

Conditions of enrolment 2012

All enrolments are subject to these conditions, which become legally binding on confirmation of acceptance by Anglo-Continental, and to the age limitations and arrangements specified in Anglo-Continental's official publications.

The enrolled student intends and is able to follow and complete the course of study at Anglo-Continental and declares that he/she shall abide by all current UK laws and leave the United Kingdom at the end of his/her studies.

Anglo-Continental reserves the right to withhold confirmation of an enrolment, at its discretion, if such action is deemed necessary in the interests of the student or the school.

Fees

The fees for courses and accommodation are valid from 1 January to 31 December each year. The fees for the following year are normally published in July/August.

The fees must be received in full by Anglo-Continental not later than two weeks before course commencement. Course fees are calculated in complete weeks, and any part of a week is counted as a full week.

No compensation, fee reductions, refunds, credit, additional lessons or extension of the course can be given for:

- services or facilities included in the fees and not used;
- late entry to or absence or early departure from a course without formal curtailment;
- lessons replaced by testing, class allocation procedures or the sightseeing tour on course entry dates;
- days when schools are closed because of official holidays.

Any refunds which are approved can only be made by the office or Representative to whom the fees were originally paid. Anglo-Continental reserves the right to make fee adjustments as a result of changes in exchange rates or statutory taxes without prior notice.

Visas

If you require a visa, it is your responsibility to ensure that you apply for the correct type of visa to allow you to study at Anglo-Continental for the entire period of your course(s). You must ensure that all details on your confirmation documents (including the visa letter or the Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies) issued by Anglo-Continental are correct before you apply for your visa. Anglo-Continental cannot be held liable for any errors that occur during the visa application process. It is also your responsibility to continue to maintain the correct immigration status to study at Anglo-Continental for the duration of your course(s). Failure to do so may lead to termination of your studies without refund or compensation.

Cancellation or change of time of a Test of English for Aviation Personnel (TEAP)

Notice of cancellation or change of time of a TEAP must be received in writing by the school at least 5 working days prior to the scheduled test date. If such notice is not received within the stated period then the full charge remains due.

School regulations

Anglo-Continental publishes regulations to ensure that the courses operate smoothly. Acceptance of and compliance with these regulations, and with English law, are contractual obligations on the part of the student.

Whenever Anglo-Continental accepts the enrolment of a student below the minimum age specified for the course or below the age of 16 years, the person enrolling the student accepts responsibility for his or her conduct, security and well-being.

Cancellation or postponement of a course

An enrolment is not transferable but may be cancelled or postponed without incurring charges, provided that written notice is received by Anglo-Continental not less than two weeks before the scheduled date of course commencement. In the absence of such notice, or if less than two weeks' notice is received:

- in the case of cancellation, a fee of £ 500 (US-\$ 875) is payable in lieu of notice;
- in the case of postponement, Anglo-Continental reserves the right to levy a charge to cover administration and accommodation costs incurred on the student's behalf;
- should the application for a visa be refused, we will refund any published fees paid in advance (after deduction of an administration charge of £ 50 (US-\$ 88)) provided that you send us a copy of the letter of refusal from the British Embassy before the intended start date of the course.

Any additional charges for services provided by a third party (such as UK Border Agency fees, hotel accommodation, flat rental and courier services) are not refundable.

Curtailed of a course

(Excluding courses with reduced fees)

If a course of more than eight weeks' duration is curtailed by the student, four weeks' notice must be given to the school. If no notice or insufficient notice is given, course fees must be paid in lieu of notice together with any accommodation charges due. In all cases, course fees must be paid for a minimum of eight weeks.

If a course of eight weeks' duration or less is curtailed, no refund of course fees can be given. Students must have personal insurance against inability to attend or continue a course for medical or compassionate reasons (see 'liability and insurance').

Change of course

(Excluding courses with reduced fees)

If after commencement of a course, the student wishes to change to a course of a lower specification, two weeks' notice must be given to the school. If approved, the change must be made on a scheduled entry date for the new course.

Any refund due will be in the form of a credit towards any required extension of the amended course or towards any subsequent course with Anglo-Continental during the twelve months following the end of the amended course. The credit is not transferable to any other person, and no cash refund can be given.

English language level

Any information about your level received prior to your arrival will act as a guide only. Your English language level will be determined by our entry test on your first day. If you are not at the required level for your course, you will be transferred to a suitable alternative course.

Accommodation

The fee for the first week in homestay accommodation includes a non-refundable administration charge to cover the cost of selection, reservation and administration.

Any request to change or leave accommodation, either separately or in conjunction with the curtailment of a course, must be made to Anglo-Continental at least two weeks before the date of the proposed move and approved before the change is made. Failing this, accommodation fees are payable in lieu of notice. Accommodation fees continue to be payable for any periods of absence during the course.

Photographs and film

During our courses, we sometimes take photographs and film footage, some of which may be incorporated into future publicity material. If you do not wish to appear in any promotional publications, please advise us in writing before the start of your course.

Liability and insurance

Anglo-Continental, its Representatives and staff will not be liable for any loss, damage, illness or injury to persons or property however caused, except where such liability is imposed by statute. It is the student's responsibility to take out personal insurance against all such risks, including inability to attend or continue a course and for the payment of medical expenses.

Force majeure

It shall be a fundamental condition of the contract between the student and Anglo-Continental or its Representatives that neither Anglo-Continental nor its Representatives shall be in any way liable to the student in the event of any service contracted to be supplied by them becoming impossible to supply by reason of industrial dispute or other cause outside their control.

Data protection

To ensure that your course at Anglo-Continental meets your requirements we and, if appropriate, the Anglo-Continental Representative in your own country will need to use the information you provide (such as your personal data and details of any special requirements) in order to process your enrolment.

We must pass your information on to those involved in providing you with services relating to your stay at Anglo-Continental such as, but not limited to, your reservation of accommodation and transfer services. The information may also be provided, if required, to security or credit-checking organisations, customs and the UK Border Agency as required by UK law.

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Please note that where your information is held by an Anglo-Continental Representative, it will be subject to your Representative's own data protection policy and their country's national law.

Validity of conditions

These Conditions of enrolment are valid from 1 January 2012 and are subject to English law. The English language version is legally binding in all cases.

Anglo-Continental reserves the right to waive or adjust the specifications of a course, which may include age limits, without prior notification.

Additional conditions for long-term courses

Additional conditions apply to:

- Long-Term General Programme
Courses: G-1.20L/G-1.25L/G-1.30L
- Academic Study Programme
Course: A-1.30

Curtailment of a course

If a long-term course is curtailed after its commencement, no refund of course fees can be given. It is the student's responsibility to take out personal insurance against inability to attend or continue a course for medical or compassionate reasons (see 'liability and insurance' above).

Change of course

An enrolment for a long-term course may not be changed after course commencement except where the student wishes to prolong or include a course of a higher specification with the approval of the school.

School holidays

Students following long-term courses may apply to take holidays, in complete weeks from Monday to Friday, at times convenient to the programme and with the approval of the Director of Studies. Holidays are allowed on the basis of a maximum

of two weeks per twelve weeks of the programme, and application must be made to the school not less than two weeks in advance. In each case the total course duration will be extended to compensate for the number of weeks' holiday taken. Holidays may not be taken when following intensive IELTS or FCE preparation, Examination Practice or Business and Specialised options.