 weeks

Description
Certificate IV in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) is a course specifically designed for people wishing to teach English to speakers of other languages in Australia or Internationally. The course involves an introduction to techniques of classroom management and assessment, and a more thorough introduction to presentation techniques, lesson preparation and analysing language for communicative purposes. The course is highly practical with a major emphasis on practice teaching, which will be delivered through a combination of workshops, lesson observation and lesson delivery. Certificate IV in TESOL is considered equivalent to the Cambridge / RSA Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA), which are recognized internationally as a qualification for teaching English as a foreign or second language (TEFL or TESL).

Entry Requirement
For International Students, the pre-requisite for entering this course is either the satisfactory completion of General English at Advanced (GE5) or an IELTS score of 6.0 (or higher) or undergo the BCE placement test. A high school certificate is also required for entry to this course.

Program Content
Introduction to Grammar
Analysing Communication
Basic Grammar
Classroom Management and Organisation
Cross Cultural Factors and TESOL Contexts
Development of Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening Skills
English Language Assessment Tests
Language Teaching and Learning
Language Teaching Materials
Language Teaching Methodologies
Lesson Planning
Practice Teaching and Observation
Presentation of New Language
Design and Develop Learning Strategies and Resources
# Brisbane College of Australia

## Terms and Conditions of Enrolment

**All Students must read this document carefully before signing the student agreement**

### REFUND POLICY

1. All requests for cancellations, transfers and refunds must be made in writing and require the presentation of relevant supporting documentation.
2. Upon approval the application will be refunded in accordance with the ESOS regulations.
3. No refunds will be given to students who are expelled for unacceptable behaviour or non-compliance with visa conditions.
4. If, after the full payment of fees a student withdraws an application the following will apply:
   1. If written notice is received by BC for more than 28 days before the commencing of the course a cancellation fee of 15% will be deducted from the fees received.
   2. If written notice is received by BC up to 28 days but more than 14 days prior to the course commencing a cancellation fee of 20% will be deducted from fees received.
   3. If a student withdraws within 14 days of the commencement of the course, no refund will be made.
4. No refund will be made for that portion of the tuition fee that is payable as counselling fees to the students appointed agent.
5. If the visa is refused by the Australian Authority an administration fee will be deducted and a refund of the tuition fee will be given.
6. If the College cannot deliver the course then we will refund your full tuition fee (including your enrolment fee).
7. The registered provider’s dispute resolution processes do not circumscribe the student’s right to pursue other legal remedies.
8. This agreement does not remove the right to take action under Australia’s consumer protection laws.
9. BC may provide student information, including enrolment details, visa-related information, academic performance and attendance records, to Australian Commonwealth and State agencies and to the managers of the ESOS Assurance Fund.
10. In the case of a student returning home any refund will only be made after the student ID card is returned and immigration notified.

### ATTENDANCE OBLIGATIONS

Students studying courses in Australia on a student visa are required by law to attend 80% of all classes. It is mandatory to attend 20 hours of lessons per week. BC is under obligation to report to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship if this requirement is not met.

### TRANSFERS

#### Transfer to another educational institution

1. Under Student Visa Regulations it is not possible to transfer to another education institution for the duration of any preliminary course and/or the first six months of the principal course, except where:
   1.1 The college has ceased to be registered or the course in which the student is enrolled has ceased to be registered.
   1.2 A written letter of release has been provided by the College.
   1.3 A sanction has been imposed on the College’s registration by the Queensland or Australian Government that prevents the student from continuing the principal course.
   1.3 Any government sponsor of the student considers the change to be in the student’s best interest and has provided written support for that change.
2. Requests for transfer must be made to the Administration Office in writing and be accompanied by a letter of offer from the receiving institution. Evidence of exceptional and/or extenuating circumstances is also required.
3. If approved, any money transferred will be in accordance with BC’s Refund Policy.

#### Transfer to another course at BC

1. All applications to transfer to another course at BC should be made on the ‘Request for Internal Transfer’ form available at the Administration Office in consultation with the relevant teaching departments.
2. Where a transfer is granted students must pay an administration fee of AUS$100 plus any additional tuition fees applicable to the new course before starting the new course.

