

# Get Ready for Functional Skills English

## Course overview

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Do you want an English qualification? Do you need to test your abilities before attempting the qualification course? Then this Get Ready for Functional Skills English is the course for you. It will prepare you for the accreditation and familiarise you with its content, level and expectation.

## What will I study?

You will study the following topics:

- Communicating clearly, effectively and imaginatively
- Organising information and ideas, using structural and grammatical features
- Recognising the role and function of non-fiction texts to inform/explain and argue/persuade
- Using imagery and descriptive techniques in writing
- Using grammar and punctuation correctly

## Assessment method

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Various assessment methods, including on-line and paper-based assessments, individual, group work and communication activities, and given feedback on your progress. Throughout the course you will also receive feedback from your tutor and learn the skills to self-reflect and evaluate your progress.

## Entry requirements

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You will need to complete an English introduction course to ensure this course is at a suitable level for your needs.

## What should I bring with me?

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You will need to take notes so bring along your preferred tools such as pen/paper or electronic device. An A4 ringbinder folder will also be essential.

## Key information

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This course will take place on site. In some unexpected situations, sessions may take place online via Microsoft Teams.

## Possible next steps

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Following the successful completion of this course, you will be supported to enrol on to the most suitable course for you.

## Contact us

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Our friendly staff can give you further advice and support.



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