



TORQUAY
INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL

DISCOVER DEVON 50+



PURSUING EXCELLENCE IN ENGLISH

This two-week programme combines:

1. Intensive English course, maximum 4 students per class
2. Afternoon and weekend excursions around one of the UK's most beautiful regions



COURSE FACTS

Minimum Age: 50

Maximum 4 students per class

Tuition: 15 hours Intensive English

Full Programme of organised activities

Level: Elementary and above



COURSE DESCRIPTION

Our small class size offers the opportunity for students to develop their English in a programme of negotiated content.

Great emphasis is placed on developing all aspects of communication.



AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

Students develop and improve their functional English while enjoying life in Devon.



PROGRESSION ROUTES

This course can be used as a springboard on to one of our General English or MAX4 courses, at an appropriate level.



WHAT IS INCLUDED

Networking lunch with fellow students and a member of staff (Monday to Thursday)

Full programme of organised activities

Certificate with learner profile

Course materials

Pre-course placement test



Please check our Dates and Fees for course, accommodation and transfer prices.



At Torquay International School we have been providing English language tuition for over 40 years. Our aim has always been the same: to help our students achieve their aims in a professional and friendly environment.



Torquay is the largest town on the area of coastline known as the English Riviera. The town offers excellent shopping and leisure opportunities, an attractive harbour and fantastic golden sandy beaches. Torquay is also part of a UNESCO-listed coastal Geopark.

SAMPLE ACTIVITY PROGRAMME - WEEK 1

Lunch at Royal Hotel and Carvery



Monday

Discover Torquay

Take a relaxing walk around the English Riviera with our guide who will show you all that Torquay has to offer.

Lunch at Bistrot Pierre



Tuesday

Greenway

The holiday home of internationally famous crime writer, Agatha Christie.

+ Optional free pub evening

Lunch at Me and Mrs Jones



Wednesday

Brixham

Explore the bustling fishing town of Brixham. Sometimes we also spot seals, dolphins and even whales!

Lunch at the Cary Arms



Thursday

Coastal walk

Today we head along one of the many beautiful coastal paths beside the Bay. Stunning views are guaranteed - bring your camera!

+ Film evening - a choice of movie inspired by Agatha Christie, Torquay's most famous resident



Friday

Dartmouth by Steam Train

Take the steam train along the coastline. A passenger ferry takes you across the River Dart to Dartmouth, famous for its scenic river location.



Saturday

Dartmoor National Park

Dartmoor was chosen for the Spielberg blockbuster - The Warhorse. Its stunning light and landscapes took Spielberg's breath away, and you can visit the areas that captivated him.

Please note, this is a sample programme and subject to change at any time

SAMPLE ACTIVITY PROGRAMME - WEEK 2

Lunch at The Kents



Monday

Exeter and shopping

Explore the Cathedral city of Exeter with its fine architecture, historic old quayside and excellent shopping.

Lunch at The Devon Dumpling



Tuesday

Sharpham Vineyard

Explore this historic vineyard and sample their award-winning cheeses and wine.

+ Optional theatre trip

Lunch at Rockfish



Wednesday

Coleton Fishacre

Travel into the Jazz Age at the country home of the D'Oyly Carte family. You can lose yourself in the RHS - accredited garden, which provides some incredible viewpoints.

Lunch at Wellies



Thursday

Cream tea afternoon

Enjoy a traditional speciality of Devon - an afternoon tea light meal.

+ Jazz night or folk night



Friday

Totnes Market

Visit the historic and alternative town of Totnes and explore the famous costumed and charity craft market in the Market Square.

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Accreditations

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“The British Council is the United Kingdom’s international organisation for cultural relations and educational opportunities”.



“Quality English schools are carefully selected from the best independent English language schools in English-speaking countries. They are renowned for their quality and reputation, and offer a choice of general and specialised courses in desirable locations around the world. All schools are independently owned and managed. They are not part of a chain and each school has its own unique character”.



“As well as outstanding teaching standards and service, IALC language schools have individual character and a real connection with their local community.

All IALC language schools are quality assured and boutique, providing guaranteed professionalism, personal attention and an exceptional learning experience”.

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English UK is the national association of accredited English language centres in the United Kingdom.