

# LANG 0004 ACADEMIC ENGLISH (WSTC PREP) ONLINE

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**Credit Points** 10

**Legacy Code** 700262

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**Description** This unit is designed to improve English proficiency, across the four macro skills. The unit aims to help students access the conventions of academic English by focusing on attitudes to knowledge, the ways in which ideas are structured and presented and surface language correctness. In addition, the unit encourages students to develop strategies to maximize their learning and to reflect on their own learning styles.

**School** Western Sydney The College

**Discipline** English Language

**Student Contribution Band** HECS Band 1 10cp

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**Level** Undergraduate Level 0 Preparatory subject

**Equivalent Subjects** LANG 0003 - Academic English (UWSCFS)  
LANG 0005 - Academic English (UWSC)

## Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Item	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/ Group Task
Group oral presentation	10 mins	10	N	Individual
Research essay plan	150 words	5	N	Individual
Research essay	1000 words	15	N	Individual
Research report	1200 words	25	N	Individual
Final Exam (Mandatory)	2 hrs	30	N	Individual
Homework tasks	2 tasks @ 1 hour each, plus 3 quizzes @10 multiple choice questions each.	15	N	Individual

Teaching Periods