

## **Terms and conditions of British Council special offers**

### **Special offers for young learners**

#### **1. 2025/26 English course offer**

- The offer period is valid from 1 August 2025 to 16 August 2025 (based on the enrolment date and full settlement of course fees).
- The offer is only valid for new customers who have not studied with the British Council within the last six months.
- The offer is only valid when the same student registers for one selected kindergarten, primary or secondary English course in the September 2025 semester and February 2026 semester respectively in the same transaction.
- The offer is not applicable for Stay and Play, Phonics and IELTS courses.
- The offer cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice. There are a limited number of places available for each class and registration is conducted on a first come, first served basis.
- Each student can only use the offer once. The offer is not transferrable and cannot be exchanged for cash or other products.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final.

### **Special offers for adult learners**

#### **1. British Council English course limited-time offer**

- The offer is valid from 1 August to 31 August 2025 (based on the enrolment date and full settlement of course fees).
- The offer is only valid for new customers who have not studied with the British Council within the last six months.
- The offer is only applicable to customers registering for a 30-lesson British Council English course package ('Selected Courses').
- Customers are required to complete an English level test within the promotion period and register for the Selected Courses on the same day in order to enjoy this offer.
- The offer cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

#### **2. Beginner English course registration offers**

- To enjoy these offers, students must register for two or more modules in one transaction.
- These offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts and cannot be exchanged for cash.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

#### **3. Professional Business Skills registration offers**

- To enjoy these offers, students must register for two or more modules at the same time.
- These offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts and cannot be exchanged for cash.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

#### 4. Combine package offer for British Council English course and IELTS Preparation (Foundation) course

- To enjoy these offers, students must register for a 30-lesson British Council English course package ('Selected Courses') and an IELTS Preparation (Foundation) course ('Selected Courses') at the same time.
- This offer is valid until 31 August 2025.
- These offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts and cannot be exchanged for cash.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

### **Referral Programme**

#### **Adult English courses**

- The referral programme is valid from 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026 (inclusive). For students to qualify for this programme, the enrolment date of the new student must fall within this period. The new student's course fees must also be paid in full during this period.
- The referral programme is applicable to existing British Council students who refer one or more new students to register for British Council English course; Beginner English course; IELTS Preparation (Foundation) or Professional Business Skills. Students who have completed their courses or whose packages have expired are not eligible.
- 'New students' are defined as those who have never studied with the British Council before.
- There is no limit to the number of referrals during the programme period, but each new student can only be referred once.
- The referral programme is not applicable to IELTS Preparation (CEF) and IELTS Mock 1-to-1.
- Where an existing student refers a new student to register for a British Council English course or MyFoundation course, the new student must register for the 60-lesson British Council English course package or three modules or above of a Beginner English course in one transaction for the referral programme to be applicable. Where an existing student refers a new student to register for a Professional Business Skills course, the new student must register for two modules or above of the course in one transaction for the referral programme to be applicable.
- The referee (new student) needs to present the valid name and student number of the referrer (existing British Council student) on the same day as their course registration in order to enjoy the above rewards.
- The course vouchers will be offered to students within three months of the enrolment date of the new student. Course vouchers are valid for 18 months. Students can use their course voucher for future English course registration. The original copy of the course voucher must be presented upon registration. If the course voucher is lost, it cannot be replaced.

- Course vouchers are not transferrable and cannot be redeemed for cash or other products.
- British Council reserves the right to amend the offer details and terms and conditions without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

### **Kindergarten, primary and secondary English courses**

- The referral programme is valid from 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026 (inclusive). For students to qualify for this programme, the enrolment date of the new student must fall within this period. The new student's course fees must also be paid in full during this period.
- The referral programme is applicable to existing British Council students who refer one or more new students to register for selected Stay and Play; Kindergarten Foundation; kindergarten, primary or secondary regular English courses; summer courses or holiday intensive courses. Students who have completed their courses or whose packages have expired are not eligible.
- 'New students' are defined as those who have never studied with the British Council before.
- There is no limit to the number of referrals during the programme period, but each new student can only be referred once.
- The referral programme is not applicable to Phonics; Phonics for Parents; Primary or Secondary Skill-based English Courses; IELTS Preparation (CEF); IELTS Preparation (Teens) and IELTS Mock 1-to-1.
- For the referral rewards for the IELTS Preparation (Foundation), please refer to Adult English courses' referral programme.
- The referee (new student) needs to present the valid name and student number of the referrer (existing British Council student) on the same day as their course registration in order to enjoy the above rewards.
- The course vouchers will be offered to students within three months of the enrolment date of the new students. Course vouchers are valid for 18 months. The referrer can use their course voucher for future English course registration. The original copy of the course voucher must be presented upon registration. If the course voucher is lost, it cannot be replaced.
- Course vouchers are not transferrable and cannot be redeemed for cash or other products.
- British Council reserves the right to amend the offer details and terms and conditions without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

### **Limited-time referral offer for primary and secondary English courses**

- The referral programme is valid from 26 May 2025 to 31 July 2025 (inclusive). For students to qualify for this programme, the enrolment date of the new student must fall within this period. The new student's course fees must also be paid in full during this period.

