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MILNER
SCHOOL OF ENGLISH

Wimbledon - London



Why Study in Wimbledon?

- Wimbledon is a safe and prosperous area located 17 minutes by train from central London. It is well connected by trains, buses and trams. Wimbledon is located in London's Fare Zone 3.
- There are many shops, cafés, restaurants, pubs and cinemas, all within a few minutes' walk of Milner School.
- Wimbledon has 500 hectares of beautiful natural woodland, ideal for walking, horse-riding and golf.
- The famous Wimbledon Tennis Championships take place in Wimbledon every summer!
- Living and studying in Wimbledon is less expensive than central London. Milner's homestays live in Wimbledon or nearby, some within walking distance of the school. Students can save money and time on transport.



Why Choose Milner?

Experience: Milner is family owned, with over 40 years experience in running language schools.

Location: Located in central Wimbledon, Milner School is an eight minute walk from Wimbledon and South Wimbledon train stations.

Accreditation: Milner is accredited by the British Council, a member of English UK and is a certified Cambridge ESOL Exam Preparation Centre.

Courses: Intensive, Full-Time and Part-Time General English (Elementary / A2 to Advanced / C1), IELTS / Academic English, Cambridge preparation, English + Tennis Programme , English & Work Experience, English & Volunteering, and Private Tuition. Students can also attend a FREE WEEKLY PRONUNCIATION CLASS.

Class size: Average of 10 students, maximum 12-16.

Value for money: Qualified teachers and reasonable fees.

Nationality mix: We welcome students from all over the world, which ensures a good nationality mix and cultural exchange.

Local homestays: inspected by Milner School and located in and around Wimbledon.

Social programme: We arrange an interesting and varied programme of activities for students accompanied by our Social Programme Organiser.



Our Facilities

- 9 classrooms.
- Lively student cafe and lounge area. Milner's cafe serves homemade food and hot & cold drinks every morning and lunchtime.
- Free internet access throughout the school.
- Learning Resource Area. Stocked with books, exam materials, DVDs and magazines to cater for all levels. Materials are colour-coded so identifying the correct level is easy. Milner School's librarian is available every day to assist students.
- Students receive **FREE** membership to the Wimbledon Public Library, located a 10 minute walk from the school.
- **FREE** Student ID Card which entitles them to some discounts.
- **Free Gym Membership**
- All Milner students receive FREE membership to the 'Better' Wimbledon Leisure Centre 7 days a week, 3 minute walk from the school. Includes use of gym and swimming pool.

TIMETABLE

INTENSIVE COURSE 30 LESSONS (20 HOURS A WEEK)

MON- TUE - WED- THU (9.30-14.45) FRI (9.30-12.45)
09:30 -11:00 Morning Class
11:00 - 11:15 Break
11:15 - 12:45 Morning Class
12:45 - 13:30 Lunch
13.30-14.45 Afternoon Class

FULL-TIME COURSE 22.5 LESSONS (15 HOURS A WEEK)

MON - TUE -WED - THU -FRI (9.30 - 12.45)
09:30 -11:00 Morning Class
11:00 - 11:15 Break
11:15 - 12:45 Morning Class

PART-TIME COURSE 7.5 LESSONS (5 HOURS A WEEK)

MON - TUE -WED - THU (13.30 - 14.45)
13.30 -14.45 Afternoon Class

At busy times some classes may start earlier

The Courses

- Students can choose to study Intensive, Full-Time or Part-Time.
- Course options: General English (Elementary/ A2 to Advanced/ C1), IELTS/ Academic English, Cambridge Preparation, English & Tennis, English & Work Experience, English & Volunteering, Private Tuition.
- Students can also attend a **FREE WEEKLY PRONUNCIATION CLASS**.
- Students are required to buy a course book on their first day.
- The average age is 18-25 years, minimum age 16.
- Course length: Minimum enrolment is one week. Long term students can enrol for Academic Year which is 36 weeks in length. The weekly tuition rate is cheaper. Students can study Intensive or Full-Time General English, IELTS/Academic English or Cambridge preparation or a combination of these.



General English Full-Time

- Mornings 9.30-12.45. 15 hours, 22.5 lessons.
- Course content: Lessons at all levels focus on grammatical structure, functions, guided conversations, vocabulary, communicative situations, reading, writing, listening and speaking skills, accuracy, fluency and pronunciation.
- A variety of materials are used including a course book.

