

2027

BRISBANE PEP/ HSP

Primary English Preparation
(PEP) CRICOS: 107819A
High School Preparation
(HSP) CRICOS: 106230E



PEP

7 - 11 Years

PEP program provides a foundational academic framework for younger learners entering the Australian school system. The curriculum focuses on developing core literacy skills, including basic grammar structures, essential reading comprehension, and structured writing practice. Students engage with age-appropriate academic content to build the vocabulary and conceptual understanding necessary to participate confidently in primary school subjects such as science, mathematics, and humanities.

HSP

12 - 17 Years

HSP is an intensive academic program designed to mirror the demands of the Australian secondary curriculum. It develops proficiency in advanced academic English, with a strong emphasis on critical analysis, formal essay and report writing, and effective note-taking strategies. Students master research methodologies and deliver formal presentations, equipping them with the specific linguistic and cognitive skills required for success in high school examinations and subject-specific studies.

SHAFSTON ENGLISH LEVEL GUIDE

Beginner	Elementary	Pre-Intermediate	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate	Advanced	Proficiency
A1	A2	B1	B2	C1	C2	
PEP 1	PEP 2	PEP 3	PEP 4		EAP Advanced	EAP Advanced
HSP 1	HSP 2	HSP 3	HSP 4	HSP 5	HSP 6	

HSP ENTRY AND EXIT LEVEL

	PEP	HSP	LEVEL	ENTRY LEVEL	EXIT LEVEL	REMARK*	EQI**
Duration	1 - 40 weeks	1 - 40 weeks	HSP1	IELTS 3.0 or equiv.	IELTS 3.5 or equiv.	A successfully completed Shafston internal exam	NA
Ages	7 - 12	12 - 17	HSP2	IELTS 3.5 or equiv.	IELTS 4.0 or equiv.	A successfully completed A2+ KET exam for schools at Pass A	Year 6 & 8
Key Dates	Set Every Monday during week 1 - 9 of each term	Set Every Monday during week 1 - 9 of each term	HSP3	IELTS 4.0 or equiv.	IELTS 4.5 or equiv.	A successfully completed B1 PET exam for schools at Pass B	Year 9
Level	4 level - PEP1 to PEP4 (Each level is 10 weeks in duration)	6 level - HSP1 to HSP6 (Each level is 10 weeks in duration)	HSP4	IELTS 4.5 or equiv.	IELTS 5.0 or equiv.	A successfully completed B1 PET exam for schools at Pass A	Year 10
Entry Requirement	• English level of Elementary or above • Completion of the Shafston online pre-entry test	• English level of Elementary or above • An IELTS score, or completion of the Shafston online pre-entry test	HSP5	IELTS 5.0 or equiv.	IELTS 5.5 or equiv.	A successfully completed B2 FCE exam for schools at Pass C	Year 11
			HSP6	IELTS 5.5 or equiv.	IELTS 6.0+ or equiv.	A successfully completed B2 FCE exam for schools at Pass B for IELTS 6.0 or equiv. or B2 FCE exam for schools at Pass A for IELTS 6.5 or equiv. or	-

**SHAFSTON**

RTO Code: 45674 CICOS Code: 03917H

**Campus**

Brisbane

**Program Dates**

Term 1: 11 Jan to 19 Mar 2027

Term 2: 19 Apr to 25 Jun 2027

Term 3: 12 Jul to 17 Sep 2027

Term 4: 4 Oct to 10 Dec 2027

**Fees**

- Application fee: \$300
- PEP : \$600/week
- HSP : \$550/week
- Learning materials: \$150
(for the first 3 weeks, then \$18/week from Week 4 to Week 30)

**Homestay Fee**

- Placement fee: \$340 p.p
- Extra care/ Single: \$910/week (\$130 per night)
- Extra care/ Twin: \$700/week (\$100 per night)
- Full Board/ Single: \$497/week (\$71 per night)
- Full Board/ Twin: \$406/week (\$58 per night)

Full Board: 3 meals/day everyday

Extra care: 3 meals/day everyday, transport to and from college, Laundry.

**Airport pick up & drop off (per person one way)**

- Standard ARR or DEP: \$220
- UM (Unaccompanied Minor) Service: \$20
- Oversized/ Extra luggage surcharge: \$30/item
- Flight time change: \$50
- Overnight flight (10pm-6am): \$50
- Australian public holiday flight: \$100
- Rush booking (within 48 hours)

**PEP SAMPLE TIMETABLE**

Time	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
8:30 - 10:00 Teaching Session 1 (1.5h)	Math - Multi-step word problems with addition, multiplication, subtraction, division	Grammar - Tag questions	STEAM - Watch Behind The News	Speaking - Conversation Cards	Reading - Space Exploration - Preparing for Space
10:00 - 10:15			Morning Break		
10:15 - 11:45 Teaching Session 2 (1.5h)	Reading - Book - Back to Earth with a Bump	Listening - Comprehension, Story - Read and act out	Vocabulary - Will and Going to Future, Adventurous words	Writing - What happens next - The First Splash in Space - Writing	Health - Why is exercise important?
11:45 - 12:30			Lunch Break		
12:30 - 13:30 Teaching Session 3 (1h)	Science Vocabulary - Space - How do Astronauts eat, sleep and shower	Writing - Space themed writing prompts - Narrative	Reading - First Man on the Moon - Reading Comprehension	Listening - Comprehension and Strategy	Physical Activities - Badminton

HSP SAMPLE TIMETABLE

Time	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
8:30 - 10:00 Teaching Session 1 (1.5h)	Factfile Video and Vocabulary Building	Grammar - Rules and Contexts	STEAM - 21st Century Skills	History/Civics	Social Communication Skills - Speaking Activities
10:00 - 10:15			Morning Break		
10:15 - 11:45 Teaching Session 2 (1.5h)	Speaking Practice + Vocabulary	Grammar - Applied Communication	Grammar Practice	Literature/ Creative Writing	Workbook Activities - Week 1 Unit Test - Week 2
11:45 - 12:30			Lunch Break		
12:30 - 13:30 Teaching Session 3 (1h)	Reading Comprehension	Critical Thinking Project - Student Presentations	Writing Strategy + Workshop	Listening - Comprehension and Strategy	Social Sports in the Park