

20<sup>th</sup>  
ANNIVERSARY

# COURSE GUIDE





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# WELCOME



OVER 35,000 STUDENTS  
FROM MORE THAN  
**100 NATIONALITIES**  
HAVE STUDIED AT BROWNS



Our **English Only policy** is encouraged at all our campuses and during our activities to help your speaking progress quickly.



my**BROWNS**



**130+ PATHWAYS**  
INTO UNIVERSITIES &  
COLLEGES, HIGH SCHOOLS  
& PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**100% AUSTRALIAN**  
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**TWO CAMPUSES**  
TWO AMAZING QUEENSLAND  
LOCATIONS IN BRISBANE  
AND GOLD COAST

**GUARANTEED**

Active8



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GOVERNMENT SCREENED FOR  
**SAFETY & SECURITY**



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EMERGENCY PHONE  
SERVICE



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**WIFI, AUDIO  
& VISUAL  
TECHNOLOGY**  
FULLY INTEGRATED ACROSS  
OUR CAMPUSES






# WHERE WILL I STUDY?




## BRISBANE CITY FACTS


BRISBANE, QUEENSLAND  
COURTESY OF TOURISM AUSTRALIA


 Average Temperature: 15-26°C

 283 days of sunshine a year

 Host of the 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games

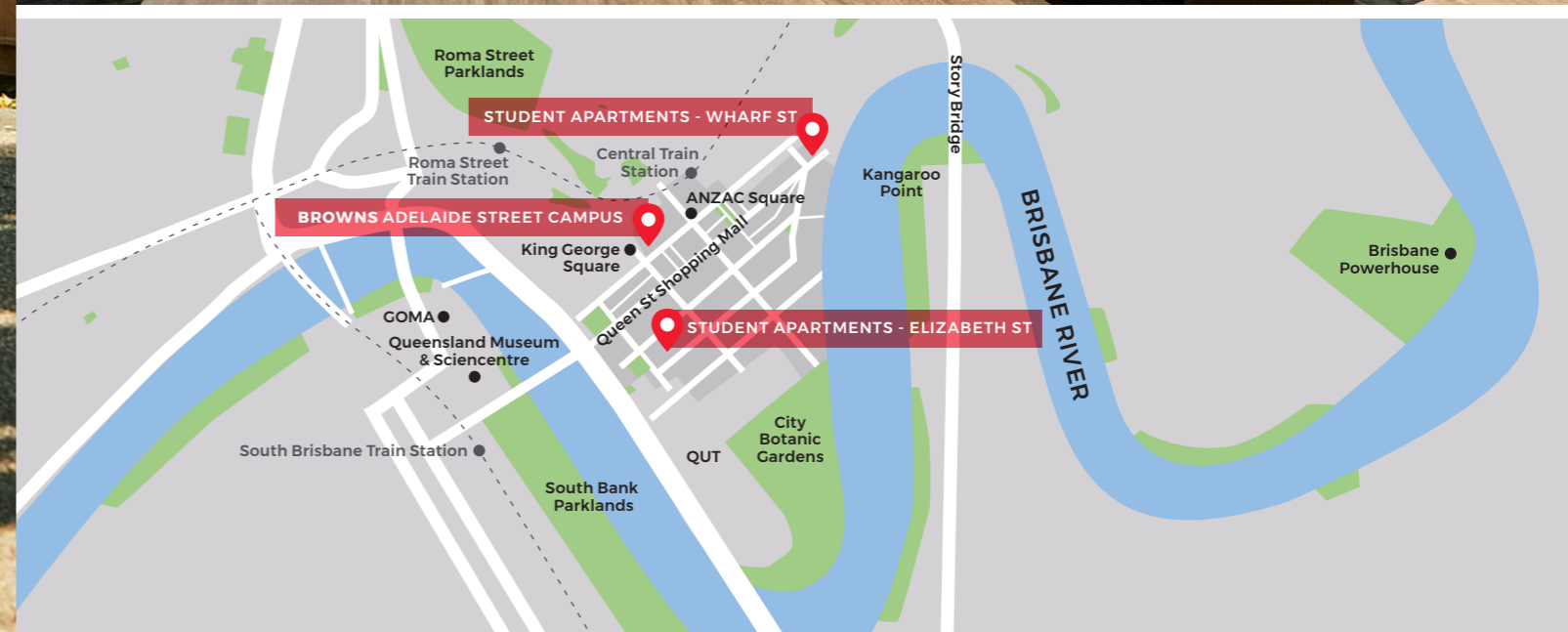
 Population: 2.47 million people

 Capital city of Queensland

 Home to three QS World University ranked universities

## BRISBANE CAMPUS

LEVEL 8, 102 ADELAIDE STREET, BRISBANE



-  16 Classrooms
-  Computers
-  Common Room
-  Kitchen
-  Penthouse View
-  Free Wi-Fi
-  English Only




