UNIVERSITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON





English Language
Summer and Winter Schools

2025

Intro

Welcome to the WLV Summer/ Winter School. This course is designed to give you an immersive English language experience you cannot get at home. With group work, lessons in cultural themes and a social programme that includes trips around the country, it's always a pleasure to see our students grow and leave more confident and capable global citizens ready for the opportunities that face them.

Why choose the University of Wolverhampton?

Accredited courses

Many of our courses lead students into full or partial professional accreditation.

Long and successful history

We've been providing opportunity and academic excellence for over 190 years.

QAA Commendation

We've been awarded a commendation – the highest accolade – in our most recent assessment by the Quality Assurance Agency.

Affordable city

Make your money go further compared to other cities in the UK^.

Great transport links

We are based in the heart of the UK.

90% graduate employability

What's more, 66% of our UK graduates are in highly-skilled roles[1]

Investment

We're continually investing millions of pounds to improve student life, from courses to computers.

World-leading research#

Our research has impact on your studies, and on real life.

^numbeo.com *Graduate Outcomes Survey, Class of 2020-21

More than half of our research submitted to the Research Excellence Framework 2021 was judged as internationally excellent (3) or world-leading (4).

[1] Graduate Outcomes 2023 or Graduate Outcomes, Class of 2020-21



The course

Our 2-week or 4-week courses include:

- Self-catered accommodation in halls of residence (private, en-suite bedroom with shared kitchen facilities), at either our Wolverhampton City Campus or Walsall Campus.
- Placement test on arrival
- 14 hours of English classes (per week)
- 4 hours of elective classes (per week)
- 1 national day trip & ½ day local trip (per week)
- Evening social programme
- End of course presentation
- Certificate and report on completion



English classes

- You will be in a class suitable for your level of English.
- Mixed gender classes.
- Classes focus on speaking and listening skills.
- Classes are lively and interesting.
- Highly trained and experienced teaching staff.
- Classes include culture-based lessons to develop intercultural skills.
- Group work develops your confidence and interpersonal skills along with language competency.
- You will also develop academic and presentation skills.



Elective subjects

Students enjoy using English to learn about subjects they have an interest in.
For this reason we run special elective classes on Monday and Tuesday afternoons, for example:

- **Art and design**: Visit art galleries, learn about art using English, and produce still life, collage, pop art and oil-based paintings.
- **Professional communications and media**: This elective combines fun classes in photography, learning English through music and stop motion animation with employability skills lessons in areas such as soft skills development, negotiation and group work.

- Special interest classes can be created for university groups of 13 or more.

+ See one week programme plan

Dates



- Winter Schools: offered in January and February: 2-week or 4-week stays available.
- Summer Schools: offered in July and August: 2-week or 4-week stays available.

One-week programme			
	Morning 10:00am - 13:00pm	**Afternoon** 14:00pm - 16:00pm	**Optional Activity** 18:00pm - 20:00pm
Monday	English Class	Elective Class	Film Night
Tuesday	English Class	Elective Class	Sports
Wednesday	Day trip to Cambridge	Day trip to Cambridge	
Thursday	English Class	Academic English	Group Meal
Friday	English Class	Half day trip to Birmingham	Social NIght



Social Programme

- Weekly trips to places such as: London, Cambridge, Liverpool, Stratford-upon-Avon and Warwick Castle.
- Local trips typically include: Shrewsbury, Birmingham, Ironbridge and Wolverhampton Wanderers' FC stadium tour.
- Evening social and sports activities such as: quiz nights, karaoke, parties and film night.



Explore

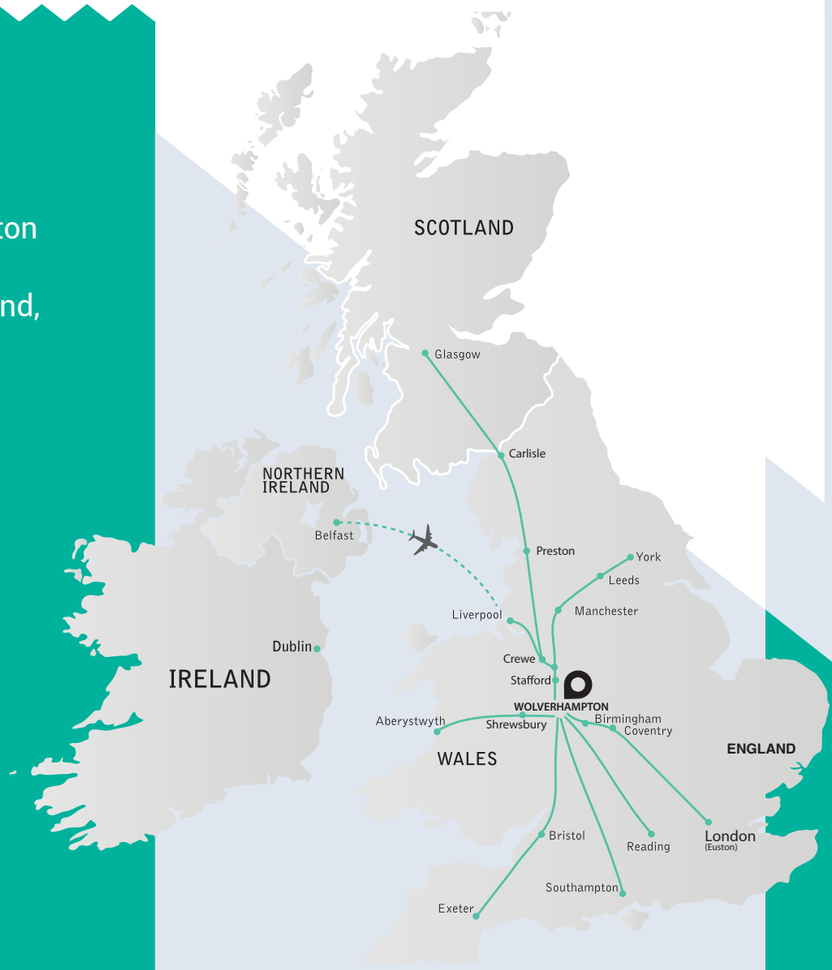
The University of Wolverhampton is in the centre of the UK, ideal to explore the nations of England, Wales, Scotland, and beyond.

By train:

- Birmingham – 20 minutes
- Manchester and Liverpool – 1 hour 20 minutes
- London - 1 hour 40 minutes
- Edinburgh – 4 hours 30 minutes
- Birmingham Airport - 40 minutes

By plane:

Paris, Amsterdam, Berlin and Barcelona all less than 2 hours' away.



Accommodation

Students typically stay in university-owned halls of residence a short walk from classes.

Our Summer School is based at our Wolverhampton City Campus, with student accommodation a short walk to the university, city centre and train station.

Our Winter School student accommodation is provided at both Wolverhampton City Campus, and Walsall Campus, which has student accommodation on-site.

Accommodation includes:

- Private room with en-suite bathroom
- Single bed with bed linen
- Wi-Fi access
- Shared, fully-furnished kitchen (including cookware and cutlery) and living areas
- Five students per kitchen
- Use of self-service laundry facilities
- 24-hour, on-campus security

You may choose to prepare all your meals yourself. Alternatively there are many independent food outlets available in town to buy meals, or you can buy breakfast and lunch on-campus at one our university catering outlets.



How to apply

For further information, including up-to-date course dates, visit: **wlv.ac.uk/summer-and-winter-schools**

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