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**Summer is coming!!**

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**Time flies when you are having fun 😊 (Idiom: time appears to pass more quickly when you are doing something you enjoy)** and that is certainly the case for us.

It's hard to believe that summer will be here soon; only 3 more weeks until we're there.



Spring has been a busy time for us and **the end** of our spring evening classes **is in sight**.

**(Idiom: something will soon be ending.)**

Our commitment to providing exceptional ESL instruction however, is unending.

We will continue to do what we do best and hope many of you will join us.

Most programs slow down in the summer and so will we but not too much: 😊

Private one on one lessons are still available and we will be offering a special beginner class for those interested.

### **8 week ESL Summer Beginner Class**

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7pm - 8:30pm

**July 27 - September 16**

**\$200 (NO GST)**

Registration is open but ends soon - register **as soon as possible** if you or someone you know wants to join this class!

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 **CELPIP**

OR

**IELTS™**

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That is an important question!

Whichever you decide on, we are here to help.

Both of these English exams are challenging and require a good amount of study and preparation.

**Don't wait until the last minute.**

**(Idiom: don't wait to do something until it is almost too late)**

Many people wait too long and get very disappointed when they realize how much work it is to prepare for either exam.

If you know of anyone that is going into Grade 11 and plans to go to university or college, tell them that NOW is the time to start planning for IELTS!!

Contact us if you have any questions about CELPIP or IELTS or need our help to pass these exams.

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## **Some tips to learn English**

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### **Do you want to learn English faster?**

Here are some tips on how to do that:

#### **Set goals:**

Think about your goals; why you want to study English, how important it is to you and how successful you want to be. Then make a plan on how you want to achieve these goals.

#### **Find a good teacher:**

Finding a good teacher that you like and have a good connection with is important. Look for someone that is positive and encouraging, someone who LOVES teaching the English language!!

#### **Study:**

Commit at least 10 minutes a day to studying English. Remember: **slow and steady wins the race!** (Idiom: sometimes a more consistent approach, even if it is slower, can be ideal and give better results.)

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### **Practice, Practice, Practice!!**

Don't stop practicing your English. Watch movies, listen to the radio, find a speaking partner. Read as much as you can. Read everything out loud!! This is how you practice your speaking even if you are alone.

Before you go to bed, stand in front of the mirror and talk to your reflection about your day. 😊

### **Listen to your teacher's advice:**

A good teacher can only help those that are willing to help themselves!! This means that language learning is a collaboration between a teacher and a student.

### **Stay positive and don't give in to frustration**

English can be frustrating! Crazy spelling of words and countless exceptions to rules. Don't let that discourage you! Have fun with it and don't get **bent out of shape** (Idiom: **get upset, angry or annoyed** 😡) about it.

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### **FUN FACT!**

**Did you know??**

The letter "a" doesn't appear in any number written out until "one thousand"!

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**And as always.....**

**Contact us with any questions or to register**

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