



INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOLS 2024

Study at the World's University this summer

Explore the unique range of modules available this year, with credit-bearing and English language elements available

ACADEMIC SUMMER SCHOOL

Credit-bearing academic courses

This programme offers students an invaluable insight into student life in London, studying real-life modules from SOAS's unique global curriculum whilst also having the opportunity to gain credit as you study.

Entry Requirements

Applicants should have completed at least a year of undergraduate study with good academic standing. Please see our English language requirements for further details.

Dates

Session 1: 24 June - 12 July

Session 2: 15 July - 2 August

Application deadline: 31st May

Fees

£2,200 + £50 application fee

Courses available:

- Japanese Art and Visual Culture (Session 1)*
- Persian (Session 1)*
- Green Finance (Session 2)*



IFCELS

International Foundation Courses and English Language Studies

This programme prepares international students for degree study at SOAS, offering courses designed to specifically improve academic English language skills and subject courses across a variety of disciplines.

Entry Requirements

Students must be at least 18 years of age and it is recommended to hold the following English language qualifications:

*Academic subject course - intermediate
(IELTS 5.5.)*

*English language skills - lower
intermediate (IELTS 4.5)*

*Intensive Academic English - (IELTS 5.0 in
each skill)*

Fees

3 weeks (1 block) - £2,200

6 weeks (2 blocks) - £3,960

9 weeks (3 blocks) - £5,940

Courses available:

- Art of the World in London*
- International Relations*
- Intensive Academic English*
- Introduction to the Media*
- Environment, Development and Changing World View*
- Global Business Strategy*
- English Language Skills*
- World Literature in London*

Application deadlines

Block 1: 10 June

Block 2: 1 July

Block 3: 22 July

IFCELS

Course type	Block 1: 8 July - 26 July		Block 2: 29 July - 16 August	Block 3: 19 August - 6 September
Language courses	English Language Skills		English Language Skills	English Language Skills
			Intensive Academic English (6 weeks - ends 6 September)	Intensive Academic English (6 weeks - ends 6 September)
Subject courses (with English language support)	Art of the World in London		World Literature in London	Introduction to the Media
	Global Business Strategy		Environment, Development and Changing World Views	International Relations

Social Programme

Alongside your studies, you'll have the chance to take part in a range of fun activities and events designed to help you grow your network and explore London. From boat trips to walking tours, dinners in top London restaurants to museum trips, you'll immerse yourself into London student life.

Accommodation

Students are welcome to make their own accommodation arrangements, or may wish to consider staying within university accommodation. If this is of interest, please be sure to indicate this within your application.

Apply

If you would like to apply, learn more about our courses, or have any questions, please contact us at summerschoolesoas.ac.uk.

English Language Skills

This is a 3-week academic English course for students from pre-intermediate level and upwards. It focusses on strengthening the main English language skills (reading, writing, speaking and listening) within a university context. Students will also expand both general and academic vocabulary, as well as developing greater confidence in communicating effectively in English in the classroom.

Classes take place everyday from Monday - Friday, and are led by two English for Academic Purposes specialists who target literacy (reading and writing) and oracy (listening and speaking).

This course would be particularly beneficial for students currently taking degrees in their home countries, in addition to those thinking about future university study in the UK.

To get the most from the course we recommend that students have at least a pre-intermediate level of English, i.e. IELTS 4.5 overall or equivalent

Key skills taught will include:

- The basic structure and style of an academic essay.
- How to read texts more quickly and more critically, and how to use their ideas in written and oral arguments.
- What to listen out for in lectures and how to take more effective notes.
- How to participate more confidently in group discussion work.
- Improving accuracy in speaking and writing.
- Using a wider range of vocabulary to express your views more clearly.
- Giving formal presentations