# WHERE WILL I STUDY?





## GOLD COAST CITY FACTS


GOLD COAST, QUEENSLAND  
COURTESY OF TOURISM AUSTRALIA


 Average Temperature: 17-25°C

 300 days of sunshine a year

 Approximately \$200 million in world-class sporting infrastructure

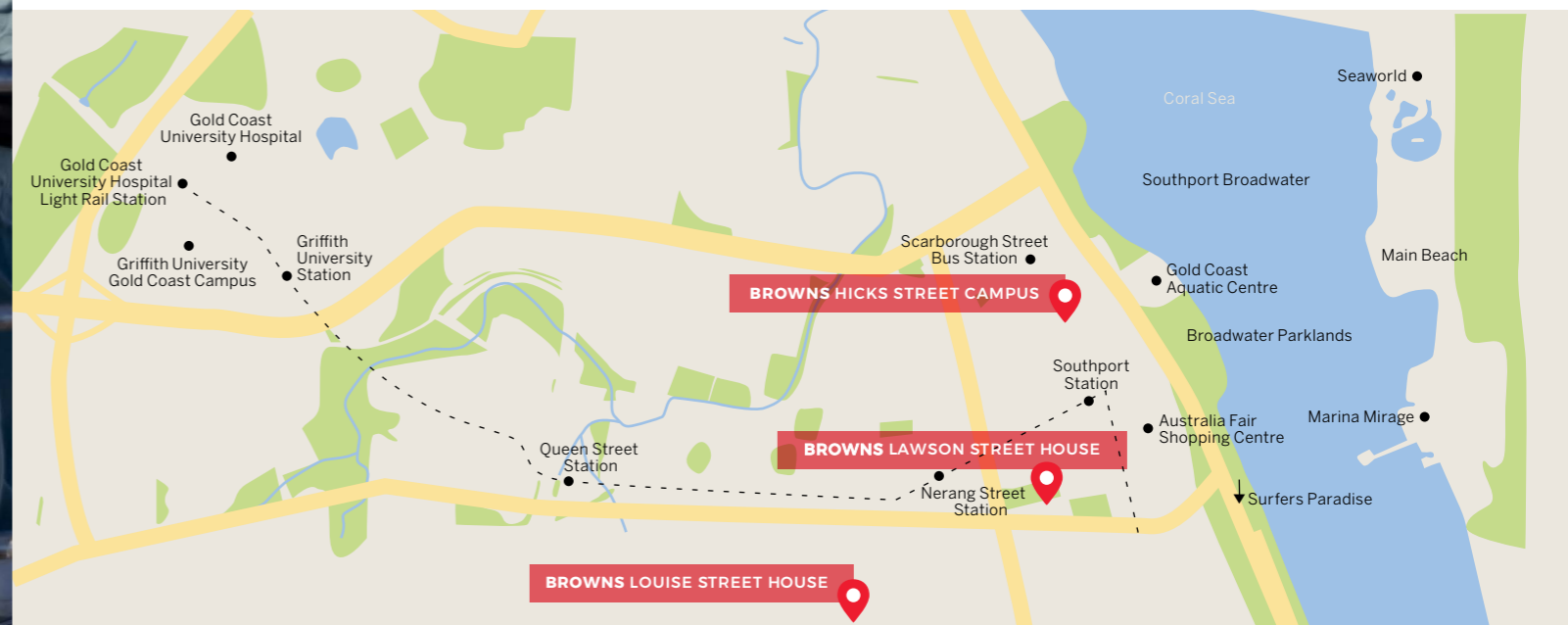
 Population: more than 620,000 people



 World famous beaches

 Access to the Gold Coast Student Hub's free services

# GOLD COAST CAMPUS

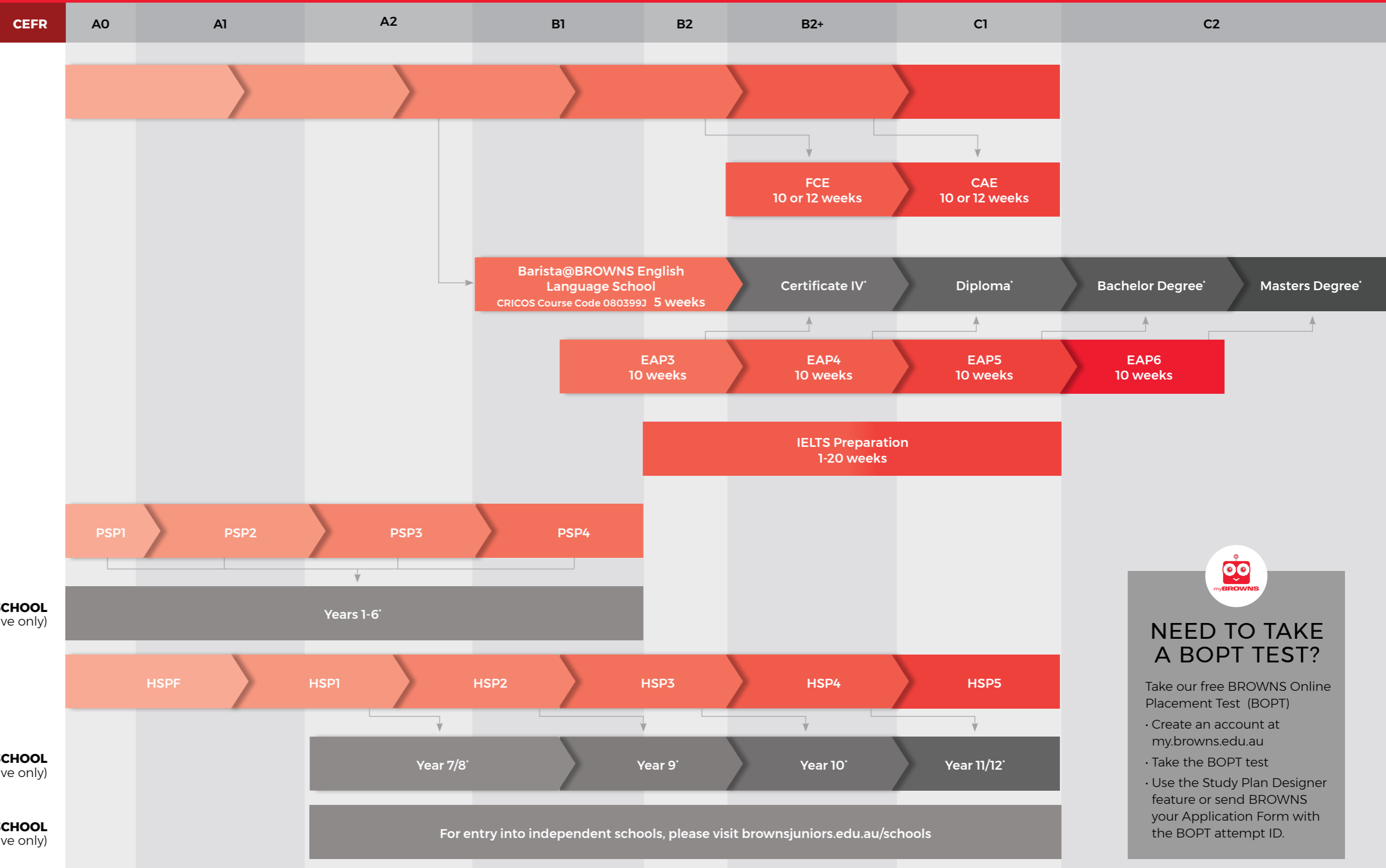
5 HICKS STREET, SOUTHPORT



-  10 Classrooms
-  Computers
-  Common Room
-  Kitchen
-  Outside Tables
-  Free Wi-Fi
-  English Only



# WHAT WILL I STUDY?



## NEED TO TAKE A BOPT TEST?

- Take our free BROWNS Online Placement Test (BOPT)
- Create an account at [my.browns.edu.au](http://my.browns.edu.au)
  - Take the BOPT test
  - Use the Study Plan Designer feature or send BROWNS your Application Form with the BOPT attempt ID.

\*Course options in grey are offered by external providers \*\*Levels and classes are subject to availability



# INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH

CRICOS Course Code 076222B

“BROWNS is a very good school to learn English. When I came to Australia it was impossible for me to speak English, and I think without BROWNS and the personalised Active8 classes I couldn't have improved.”

GREG FROM FRANCE



**DURATION**  
1 to 71 weeks



**2023 START DATES**  
Any Monday\*



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or  
Gold Coast



## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Beginner English language level or above
- Student, Working Holiday or Visitor visa
- Age: 16 and over

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- Beginner to Advanced (6 Levels)
- 20 hours in-class and 5 hours Accelerate and Homework Review
- 10 weeks per level
- Students are provided with coursebooks

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find out more



## BROWNS PASSPORT

Use the BROWNS Passport and dedicated Accelerate modules to target your areas for improvement.

## SAMPLE TIMETABLE



# ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES

CRICOS Course Code 080398K

“One of the main reasons why I chose BROWNS is that it offers a pathway program.”

