

English Language Entry Requirements for International Students

The Academy of Film, Theatre & Television’s (AFTT) core English proficiency requirement for international students is that they satisfy the minimum English test levels specified below. Alternatives are also listed below.

1. English Test Score Requirements

IELTS	Overall score of 5.5 with no single band score below 5.0
TOEFL	iBT: 59 overall; minimum 17 in Writing
Pearson English Test	PTE: 46
Cambridge English Test	CAE with no band below 162

2. Alternative Evidence: Pathway courses

Students may evidence successful completion of, or achieving a minimum standard, a pre-academic English courses delivered by one of AFTT’s pathway provider partners. Please contact us for more details about the courses required at each institution.

Ability Education

- ELS Universal English College
- Embassy English
- English Language Company
- Holmes English Language College
- ILSC Education Group
- International House Sydney
- Langports English Language College
- Macquarie Education Group Australia (MEGA)
- Navitas English

3. Alternative Evidence: Other

AFTT also recognizes the following as having satisfied the normal English proficiency requirements for admission to our courses:

- i. Completion of one year of full-time tertiary study in an English-speaking country or where the language of instruction was English
- ii. Completion of one year of full-time study in a tertiary education program in Australia where the minimum entry requirement was evidenced to be an overall IELTS band score of not less than 5.0 (or equivalent)

- iii. Completion of the final two years of senior high school in an English-speaking country or where the language of instruction was English
- iv. Program-specific alternatives. Please refer to the table below. These alternatives are reviewed at the time of application.

Program	English language requirements
GCE A Levels	C grade or better in the General Paper
International Baccalaureate (IB)	Completion of IB program where the language of instruction was in English OR where the language of instruction was not in English, completion of English A2 or A1