

General English Online for Juniors! 13-17 yrs only

15 hours/week of morning classes (two classes per day, **09:00-12:30**

GMT, Monday-Friday);

or 15 hours/week of afternoon classes (two classes per day, **14:00-17:30 GMT**, Monday-Friday)

Levels

When you have booked your course, we will send you a one-hour English placement test, so we can decide the best level for you. We have online classes from **Elementary – Advanced** (minimum numbers apply). You will use our original IH Bristol juniors weekly booklets, available at all these levels.

Aims

Our Junior General English online courses help students improve all their skills (speaking, listening, reading and writing), plus learn the grammar, vocabulary and cultural knowledge necessary for using English in an international context. Each week, you will receive a **one-week IH Bristol booklet** (by email, Dropbox, etc) which contains all your lessons for the week! You will have a short homework each day. We use games, quizzes, interactive tasks & interesting topics to make sure you have fun and learn a lot at the same time! 😊

The syllabus

Each course has a flexible syllabus to allow students to join on any Monday. Here is a list of some example areas we cover and things we often do in each area:

<i>Language area</i>	<i>Examples</i>
<u>topics</u>	technology, life in the UK, health, going out, music, personality
<u>online class activities</u>	online games, breakout rooms, screen-share & present, video clips
<u>grammar</u>	tenses and verb structures, conditionals, modal verbs, determiners
<u>vocabulary</u>	collocations (words which naturally go together), phrases, idioms
<u>pronunciation</u>	word stress, difficult sounds, natural pronunciation and phonology for listening
<u>the four skills</u>	reading, writing, speaking & listening, to improve your communication skills
<u>effective communication</u>	formal/informal language and politeness, linking sentences together in texts
<u>functional language</u>	agreeing/disagreeing, giving advice, giving opinions, suggesting

The classes

There are two 90-minute classes per day, making 15 hours per week. Each class has a maximum of 16 students. You will normally have two different teachers each week. The two classes have a different focus:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Focus</i>
Class 1	90 minutes, with a 5-minute break	We cover speaking, listening, reading, writing, vocabulary and grammar based on one topic-based lesson from your junior class booklet. Every morning the first morning teacher also teaches you the Phrase of the Day , to help you sound natural.
Class 2	90 minutes, with a 5-minute break	We cover speaking, listening, reading, writing, vocabulary and grammar based on another topic-based lesson from your junior class booklet.

Other features of our online General English Junior courses include:

1. weekly topic-based booklet shared with you so you can print this at home for your lessons
2. at least ten pieces of language per class (on average) to help you improve your English
3. free access to our online grammar, vocabulary and useful expressions!

<https://www.ihbristol.com/free-english-exercises/> ; <https://www.ihbristol.com/useful-english-expressions/>