JINWOONG KIM FROM KOREA



**DURATION**  
1 to 71 weeks

**2023 START DATES**  
16 January,  
27 March, 5 June,  
14 August, 23 October

**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane and  
Gold Coast

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Intermediate English language level or above
- Student, Working Holiday or Visitor visa
- Verifiable results of a standardised English test or the BROWNS Online Placement Test
- Age 16 and over

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- 20 hours in-class and 5 hours Self-study/Project work/ Assessment Tasks
- 10 week modules
- Daily Academic lessons based on Academic Language and Academic Skills with a focus on Task production
- Regular academic progress checks, counselling and reporting in conjunction with the BROWNS Academic Journal
- Pathway into selected Australian universities and colleges



# THE PLACES YOU CAN GO

## AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES, TAFE & COLLEGES

Successful completion of your BROWNS English Pathway program facilitates your entry into University, TAFE or College to study your chosen career. Our professional teaching team ensures you are well-prepared for the English language requirements at these tertiary institutions.

For more information, visit [brownsenglish.edu.au/pathways](https://brownsenglish.edu.au/pathways)



CRICOS: 02425C  
RTO No. 30770



CRICOS: 00017B



CRICOS: 00219C  
RTO No. 40939



CRICOS: 01737F/00233E



CRICOS: 00233E



CRICOS: 02380M  
RTO No. 4959



CRICOS: 00312F  
RTO No. 0273



CRICOS: 01241G



CRICOS: 03020E  
RTO No. 0275



CRICOS: 03389E  
RTO No. 41343



CRICOS: 00244B



CRICOS: 01241G

+ MORE

## ENTRY AND EXIT POINTS#

LEVEL	ENTRY LEVEL	EXIT LEVEL	PATHWAY PARTNER PROGRAM
EAP3	IELTS 4.5 or equiv.	IELTS 5.0 equiv.	Certificate IV
EAP4	IELTS 5.0 or equiv.	IELTS 5.5 equiv.	Diploma
EAP5	IELTS 5.5 or equiv.	IELTS 6.0 equiv.	Bachelor Degree
EAP6	IELTS 6.0 or equiv.	IELTS 6.5 equiv.	Bachelor/Masters Degree

# This should be used as a guide only.



# CAMBRIDGE EXAM PREPARATION

**“I passed the Cambridge exam which was a big achievement for me. Each day is a new challenge but you can pass with the support and knowledge from your BROWNS teacher.”**

BRUNA FROM BRAZIL



**DURATION**  
10 or 12 weeks

**2023 START AND EXAM DATES\***  
See below



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Strong Intermediate English language level or above for Cambridge First Certificate English (FCE) Preparation
- Upper Intermediate English language level or above for Cambridge Advanced English (CAE) Preparation
- Student, Working Holiday or Visitor visa
- Verifiable results of a standardised English test or the BROWNS Online Placement Test
- Age: 16 and over

# CAMBRIDGE FIRST CERTIFICATE ENGLISH (FCE) PREPARATION

CRICOS Course Code 061169C

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- 20 hours in-class and 5 hours Accelerate and Homework Review
- Preparation for obtaining a high-level universally accepted English language qualification
- Regular practice tests and tasks that allow students to become familiar with the exam structure and a variety of content
- Covers many genres of English, e.g. formal, informal, business, academic, personal
- Useful preparation for students looking to study the Cambridge CAE Exam Preparation course



*Scan here to find out more*

**“I’m currently in BROWNS’ FCE course. It is challenging however we have an amazing teacher, always ready to explain or help you to understand something you didn’t.”**

ALEC  
FROM SWITZERLAND

# CAMBRIDGE ADVANCED ENGLISH (CAE) PREPARATION

CRICOS Course Code 061171J

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- 20 hours in-class and 5 hours Accelerate and Homework Review
- Regular practice tests and tasks that allow students to become familiar with the exam structure and a variety of content
- Covers many genres of English, e.g. formal, informal, business, academic, personal



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**“Given the advantage of being a small class, we had the opportunity to get the best care by our fabulous teacher. She successfully taught us all the strategies, grammar, vocabulary and skills to rock the Cambridge exam.”**

DAMIAN FROM SWITZERLAND



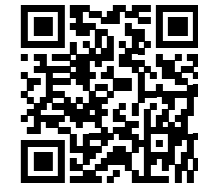
“What I found really helpful were the mock test days. It is an effective way to practice not only all parts of the test but also how to deal with the stress and pressure. I got a great score (overall 8.0).”

PAVLINA FROM CZECH REPUBLIC



“I got a job as a Barista at a café in Brisbane. My workplace is so good to use what I learned at BROWNS. I am improving every day not just my skills at making coffee but also my English skills.”