### ACCOMMODATION AND AIRPORT TRANSFER FEE REFUND POLICY

1. If the student’s application for enrolment or visa is denied, a full refund is given.
2. Except for in the above instance, the Accommodation Placement and Airport transfer fees are non-refundable.
3. If at least 28 days notice is given for cancellation of accommodation, a full refund will be given. If less than 28 days notice is given, a cancellation equal to 2 weeks rent is incurred. After accommodation has commenced, 2 weeks notice must be given, otherwise the above cancellation charge is incurred.
4. If the College is not notified of any change in flight details at least 48 hours before arrival, another Airport transfer fee may be incurred.

### ACCOMMODATION FEES

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<tr>
<td>Placement Fees</td>
<td>$100</td>
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<td>Home-stay (at least 4 wks)</td>
<td>$210 /wk</td>
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<td>Additional Nights</td>
<td>$30 per night</td>
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*(Includes all meals throughout your stay)*
**Brisbane College of Australia**

**Application Form**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Family Name ___________________________________
Given Name/s ___________________________________
Date of Birth (d/m/y) __/__/ Sex: F ☐ M ☐
Nationality ___________________________________
Language ___________________________________
Passport Number ___________________________________
Home Address ___________________________________

Current Address ___________________________________

____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________

Note: You must notify BC of a change in address while enrolled in a course.

Telephone ________________________________ E-mail Address ________________________________

Do you have any special needs that may affect or prevent you from completing any of the course requirements? ____________________________________________________________

**AIRPORT TRANSFER FEES**

Transfer form airport to accommodation AU$100

Do you require Airport Transfer service?

On Arrival? Yes ☐ No ☐
On Departure? Yes ☐ No ☐

Please provide your arrival/departure details, if known,

**Arrival Date:** _______________ **Time:** ________________
**Flight Number:** ___________ **Airport:** ______________

**Departure Date:** ____________ **Time:** ________________
**Flight Number:** ___________ **Airport:** ______________

**VISA STATUS IN AUSTRALIA**

Working Holiday ☐ Visitor ☐ Student ☐
Other (specify) ☐

**HEALTH INSURANCE**

Do you require OSHC? Single ☐ Family ☐ No ☐

Student Visa Students must have Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC).

**ACCOMMODATION**

BC accommodation placement fee AU$ 100

☐ I prefer BCE home-stay for ______ weeks
☐ I will make my own living arrangements.

**STUDENT’S ENGLISH LEVEL**

Elementary ☐ Pre-Intermediate ☐
Intermediate ☐ Upper Intermediate ☐
Pre-Advanced ☐ Advanced ☐
(Your level will be officially assessed when you enter school)

**Program Selection**

**English Programs**

☐ General English* ☐ IELTS Preparation*
☐ Business English* ☐ FCE* ☐ CAE*

**Certificate Programs**

Please write the name of the course you are applying for

**Diploma Programs**

Please write the name of the course you are applying for

Note: Please attach a passport copy for enrolment into any course. If enrolling in a certificate or diploma course please attach English test results and certified copies of your highest level of education.

**Recognition Of Prior Learning**

☐ I wish to apply for recognition of prior learning

**Course Start Date:** ___/___/___ **Weeks:** ___

**AGREEMENT**

I certify that the information provided on this form, including attachments is true and correct. I agree to the terms and conditions of enrolment and transfer and have read and understood the refund policy as set out overleaf.

__________________________________
Signature  Date

**UNDER 18 APPLICANTS**

Will you be accompanied by a guardian? Yes ☐ No ☐
If no, College Guardian fee is $750.00
If the student is under the age of 18, a parent or guardian’s signature is required:

__________________________________
Signature  Date

**AGENT DETAILS**

Please complete this section if your application is being submitted by an approved education agent.

Name of Consultant____________________________________
Business Name of Agent ________________________________

**Where to send your Application**

Brisbane College of Australia
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