

ONLINE ACADEMIC COURSES

"Etherton Education is excited to announce our innovative new online education courses. We have been helping international students prepare for UK education for the last 18 years. Etherton Online contains the same levels of individual care and personal attention, delivered directly to students wherever they are in the world."

Alan Etherton, Director of Etherton Online



Student Working Offline

Etherton Online Courses are designed for students who:

- Are interested in coming to study at a British Boarding School, or
- Will be starting GCSEs or A-Levels at an international school, or
- Are interested in improving their academic English

Etherton Online Courses are available for two or four weeks, with the following dates and prices:

Pre-GCSE Online Courses, for Students aged 13 – 16 years

Course Code	Weeks	Dates	Prices (GBP)
GO2A	Two	03 - 16 August 2020	£1,400
GO2B	Two	17 - 30 August 2020	£1,400
GO4	Four	03 - 30 August 2020	£2,800

Pre-A-Level Online Courses, for Students aged 14 – 17 years

Course Code	Weeks	Dates	Prices (GBP)
AO2A	Two	03 - 16 August 2020	£1,400
AO2B	Two	17 - 30 August 2020	£1,400
AO4	Four	03 - 30 August 2020	£2,800

COURSE CONTENT

There will be 30 hours of learning per week:

- 18 hours of live online lessons with experienced British staff
- 12 hours of offline, monitored and assessed study

The maximum amount of teaching per day will be:

- 3 hours
- 6 days per week

The maximum class size for live teaching will be:

- 8 students per teacher, average will be 6
- Some extra presentations may have larger groups

Tutorials

Students will have individual one-to-one tutorials of 15 minutes, once a week, with a member of our staff. These will be scheduled individually.

In English lessons and classes with our Student Hosts, students will also:

- Learn about life in British Boarding Schools
- Go on virtual trips to exciting places in England
- Meet real British people for conversation practice



Social English with our Student Hosts

THE ETHERTON STYLE OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

"We find that many students have studied English in their home countries but they have never practised speaking English in real life. They feel very shy and embarrassed. Our courses will help students to get over that feeling, and to speak English with confidence!"

Peter Etherton, Director of Etherton Education

In our **online teaching**, our students will have many opportunities to speak English in lessons. We encourage them to ask questions and express their opinions. Students will work together with other students in pairs and small groups, to develop their language skills and their confidence.

Our Teachers are all **qualified, subject specialists and native speakers of English**. Our Student Hosts are British students who are currently studying at university or who have just graduated. They are friendly and their aim is to encourage students to speak English, and enjoy their studies.



Peter with a Former Student

SAMPLE TIMETABLES

Pre-GCSE Online Courses, for Students aged 13 – 16 years						
UK Time (BST)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8am - 9am	English	Physics	History	English	Biology	Geography
9am - 10am	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
10am - 11am	Chemistry	English	Chemistry	Physics	English	Student Host Time
11am - 12 noon	Student Host Time	Student Host Time	English	Student Host Time	Student Host Time	English
12 noon to 8am (following day)	Student to complete homework set British Teacher marks work and sends feedback Student to download and complete offline work ready for tomorrow					

The 18 hours of live teaching per week on the Pre-GCSE Course will consist of:

- English Language – 6 hours
- Physics – 2 hours
- Chemistry – 2 hours
- Biology – 1 hour
- Geography – 1 hour
- History – 1 hour
- English conversation with Student Hosts – 5 hours

Pre-A-Level Online Courses, for Students aged 14 – 17 years						
UK Time (BST)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8am - 9am	English	Business / Economics	Physics	Student Host Time	English	Maths
9am - 10am	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
10am - 11am	Physics	English	Student Host Time	English	Business / Economics	Student Host Time
11am - 12 noon	Maths	Chemistry	English	Chemistry	Student Host Time	English
12 noon to 8am (following day)	Student to complete homework set British Teacher marks work and sends feedback Student to download and complete offline work ready for tomorrow					

The 18 hours of live teaching per week on the Pre-GCSE Course will consist of:

- English Language – 6 hours
- Four Chosen Subjects – 8 hours (2 hours per chosen subject)
- English conversation with Student Hosts – 4 hours
- The Subject Choice Options Are:
Maths, Physics,
Chemistry, Biology,
Business / Economics

APPLICATION

To apply, please visit:

www.ethertononline.com

On application we will send out a set of course rules and a code of conduct to be signed.

Students must follow the course rules and the code of conduct in order to participate fully on the course. In live lessons and interactions, students will be required to have their camera switched on at all times for best communication.

Minimum English Level Required:

A2 to C2 for both courses.

Certificate and Academic Reports:

All students will receive a Certificate and an Academic Report at the end of their courses.



Live Lessons with British Teacher

WHY CHOOSE AN ETHERTON ONLINE COURSE?

- ✓ Students will learn about British Boarding Schools and meet staff from our 160 partner schools
- ✓ Personal academic support from experienced and caring teachers and staff
- ✓ Meet real British students for socialising and practising English online
- ✓ Easy access to our bespoke **Etherton Online** learning platform
- ✓ 18 hours of live teaching per week
- ✓ The chance to be part of an exceptional group of students, preparing to join some of the best schools in the UK and around the world



Live Online Teaching