RISA FROM JAPAN



Scan here to find out more



NATIONALLY RECOGNISED TRAINING

## IELTS EXAM PREPARATION

CRICOS Course Code 091581J



**DURATION**  
1 to 20 weeks

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Minimum IELTS of 5.0 or equivalent
- Strong Intermediate English language level or above
- Student, Working Holiday or Visitor visa
- Verifiable results of a standardised English test or the BROWNS Online Placement Test
- Age: 16 and over



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

- 20 hours per week in-class and 5 hours per week Accelerate and Homework Review
- Regular practice tests and tasks that allow students to become familiar with the exam structure and a variety of content
- Feedback and academic counselling that allows students to target specific areas of weakness and ways to improve on them

## BARISTA@BROWNS ENGLISH LANGUAGE SCHOOL

CRICOS Course Code: 080399J | RTO Code: 31998

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Strong Pre-Intermediate English language level or above
- Student, Working Holiday or Visitor visa
- Verifiable results of a standardised English test or the BROWNS Online Placement Test
- Age: 16 and over

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

- 25 hours per week: 12 hours of hospitality-specific English, 5 hours of focused research and guided self-study, plus 8 hours of practical training in:
  - **SITXFSA005** - Use hygienic practices for food safety
  - **SITHFAB025** - Prepare and serve espresso coffee
  - **SITHFAB021** - Provide Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA)
- Develop skills to become more employable in the Australian hospitality industry
- Develop hospitality-specific English language vocabulary
- Receive a Statement of Attainment for the three Units of competency from the Tourism, Hospitality Training Package which are nationally recognised under the Australian Qualifications Framework
- BROWNS Barista uniform provided

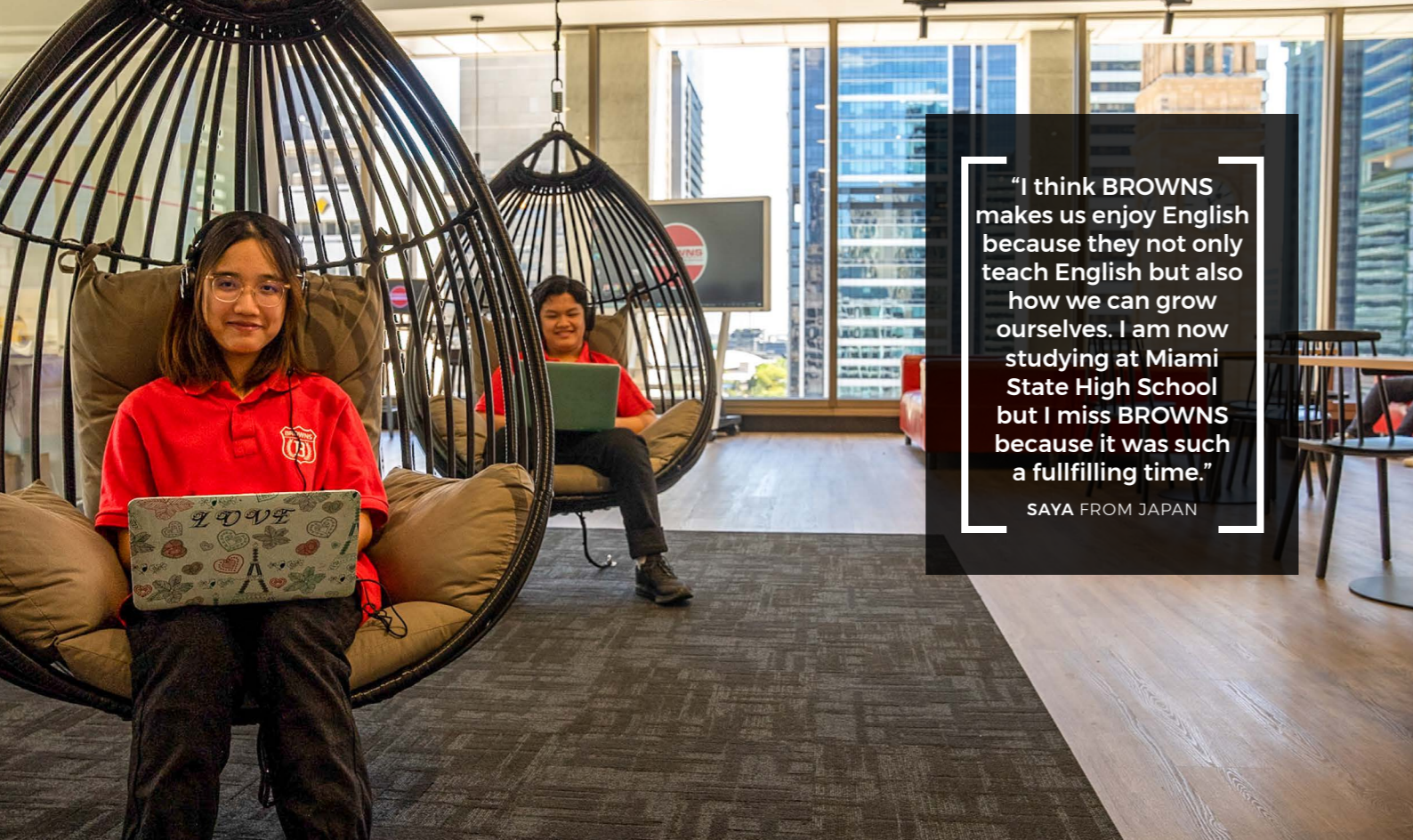


**DURATION**  
5 weeks



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast





"I think BROWNS makes us enjoy English because they not only teach English but also how we can grow ourselves. I am now studying at Miami State High School but I miss BROWNS because it was such a fulfilling time."  
SAYA FROM JAPAN