General English Part-Time

- Afternoons 13.30-14.45. 5 hours, 7.5 lessons.
- Course content: Speaking, listening, vocabulary and pronunciation practice, using activities that are relevant to the everyday use of language eg. asking for information, giving advice and understanding English in different situations.

General English Intensive

- Mornings and afternoons 9.30-14.45. 20 hours, 30 lessons.
- Intensive course combining the 22.5 lessons (15 hours a week) and 7.5 lessons (5 hours a week) courses. Studying in both the mornings and afternoons will ensure faster progress in all skill areas.

Cambridge First & Advanced

- Flexible courses, start any Monday.
- Study in our Full-time course in a General English class with exam preparation.
- Upgrade to our Intensive course with afternoon classes which include speaking, listening, vocabulary and pronunciation practice.
- Study for any number of weeks according to your needs.
- Exams available throughout the year, see Cambridge ESOL timetable.
- Our experienced teaching team can provide exam support and advice in addition to your course.
- Add some one-to-one lessons to your course to enhance your level.
- Suitable for Intermediate/B2 to Advanced/C1.
- Local exam centre in central Wimbledon.
- A variety of materials are used including a course book.



We offer these courses all year round with flexible start dates so that you can take advantage of exam dates throughout the year. Continuous enrolment means that students can join classes at any stage as course content is frequently revised, re-cycled and teachers give advice on appropriate self-study.

Intensive 30 lessons (20 hours):

AM: General English with exam preparation: grammar, vocabulary, reading, writing, listening, speaking and pronunciation, mornings, 22.5 lessons, Monday to Friday.

PM: Topic based General English focussing on speaking, listening vocabulary and pronunciation, developing skills for the speaking and listening exams, afternoons, 7.5 lessons, Monday to Thursday.

Full-time 22.5 lessons (15 hours):

General English with exam preparation: grammar, vocabulary, reading, writing, listening, speaking and pronunciation, mornings, 22.5 lessons Monday to Friday.



English for Academic Purposes / IELTS

- Flexible courses, start any Monday.
- The course is suitable for students who are interested in the IELTS exam, future university studies or other academic purposes.
- Study in a Full-time course in an Academic English class with IELTS exam preparation.
- Upgrade to our Intensive course with afternoon classes which include General English speaking, listening, vocabulary and pronunciation practice.
- Academic English / IELTS fees are the same as for General English.
- Study for any number of weeks according to your needs.
- Our experienced teaching team can provide exam support and advice in addition to your course.
- Add some one-to-one lessons to your course to enhance your level.
- Suitable for Intermediate/B2 to Advanced/C1.
- Local exam centre in central Wimbledon, IELTS exams available twice a month.
- A variety of materials are used including a course book.

We offer these courses all year round with flexible start dates so that you can take advantage of exam dates throughout the year. Continuous enrolment means that students can join classes at any stage as course content is frequently revised, re-cycled and teachers give advice on appropriate self-study.

Intensive 30 lessons (20 hours):

AM: Academic English with exam preparation: grammar, vocabulary, reading, writing, listening, speaking and pronunciation, mornings, 22.5 lessons, Monday to Friday.
PM: Topic based General English focussing on speaking, listening vocabulary and pronunciation, developing skills for the speaking and listening exams, afternoons, 7.5 lessons, Monday to Thursday.

Full-time 22.5 lessons (15 hours):

Academic English with exam preparation: grammar, vocabulary, reading, writing, listening, speaking and pronunciation, mornings, 22.5 lessons Monday to Friday.



Private Tuition

- One-to-one English lessons tailored to the student's individual requirements. Private lessons can be arranged either as an addition to a standard course or on their own.
- Examples: Business English, writing skills, exam preparation, CV preparation, etc.



English + Tennis Programme

Suitable for groups or individuals and available all year round. The programme includes:

- English lessons in the mornings 9.30-12.45. 15 hours, 22.5 lessons.
- Private tennis lessons in the afternoon, 4 hours per week at Westside Lawn Tennis Club, in Wimbledon.
- **FREE** Gym membership.



English + Work Experience / English + Volunteering

- An opportunity to practise your English in the world of work. See our website for details.



Free Pronunciation Classes

- Weekly classes open to all Milner students who would like to improve their pronunciation for more effective communication. These classes help develop fluency in speaking and understanding and focus on individual sounds, word stress, sentence stress and intonation.



The Teachers

- All Milner School's teachers are trained to teach English as a foreign language. They all speak English as a first language and many speak a foreign language too. They have been chosen for their ability to work together as a team and relate well to young adults. Their teaching experience comes from teaching both abroad and in the UK.



