Leicester College

English GCSE Adult Evening

Course Overview

This is a fast-paced, intensive evening course for adults (19+) who have not previously achieved an $A^* - C$ grade (or grade 9-4) in GCSE English.

You will need to be motivated and willing to conduct independent study to give yourself the best chance of success. You will have access to our virtual learning environment (Moodle) for resources and learning materials to support your studies, and your tutor will provide you with a detailed course handbook at the start of the course.

This is an evening class on Monday evenings (5.45pm to 8.45pm) from September to June at our Abbey Park campus.

What you will learn

You will learn to develop your reading, writing and communication skills. You will read a wide range of extracts from 19th century fiction and 20th and 21st century non-fiction texts, and develop the skills to critically analyse, evaluate and make comparisons between texts. For writing, you will explore the language and style of a variety of text types, including imaginative writing, letters, articles, reports and travel writing. You will also develop the skills to present a short topic to the class. Please see the specification for Edexcel GCSE English Language (9-1) for further details. $\mbox{ch} / \mbox{ch} / \mbox{ch}$

Entry Requirements

This is an adult evening course; you must be 19 before the 31st August in the year you apply. You cannot have previously achieved an A^*-C grade (or grade 4 or above) in GCSE English Language; please check your eligibility before applying.
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Course Fees

Stationery and textbooks to help you manage your learning.
br /> There will be a £10 material fee for this course.

Course Progession

Achieving a GCSE English Language level 4/5 or higher (C grade or higher) will increase your opportunities to apply for a range of jobs and further courses. GCSE English level 4/5 is a requirement for most higher education (University) courses, as well as our level 3 Access to Higher Education Diplomas.

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What Happens Next

Apply online via the College website. You will be contacted to come into college if required, or you will be sent a conditional offer according to the entry requirements for the course. You will then be invited in to have an assessment and enrol for your chosen course of study. For enrol and pay courses: Once you have decided to take the course, you need to fill in a short student details form online and pay the course fee. Once you have done this, you will receive an electronic confirmation of enrolment and payment.

Course Details

Course Code P00375

Start Date 15/09/2026

Study Hours Part Time

Duration 1 year

Campus Abbey Park Campus

Level 2

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