# HIGH SCHOOL PREPARATION

CRICOS Course Code 091582C

**DURATION**  
1 to 61 weeks

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Beginner English language level or above
- Appropriate for 11-17 years old
- Student visa, Visitor visa or Dependent visa

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

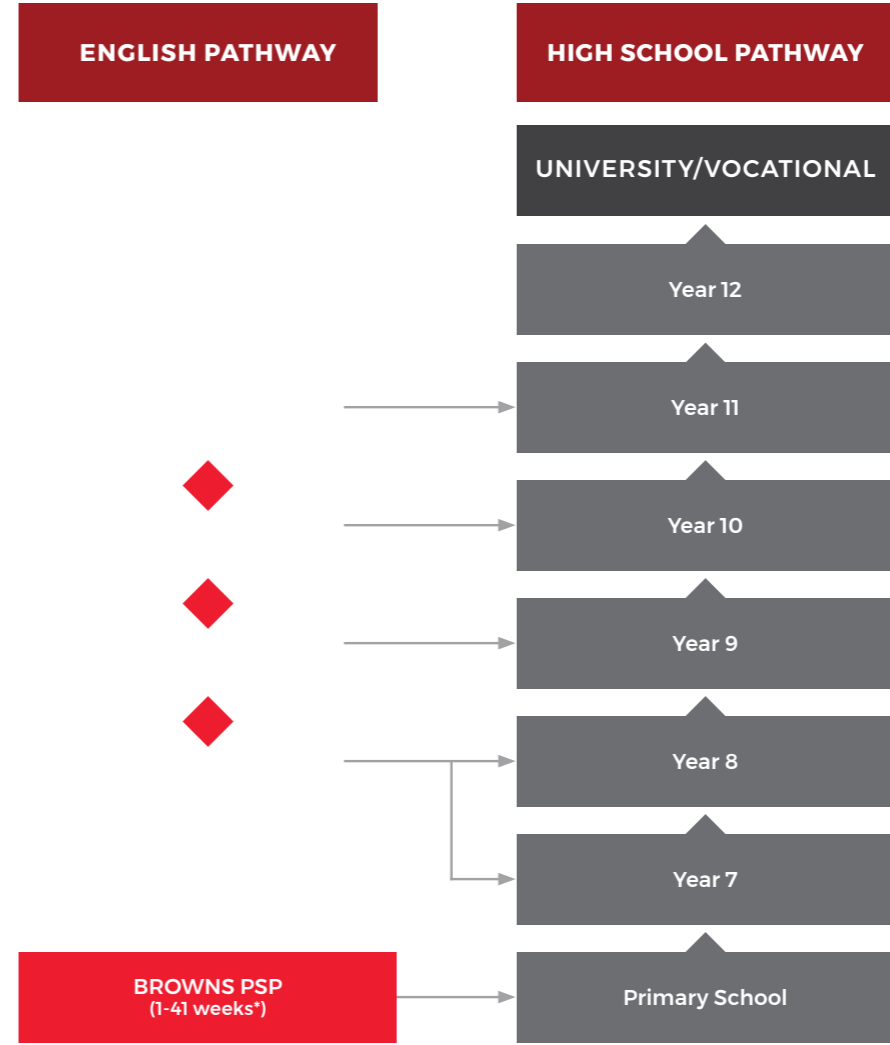
- 20 hours in-class and 5 hours Accelerate and Homework Review
- 10 weeks per level
- Daily coursebook-based core lessons and academic skill lessons and assessments
- Age-appropriate lesson content, tasks and assessments
- Pathway into select Australian high schools
- Regular academic and progress reporting
- Age-appropriate Activities Program
- Guardianship services available
- Learning about life in Australia and its culture
- Subject-specific vocabulary (e.g. maths, history, IT)

**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast

# THE PLACES YOU CAN GO

## GOVERNMENT SCHOOL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

BROWNS High School Preparation program is recognised for entry into over 90 government schools in Brisbane, Cairns, Gold Coast, Sunshine Coast, Townsville & Regional Queensland. Visit [eqi.com.au](http://eqi.com.au) for more details.



\*Subject to English proficiency.  
HSP refers to BROWNS High school Preparation program | PSP refers to BROWNS Primary School Preparation program  
Information provided is for general purposes. Please refer to our website for more information.

## AUSTRALIAN PRIMARY & HIGH SCHOOLS

BROWNS Primary School Preparation and High School Preparation program is recognised for entry into over 20 Independent and Catholic schools in Brisbane, Gold Coast, Sunshine Coast & Regional Queensland.