Accommodation

- Homestay is where a student lives in the home of a British family. Homestay offers students the opportunity to practise their English and gives insight into the British way of life.
- Milner School's Homestays are located in Wimbledon and the surrounding areas, often within walking distance to the school.
- We select Homestays who are friendly, welcoming and have a comfortable home.
- The term 'British Homestay Family' can encompass different family structures and backgrounds. Some of our Homestay providers are couples, some may have children living in the home, and some are single ladies. Our Homestay providers are a reflection of our society and come from different ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds.



Student Residence

- As an alternative to Homestay, we can provide self-catering accommodation in a student residence at certain times of the year. Check details on the website.

Airport Transfer

We can arrange a one-way or return transfer between the airport and your accommodation if required. See our website for prices.

Social Programme

Our Social Programme Organiser arranges a variety of activities and excursions for students. In addition, the organiser is available to advise and help students on things to do in London and Wimbledon. Every Monday new students are invited to a welcome meeting.

Many of Milner School's social activities are free or very cheap. For example:

- Pub nights: enjoy a drink at the local pub with friends. (Over 18s).
- London Walk: a guided walk around an undiscovered part of London.
- Museum/Art Gallery visits.

Examples of our paid excursions & activities:

- Hampton Court Palace – visit Henry VIII's favourite residence!
- Chelsea Football Stadium Tour - home to one of the UK's favourite football teams.
- Wimbledon Tennis Championships (June/July) for a once-in-a-lifetime experience! Tickets are often available for those who are prepared to queue.
- Traditional English afternoon tea at the historical Cannizaro House on Wimbledon Common.
- A trip to the coast: Brighton.



For costs see our website. Weekend out-of-London excursions are also available and arranged by an agency.

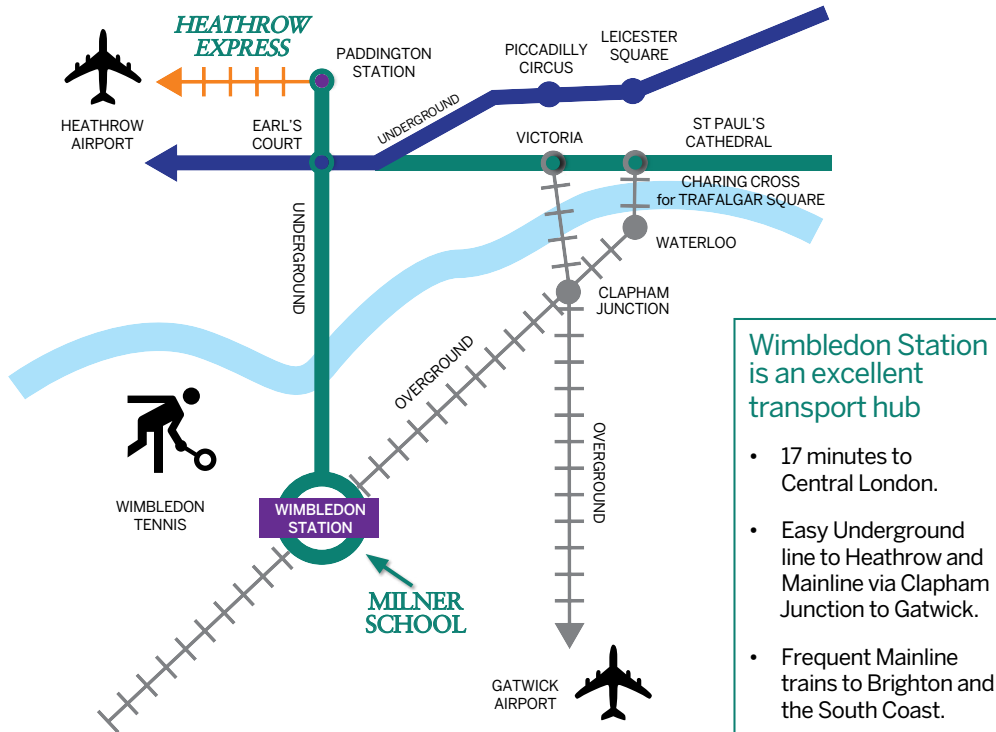
16 & 17 year old students are encouraged to participate fully in school activities and social events but are only supervised during lessons.

See our Under 18's policy on our website.

For group bookings, Milner School reserves the right to accept students into adult classes who may be 15 years of age.

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