



UNIVERSITY PREPARATION PROGRAM

The University Preparation Program (UPP) is an advanced level program designed for students who have a high English proficiency – for example, a proficiency equivalent of an IELTS score of 7+ or a TOEFL iBT score of 94+. Students who do not have the required proficiency can enter SACLI's Intensive English Program to attain it. This program is designed to prepare students for advanced academic challenges such as conducting research or completing a graduate thesis. Note: Students who successfully complete UPP do not need to take TOEFL or IELTS to enter our partner universities

Program Length: 1-52 weeks
2016 SACLI Terms: January 4, April 4, June 27, September 26
Class Size: Maximum of 14 students per class
Hours of Instruction: 25 hours per week

Program Focus:

- Participating in discussions about a wide variety of topics with a high degree of accuracy
- Leading discussions and delivering presentations with confidence
- Understanding lengthy lectures delivered at a natural rate of speed
- Inferring meaning
- Identifying author's bias and purpose
- Describing graphs
- Using a wide range of tenses and complex structures to enhance communication
- Reporting facts and expressing opinions using active and passive voices
- Discussing unreal events
- Expressing urgency, advisability, and necessity
- Writing clear, well-organized essays which may include literature reviews and experimental research findings
- Summarizing lengthy academic texts

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