 <b>Brisbane Boys' College</b> CRICOS: 00491J	 <b>Canterbury College</b> CRICOS: 01609C RTO No. 30254	 <b>King's Christian College</b> CRICOS: 00341A	 <b>Lourdes Hill College</b> CRICOS: 00503K	 <b>St Margaret's Anglican Girls School</b> CRICOS: 00511K	 <b>St Laurence's College</b> CRICOS: 00972C
 <b>St Aidan's Anglican Girls School</b> CRICOS: 01194K	 <b>St Hilda's School Gold Coast</b> CRICOS: 00510M	 <b>The Southport School</b> CRICOS: 00523F	 <b>Trinity Lutheran College</b> CRICOS: 00878A		



# JUNIOR CAMPS



**DURATION**  
1 to 6 weeks\*



**2023 START DATES\***  
Contact the campus



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast

*Find out  
more about  
camps*



## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Elementary level English language level or above
- Visitor visa
- Aged between 11 and 17 years old
- Verifiable results of a standardised English test or Online Placement Test

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- Suitable for young learners who wish to be immersed in a fun English language environment
- Emphasis on conversational English
- Age-specific curriculum
- Staffed for welfare purposes
- Extensive range of excursions to enhance Australian cultural immersion.

# STUDY TOURS



**DURATION**  
As requested by your group\*



**2023 START DATES\***  
Contact the campus



**CAMPUS**  
Brisbane or Gold Coast

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

- Closed classes available for groups with a minimum size of 12 students
- Customised schedules created in partnership with the group coordinator
- Contextualised curricula and qualified teachers appropriate for young groups
- Full Australian cultural immersion secured through tailored activities and educational excursions including trips to mainstream schools and campus tours of universities
- Quotations available upon request
- Available to large and small groups

*Want more  
info on  
Study Tours*



\*Subject to season/campus

# WHAT ELSE DOES BROWNS OFFER?

## ENGLISH PLUS

ADD MORE TO YOUR ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE



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for requirements*



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## BRISBANE & GOLD COAST

Our classes are taught in one of the two schedules below. The schedules are allocated based on course, or the first day level test.

**FULL-TIME STUDENTS** are required to study for at least 20 hours each week, with the option of Accelerate & Homework Review.

**PART-TIME STUDENTS** will only join the first two hours of the CORE class, with the option of Accelerate & Homework Review.

# STUDENT ACTIVITIES



## FUN ACTIVITIES

Our varied and exciting School Activities Program is designed to help you make the most of your time at BROWNS. Participate in a sports game, try something new, experience Australian cultural events and meet new friends from all over the globe!

The BROWNS School Activities Coordinator also organises free fun activities for students, every day of the school year. Join the following BROWNS Clubs:

- Soccer
- Conversation
- Variety of community activities
- Tennis
- Beach Volleyball
- Cooking and more!
- Dance
- Ping-pong



# WHERE WILL I LIVE?



**24 HOUR  
EMERGENCY  
SUPPORT**  
For BROWNS  
resident students



**HOMESTAY  
POLICE CHECK**  
All homestay hosts are  
government screened  
for safety and security



**AIRPORT  
TRANSFER**  
Pick up and drop off service  
with our friendly and  
professional BROWNS driver

## BROWNS STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

### YOUR OPTIONS



#### FEATURES

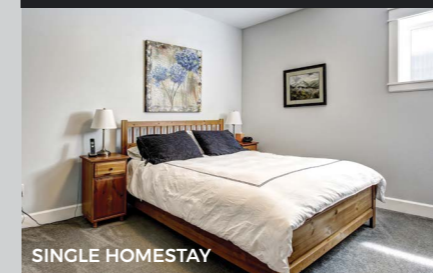
- Different housing options available
- Twin-shares, private rooms, or master suites available
- Shared or private bathrooms
- Study desk and chair
- Shared kitchen, laundry, living room and outdoor entertainment area
- Free WiFi internet access in all rooms
- Air-conditioning or fan



#### FEATURES

- Private room
- 2 shared bathrooms
- 5 bedroom apartment
- Study desk, chair and bookshelf
- Shared living and dining area with television & free Wi-Fi
- Air-conditioning

Building facilities: gym, games area, study floor, laundry facilities, outdoor cinema, free share bikes, multi-purpose areas, plus more. Visit [brownseenglish.edu.au/student-apartments](http://brownseenglish.edu.au/student-apartments)



SINGLE HOMESTAY

#### FEATURES

- Private bedroom (BROWNS Single Homestay)
- Desk
- Shared bathroom
- Monday-Friday: Breakfast & dinner
- Weekends: Breakfast, lunch & dinner

#### PREFERENCE UPGRADES\*

- Close to school
- Hosted with no other students
- Own bathroom
- Full board (three meals each day)
- Special dietary requirements catered for



TWIN SHARE HOMESTAY

#### BOOKING WITH A FRIEND?

SHARE A ROOM & SAVE  
MONEY WITH BROWNS  
TWIN SHARE HOMESTAY

*Want to  
know more?*



\*Subject to availability. Additional fees apply.



