

King's College London Pre-sessional Entry Requirements

**For applicants who will require a secure English language test (SELT)**

**IELTS Academic (UKVI)**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6-week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	7.5	7	7	7	7	6.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6	7.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
<b>B</b>	7	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6
<b>C</b>	7	6.5	6.5	6	6	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6
<b>D</b>	6.5	6	6	6	6	5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5

**PTE Academic (UKVI)**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6-week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	75	69	69	69	69	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59	69	62	62	62	62
<b>B</b>	69	62	62	62	62	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59
<b>C</b>	69	62	62	59	59	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59
<b>D</b>	62	59	59	59	59	46	39	39	39	39	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54

King's College London Pre-sessional Entry Requirements

**For applicants who do not require a secure English language test (SELT)**

**IELTS (Academic/Online)**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6-week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	7.5	7	7	7	7	6.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6	7.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
<b>B</b>	7	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6
<b>C</b>	7	6.5	6.5	6	6	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	6.5	6	6	6	6
<b>D</b>	6.5	6	6	6	6	5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	5.5	5	5	5	5	6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5

**TOEFL (iBT/Home Edition)**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6-week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	109	27	25	25	25	80	20	20	20	20	92	23	20	20	20	100	25	23	23	23
<b>B</b>	100	25	23	23	23	72	17	17	15	15	80	20	20	20	20	92	23	20	20	20
<b>C</b>	100	25	23	20	20	72	17	17	15	15	80	20	20	20	20	92	23	20	20	20
<b>D</b>	92	23	20	20	20	60	14	14	11	11	72	17	17	15	15	80	20	20	20	20

King's College London Pre-sessional Entry Requirements

**For applicants who do not require a secure English language test (SELT)**

**PTE Academic**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11-week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6-week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	75	69	69	69	69	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59	69	62	62	62	62
<b>B</b>	69	62	62	62	62	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59
<b>C</b>	69	62	62	62	62	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54	62	59	59	59	59
<b>D</b>	62	59	59	59	59	46	39	39	39	39	54	46	46	46	46	59	54	54	54	54

**Cambridge CAE (see footnote on CPE)**

	Requirements for Direct Entry					Minimum entry requirements for the 16 week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 11 week Pre-sessional					Minimum entry requirements for the 6 week Pre-sessional				
ELR Band required for Direct Entry	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L	Overall	W	R	S	L
<b>A</b>	191	185	185	185	185	169	160	160	160	160	176	169	169	169	169	185	176	176	176	176
<b>B</b>	185	176	176	176	176	162	154	154	154	154	169	160	160	160	160	176	169	169	169	169
<b>C</b>	185	176	176	169	169	162	154	154	154	154	169	160	160	160	160	176	169	169	169	169
<b>D</b>	176	169	169	169	169	154	148	148	148	148	162	154	154	154	154	169	160	160	160	160

CPE scores are reported on the Cambridge scale from 162 upwards on a Statement of results. However, a formal certificate is issued only for scores above 180 (CEFRE level C1) and then passing Grades A, B, and C. CPE scores can therefore be used for direct entry only on courses which require 180+ on the Cambridge scale. A 176 sub-test score is only accepted with a CAE. Direct entry onto these courses is possible with the CPE if the sub-tests scores are also at 180+ on the Cambridge scale.  
Where IELTS 5.0 is required, only a high scoring CAE equivalent is accepted because the CAE only tests to the bottom B2 (CEFR). This is reported on the certificate as 160 points on the Cambridge scale.