



# KET (Key English Test)

## COURSE DETAILS

Course length	30 weeks, October – May
Lessons	60
Frequency	Two 90-minute lessons per week
Study Centre/homework	2 hours per week (recommended minimum)
Start date	First week of October
Levels	A2 (Pre-Intermediate)
Group size	6 – 8 people

## COURSE FOCUS

This course focuses on improving your COMMUNICATION and LANGUAGE SKILLS and covers:

**SPEAKING**

**LISTENING**

**WRITING**

**READING**

**VOCABULARY**

**GRAMMAR**

**PRONUNCIATION**

## THE KET EXAM

Students at A2 (Pre-Intermediate) level are expected to be able to:

- understand and use basic phrases and expressions
- understand simple written English
- introduce yourself and answer basic questions about yourself
- interact with English speakers at a basic level.

If this correctly describes your skills in English, you might be ready to take the Cambridge KET exam.

## COURSE CONTENT

The following is an example of what you will study on this course:

### Skills Work

#### READING

In the **reading** part of the test, you need to be able to read and understand different types of text, for example: signs, brochures, short magazine articles and news stories. During the course we will practise:

- Understanding the main ideas in a written text
- Finding synonyms
- Answering true or false questions
- Completing texts by filling the gaps

#### WRITING

In the **writing** part of the test you have to write a short note or message (25-35 words) You also have to re-write some information from two short written texts. We will practise:

- Writing sentences
- Writing notes

#### LISTENING

In the **listening** part of the test, you have to be able to understand announcements, telephone messages, and other short and other listening material when people speak reasonably slowly. We will practise the following skills:

- Understanding the general meaning
- Understanding details
- Answering multiple choice questions
- Matching recordings to pictures

## **SPEAKING**

In the **speaking** part of the test you have to talk about yourself, describe a picture and have a conversation with a partner. We will practise all parts of the exam, and also:

- Asking and answering simple questions
- Expressing preferences
- Polite requests
- Giving advice

## **Lexical areas**

Vocabulary areas covered will include:

- Sport
- Jobs
- Entertainment
- Travel and Transport
- Celebrations
- Books and Films
- Fashion and Shopping
- Houses
- Family and Friends
- Music
- The Future
- Money
- TV and Advertising

## **Grammatical themes**

- Review of present, past and future tenses
- Comparatives and superlatives
- Modal verbs
- Conditionals 1 and 2
- Relative pronouns

***For a more accurate idea of lexical and grammatical content, look at the information on A2 courses.***