# HOW DO I ENROL?

my**BROWNS**

Find out more about myBROWNS...

## APPLYING TO STUDY AT BROWNS IS SIMPLE...

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**Step 3**  
**PREPARE DOCUMENTS**  
 Ensure you have all the necessary documents, including an up-to-date passport and verifiable English test results (if applicable)

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**Step 5**  
**RECEIVE YOUR OFFER**  
 All completed applications will receive a Letter of Offer within 24 hours

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## MY.BROWNS.EDU.AU – APP & ONLINE PORTAL

**Study Plans**  
 Create accurate study plans according to your level and goal

**Notifications**  
 You will receive notifications in myBROWNS and your email

**Timetable**  
 Check out your latest timetable and classrooms

**Progress**  
 Track your improvement as you master your English at BROWNS

## PREPARE TO COME TO AUSTRALIA

Provide your flight details to BROWNS at least two weeks before arriving in Australia.

Visit [brownsenglish.edu.au/welcome](http://brownsenglish.edu.au/welcome) for useful information before your arrive:

- BROWNS support services    ■ What's on    ■ Orientation
- Public transport    ■ Discounts    ■ and more

BROWNS English Language School and the Australian Government want international students in Australia to have a safe, enjoyable and rewarding place to study. Australia's laws promote quality education and consumer protection for international students. These laws are known as the ESOS framework and they include the Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000 and National Code 2018.

Want to know more?

**Attendance**  
 Your attendance record is regularly updated and viewable in myBROWNS

**Courses**  
 Looking to continue your studies? Extensions are made easy with myBROWNS

**Parents Portal**  
 Parents/guardians of junior students (under 18) have access to the Parents Portal to check attendance and timetable




# SUCCESS STORIES



## ADRIAN FROM GERMANY

"The BROWNS **IELTS Exam Preparation** program helped me to take my English skills to the next level and achieve an overall score of 8.0 with a band score of 7.0 for writing. After attending the course for 10 weeks, I really felt that I was fully prepared on test day and was able to achieve the score I needed to be accepted into a Masters degree next year"



Achieved IELTS 8.0 overall with a band score of 7.0 for writing 



## MARIA FROM BRAZIL

"I chose the BROWNS English Language School English plus Demi Pair program to have the opportunity of living with an Australian family to experience the culture, speak a lot of English and also because it was a great option when it comes to saving money."



Intensive General English  
(CRICOS Course Code 076222B)

PLUS Demi Pair

Volunteer

Cambridge First Certificate English (FCE) Preparation  
(CRICOS Course Code 061169C) 



## JIYEONG FROM KOREA

Jiyeong chose the BROWNS **English for Academic Purposes** (EAP) program with direct entry into TAFE Queensland.

"BROWNS English Language School told me that I could continue to study in Australia using their pathway. I chose to study with TAFE Queensland as it's highly reputable and well known."



Intensive General English  
(CRICOS Course Code 076222B)

Certificate IV in Commercial Cookery at TAFE Queensland  
(CRICOS Provider No. 03020E | RTO 0275) 



## NATSU FROM JAPAN


Natsu came to Australia to become a barista and learn more about Australian culture and the coffee industry. After graduating our **Barista@BROWNS** program, Natsu secured a job working in a Brisbane cafe.



Intensive General English  
(CRICOS Course Code 076222B)

Barista@BROWNS English Language School  
(CRICOS Course Code 080399J)

Joined our free Jobs Club

Working as a Barista in Brisbane, Queensland 



## NATALIYA FROM RUSSIA

Nataliya chose the BROWNS **English for Academic Purposes** (EAP) program with direct entry into Southern Cross University (SCU). She's since graduated SCU with a Master of Business Administration (MBA) and shortly after secured a Management Accountant position working in Brisbane.



English for Academic Purposes  
(CRICOS Course Code 080398K)

Masters of Business Administration at SCU  
(CRICOS Provider No. 01241G)

Employment in Brisbane, Australia 



## SAYA FROM JAPAN

Saya started her journey in 2016 where she participated in the BROWNS Junior Camp program for two weeks on the Gold Coast. The following year Saya returned to Australia where she studied the BROWNS **High School Preparation** program with a pathway into Year 11 at Miami State High School. Whilst at school, Saya was chosen as a Gold Coast 2019 Mayor's Student Ambassador.



Junior Camp

High School Preparation  
(CRICOS Course Code 091582G)

Pathway to Miami State High School

Gold Coast 2019 Mayor's Student Ambassador 





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Queensland, Australia**

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Southport 4215  
Queensland, Australia**

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