- The referral programme is applicable to existing British Council students who refer one or more new students to register for selected primary or secondary regular English courses that take place at Whampoa, Yau Ma Tei, Shatin or Tsuen Wan English language centre in September 2025 or February 2026 semester. Students who have completed their courses or whose packages have expired are not eligible.
- 'New students' are defined as those who have never studied with the British Council before.
- There is no limit to the number of referrals during the programme period, but each new student can only be referred once.
- The referral programme is not applicable to Stay and Play; Phonics; Summer Courses and IELTS courses.
- For the referral rewards for the IELTS Preparation (Foundation), please refer to Adult English courses' referral programme.
- The referee (new student) needs to present the valid name and student number of the referrer (existing British Council student) on the same day as their course registration in order to enjoy the above rewards.
- The course vouchers will be offered to students within three months of the enrolment date of the new students. Course vouchers are valid for 18 months. The referee and referrer can use their course vouchers for instant deduction of the course fee or for future English course registration. The original copy of the course voucher must be presented upon registration. If the course voucher is lost, it cannot be replaced.
- Course vouchers are not transferrable and cannot be redeemed for cash or other products.
- The offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts and cannot be exchanged for cash.
- British Council reserves the right to amend the offer details and terms and conditions without prior notice.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

## **Year-round offers**

### **1. Special offers for HSBC credit cardholders**

- Offers are valid from 1 January 2025 to 31 December 2025 (based on the enrolment date and full settlement of course fees).
- Offers are only valid for new students who have not studied with the British Council within the last six months.
- Offer A is valid for secondary English courses in the February 2025 and September 2025 semesters.
- To enjoy the offers, customers need to complete the registration process in person at the British Council customer services centres in Admiralty or Tsim Sha Tsui. Customers are

required to settle payment using their HSBC Credit Card to receive the discount offer. For details, please contact the Customer Services staff of the British Council on 2632 9800.

- Offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers and cannot be exchanged for cash or other products.
- Prices are subjected to change without prior notice. There are a limited number of places available for each class and registration is conducted on a first come, first served basis.
- In the case of disputes, the decision of the British Council and HSBC shall be final and conclusive.

## 2. Special offers for HSBC Premier Mastercard® credit cardholders

- Offers are valid from 1 January 2025 to 31 December 2025 (based on the enrolment date and full settlement of course fees).
- Offers are only valid for new students who have not studied with the British Council within the last six months.
- Offer A is valid for secondary English courses in the February 2025 and September 2025 semesters.
- To enjoy the offers, customers need to complete the registration process in person at the British Council customer services centres in Admiralty or Tsim Sha Tsui. Customers are required to settle payment using their HSBC Premier Mastercard® Credit Card to receive the discount offer. For details, please contact the Customer Services staff of the British Council on 2632 9800.
- Offers cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers and cannot be exchanged for cash or other products.
- Prices are subjected to change without prior notice. There are a limited number of places available for each class and registration is conducted on a first come, first served basis.
- In the case of disputes, the decision of the British Council and HSBC shall be final and conclusive.

## 3. Interest free instalment plan

- The minimum payment for a 6-month instalment plan is HK\$8,000 in one transaction.
- The minimum payment for a 12-month instalment plan is HK\$12,000 in one transaction.
- This plan is only applicable to designated HSBC and Standard Chartered credit cards.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.

## **Special offers for 'Friends of Red Cross'**

- The offers are valid from 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026 (based on the enrolment date and full settlement of course fee).
- The offers are only valid for new students who have not studied with the British Council within the last six months.
- Offer 1 is valid for selected kindergarten, primary or secondary English courses in the February 2025, September 2025 or February 2026 semester at all British Council English language centres except for weekend classes at Admiralty.
- The offer does not apply to Stay and Play, Kindergarten Foundation Course, Phonics, IELTS courses, spring and winter intensive courses and summer courses.

- Offer 2 is valid for the 60-lesson (12-month) British Council English course package.
- To enjoy any of the offers, customers need to complete the registration process in person at the British Council Customer Service Centre in Admiralty or Tsim Sha Tsui. Customers have to present their 2025/26 'Friends of Red Cross' physical or e-membership card before registration. Customers can be the registering students or the parents/guardian of the registering students. Photocopies of the membership card will not be accepted. For details, please contact the Customer Service staff of the British Council on 2632 9800.
- To enjoy the birthday offer, the registering students are also required to present an identity proof which shows their full name and birthday.
- Offer 1, Offer 2 and Birthday Offer can be used at the same time, but cannot be used in conjunction with other promotional offers or discounts.
- The offers cannot be redeemed for cash or other products.
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice. There are a limited number of places available for each young learner class and registration is conducted on a first come, first served basis.
- In case of disputes, the decision of the British Council shall be final and conclusive.