

# Welcome Pack



Upper  
Secondary Plus

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**Get ready  
for the  
real world.**

# **Your child's course**

**The health and safety of our students and teachers is important to us. We will resume classes face to face at our centres in line with government regulations. A reminder that in the event the situation changes, and we are instructed to suspend face-to-face classes in line with government guidelines, we will immediately move online.**

**Please click on the links below to access the parent and student guides**

**Online classes : Please click here to access the parent and student guide**

**Face to face classes : Please click here to access the parent and student guide**

**Secondary Plus is a modern and innovative English course unique to the British Council. The course content has been created by a team of experienced British Council teachers who know and understand the needs and wants of our teenage students.**

**Our Upper Secondary courses are designed to help students develop and enhance skills needed to use English confidently in different social settings. We emphasise skills required for higher education such as making presentations and writing. We believe that enabling students to express themselves confidently is important as they prepare for their future. Our older teenagers are strongly encouraged to take ownership of their learning through a variety of activities enhanced by project work and other guided tasks.**

**The course is designed to build students' confidence by developing speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills so that they become better communicators.**

The course is delivered in an exciting magazine style format.

Secondary Plus is more than an English language course. It consists of five key components.



Project based

During each module, students work on a variety of real-world tasks that build up to a final project with a real-life outcome.



Core life skills development

The course prepares teenagers for future life challenges



Independent learning

Learn to express opinions openly and think independently



Language skills development

During each module, students work on a variety of speaking, listening, reading and writing tasks to learn new language.



Real-world learning

Each module focuses on subjects that are relevant to teenagers and cover real-world topics that affect people on a global scale.

Live class  
2 hours 30 minutes

# An improved approach for a more rewarding experience

**Before**



Activities, quizzes and games to prepare for class and build reading, listening and vocabulary skills

At home

**During**



More time to communicate with your teacher and classmates, practise grammar and receive more personalised feedback from your teacher

In class

**After**



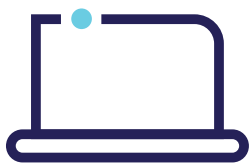
Reflect and review, track progress, identify areas for improvement and celebrate success

After class

# IT equipment that you will need for blended learning.

You will need the following equipment to take part in an online class.

Laptop or Desktop computer



Audio



Video



A good internet connection



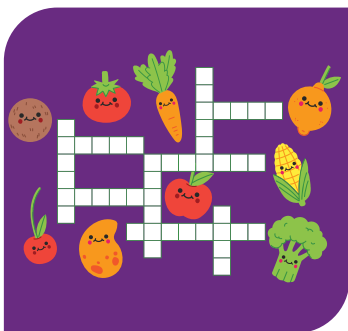
# Free activities

In addition to your child's course, we have optional fun activities exclusively for our Secondary learners.

## Speaking clubs



## Language games



## Fun quizzes



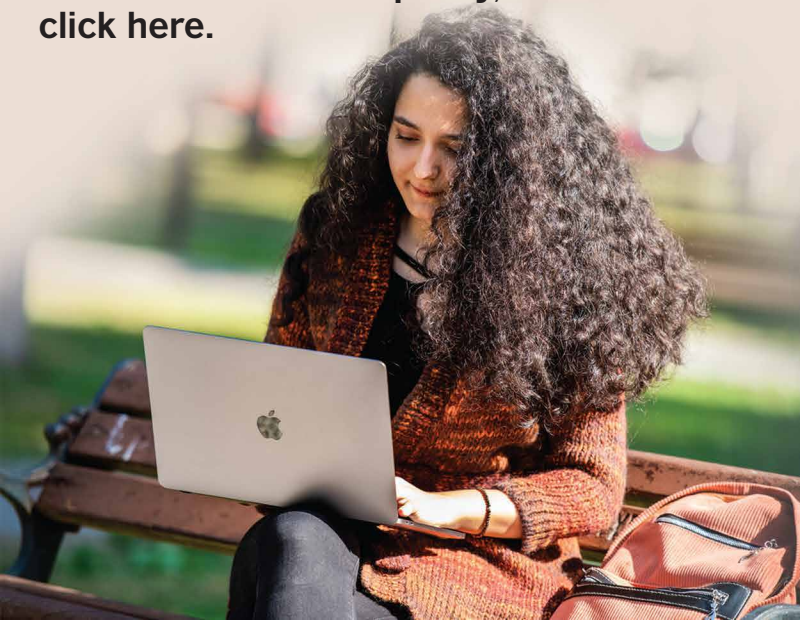
We will send regular updates during each term.

Value added calendar

# Child protection

**We believe that child protection requires everyone to take responsibility and that every child matters. Your child's safety is very important to us.**

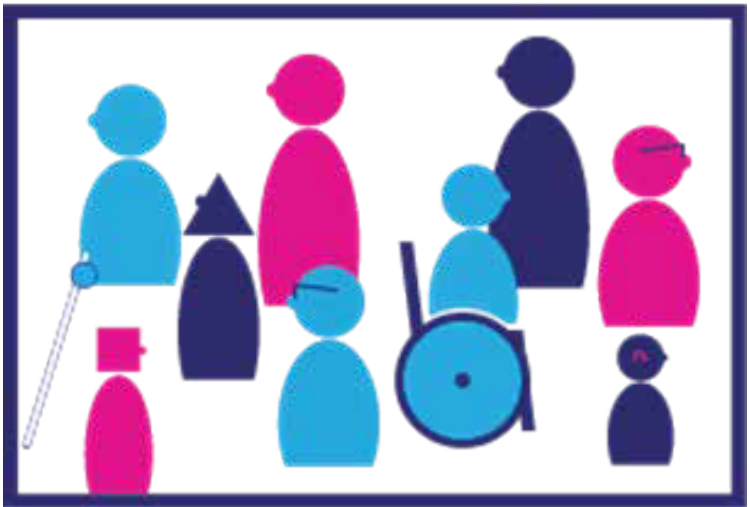
**To keep your child safe while they learn with us, we have worked with our global child protection team to put safeguarding measures in place. Please support us by reading through our code of conduct and parent guide. For further details on our Child Protection policy, [click here](#).**





# Our inclusion policy

Every child is important to us and we want them to feel comfortable and welcome in our classes. Please click here to view our inclusion policy on how we make our centres welcoming and easy to use for as many people as possible, especially people who are disabled or have special educational needs.



# Raising concerns

Please tell us if you see or experience behaviour or actions at the British Council which you feel:

- affect the safety of children or vulnerable adults
- may be fraudulent
- are harassment.

The British Council is working with Safecall to provide an independent and confidential way to report your concerns.

Safecall will take reports in confidence and you may remain anonymous if you wish.

Report online at  
[www.safecall.co.uk/report](http://www.safecall.co.uk/report)

**Our Customer Service team will be happy to help you with any further assistance you may need.**

**If you need any additional support, contact us on**

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