

Welcome to Torquay International School

Founded 1972

Courses in General English and English for Business and Professional Purposes are available all year round. Our 'students' are aged 16 to 80 and come from over 65 countries. The TIS team are dedicated to making your stay with us profitable, memorable and enjoyable.

TIS is only a few minutes from Torquay town centre. The elegant school building is surrounded by large gardens, sun deck and volley ball court. We believe passionately in the quality of our school, our courses, our accommodation and our service.

Our facilities, resources and services include:

- English Language Courses for everyone
- A varied Social Programme for all ages
- Homestay accommodation
- Self-catering flats with free WIFI (3 minutes walk)
- Club TIS Hotel with free WIFI (opposite the school)
- 19 classrooms
- Self Access / Internet Centre
- Free WIFI throughout the school
- Student lounge with wide-screen TV and DVD
- Audio/video equipment and Laptops
- An extensive range of textbooks and materials
- Bookshop
- Snack Lunches or lunch in the Club TIS Café
- Reception office with welfare and travel services



- Gardens with Barbecue and Volley Ball court
- Terrace and Sun Deck

About Torquay and the English Riviera

With 35 kilometres of spectacular coastline and seven hills, Torquay on the English Riviera is a vibrant and cosmopolitan resort. Palm trees, sandy beaches, rocky coves, the picturesque harbour and international yachting marina make this an ideal place for study and leisure.



The crime-writer Agatha Christie was born and lived many years in Torquay and retired close by. You will be able to visit the dramatic caves of the most famous Stone Age settlement in Britain, see the influences of the Napoleonic Wars or explore the English Riviera - the world's only Urban Geopark. In addition to the beautiful scenery there are many attractions and facilities to suit all age groups.



Our Social Manager can help you visit all this and more!
With the mildest climate in Britain, Torquay is a great destination all year round.

www.englishriviera.co.uk



Torquay is easy to access from London Heathrow, Bristol, Plymouth and Exeter Airports. Frequent bus and train services from the airports make it easy to get here. Plymouth has the nearest ferry and it's easy to get here by car from Portsmouth and other South coast ports.

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English for Business & Professional Purposes

Learn English on the
English Riviera

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ENGLISH UK**



English for Business and Professional Purposes

www.tisenglish.co.uk/business-professional-courses

The first TIS Business English Courses were created in 1972. Since then we have developed a whole range of courses and an experienced team of teaching professionals ideally suited to helping with the cultural and linguistic needs of our business and professional clients. We recognise that time and money place many restraints on training budgets and so our programmes are aimed at helping clients develop their language skills and confidence as quickly as possible.

- **Age range and suitability:** From 23, but in reality most clients are aged 30 to 55.
- **Join a teacher** for lunch on weekdays
- **Two evening social activities or business talks** are included each week as part of the course programme
- **Levels:** An online Placement Test and Needs Analysis is sent to everyone in advance
- **Detailed programmes** at www.tisenglish.co.uk/downloads

INTENSIVE BUSINESS ENGLISH

30 hours tuition per week

- **Morning sessions** focus on general English - maximum 4 per class
- Afternoon sessions focus on Communicative Business and Professional English - **maximum 4 per class**
- Level: From B1 to C1 - Pre-intermediate to Advanced
- Course duration: 1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks
- Commencement dates: Every Monday

BUSINESS AND GENERAL ENGLISH

30 hours tuition per week

- **Morning sessions** focus on general English - maximum 10 per class (12 in July and August)
- Afternoon sessions focus on communicative Business and Professional English - **maximum 4 per class**
- Level: From B1 to C1 - Pre-intermediate to Advanced
- Course duration: 1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks
- Commencement dates: Every Monday

THE COMBINATION COURSES

30 hours tuition per week in

- **Business English or English for International Banking & Finance**
- 3 hours 1-1 tuition each morning and 3 hours group tuition in Business English in the afternoon (**maximum 4 per class**) from Monday to Friday.
- Morning 1-1 tuition focuses on English for Business or International Banking & Finance
- Afternoon classes (**maximum 4 per class**) focus on communicative English for Business & Professional Purposes
- Level: From B2 to C1 - Good Pre-intermediate to Advanced
- Course duration: 1 or 2 weeks
- Commencement dates: Every Monday

PERSONAL INTENSIVE COURSE

- **1-1 tuition, mornings only or full-days**
- 20, 25, 30, 35 or 40 x 45 minute lessons per week
- 1-1 lessons tailor-made to suit specific needs
- Level: All levels from A1 to C2 - Beginner to Advanced/Proficiency
- Course duration: 1, 2, 3, 4 weeks or longer
- Commencement dates: Every Monday

INTENSIVE ENGLISH PLUS

15 hours General English tuition per week

- **Morning courses** 0840 to 1200 - focus on general English
- **Maximum 4 per class**
- Level: B1 to C1 Pre-Intermediate to Advanced
- Course duration: 1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks
- Commencement dates: Every Monday

BUSINESS ENGLISH AFTERNOON GROUP

15 hours tuition per week

- **Afternoon sessions** focus on communicative Business language
- **Maximum 4 per class**
- Level: B1 to C1 Pre-Intermediate to Advanced
- Course duration: 1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks
- Commencement dates: Every Monday



TIS Social Programme

Our Social Manager organises an interesting and varied Social Programme throughout the year. There is something to suit all age Groups. Visit www.tisenglish.co.uk/tis-social-programmes/

Visit www.tisenglish.co.uk/general-english-examinations for information on the General English Language Courses at TIS

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Local Sales Office:

Club TIS - our own Hotel opposite the School

Club TIS is a cosy bed and breakfast hotel. All bedrooms (some with sea-view) have en-suite bath/shower rooms and free WIFI. A study room with computer and internet is available for private study and there is a small guest kitchen for preparing simple evening meals. Delicious home-cooked lunches are served in the Club TIS Café on weekdays. Outside is a south-facing sun-terrace and garden which is ideal for relaxing with a cold beer, glass of wine or a soft drink at the end of the day.



Living in a Homestay is a good way to make the most of your stay with us. Homestays represent good value for money and give you the opportunity to experience the English way of life and continue using your English at the end of the school day. You will eat well, feel at home and have a memorable experience.



5 star Homestay

- 4 Star Homestays offer single bedrooms with private bathroom
- 5 Star Homestays have de-luxe accommodation and single bedrooms with private bathroom

Self Catering Apartments offer independence and privacy whether you wish to be on your own, in a flat-share or with your family or friends for a holiday. TIS has **3 comfortable and modern self-catering flats all with free WIFI.**

- Rosa - A deluxe flat with views across the harbour and 15 minutes on foot to the school
- Cedar Apartments - just 3 minutes on foot to the school, each flat has 2 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms



Rosa Living Room

www.tisenglish.co.uk/accommodation