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ESOL (ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES)

Welcome to ESOL at Barnet and Southgate College!

Before you join your class, here is some information to help you get started with learning English.

Click on the links below to watch the video introductions from teachers.

[Welcome to Adult ESOL:](#)

[Welcome to Young ESOL:](#)

[Welcome to ESOL Vocational:](#)

How can I start studying?

- For helpful videos, games, grammar and vocabulary: [British Council - General English](#)
- For help with pronunciation, listening, the news, vocabulary and grammar: [BBC Learning English](#)
- For reading practice about the news: [Breaking News English](#)
- For help with writing, visit: [Cambridge English Write and Improve](#)
- For help with grammar download this free app onto your phone/computer: [British Council Learn English grammar](#)

Advice from our students:

‘Watch TV/movies in English and put English subtitles on so you can read and listen at the same time.’

‘Make sure you go out and speak English when you can. Start small with ‘Please, Thank you, How are you?’ and get more confident! Ask for a coffee, or talk at the school gates, or with your neighbours.’

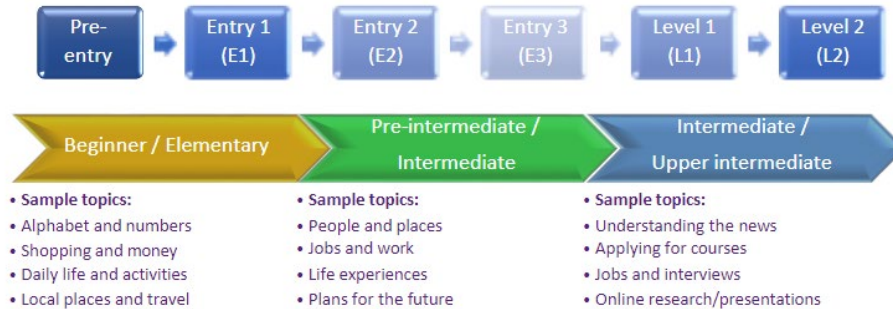
‘READ everything you see around you. Names of food, signs, magazines, news.’

‘Keep a notebook of new words you learn, or write them on your phone to practise.’



ESOL LEVELS

What are the ESOL levels?



WHAT EQUIPMENT DO I NEED?

- A4 lined paper
- A4 folder/ring binder
- Pens and pencils
- Student ID badge

HOW DO WE LEARN AT BSC?

- Ready- we are all on time, in class or online and ready to learn
- Respectful- we all listen, share ideas, ask questions and respect everyone, including people of all ages, nationalities, genders and sexuality.
- Safe- we understand the right to learn without fear and we will all help each other to keep everyone safe



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WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU.

