

The Hawthorn–Melbourne myEssentials has been designed to provide our daytime students with a tailored learning experience through additional workshops and one–to–one private support.

The combination of myWorkshop and mySupport allows students to access up to 5 hours of additional teacherled studies and activities each week in addition to their 20 hours of class. These are complementary and provide targeted outcomes.

About myEssentials

- 1. Gives you the choice to focus on specific language needs and your personal priorities.
- 2. With a mix of in person activities and online resources, your language learning is supported in a way that works for you.
- 3. Allows time to speak to a teacher one-to one. These sessions are private and are a great opportunity for you to discuss your progress and expectations.
- 4. Participation is optional; join every day or choose the workshops most suited to your personal needs and interest
- 5. Allows collaboration between students across courses and levels, expanding your social network.

myWorkshop

The myWorkshop offering provides you with a range of workshops you can join in addition to your scheduled class hours. Each workshop will focus on key learning outcomes to support you in mastering the English language. Covering a broad range of topics, workshops are typically conducted on campus but may also venture off campus to provide the opportunity to use your English in real-life situations.

Clear Pronunciation	Whether you are at school, work or with friends, you'll want to speak clearly and confidently in your everyday life. To do this, you need good pronunciation. This workshop is designed to assist students from all backgrounds to identify problem areas and techniques to pronounce English more clearly
Vocabulary Builder	Vocabulary is the most important part of any language – if you don't have the words, how can you communicate your ideas or understand those of others? This workshop builds your vocabulary in key areas, with a focus on the natural language that native speakers are using today.
Media Listening and Reading	What better way to keep up with today's English than checking in on the daily news? This workshop uses contemporary news content to help build vocabulary and improve your listening and reading skills. There's also time for a discussion on the topic being examined.
Speak Up!	Need some extra speaking practice outside of class? Our 'Speak Up!' workshop has you covered. Our qualified teacher will lead conversations on a range of topics so that students can build their confidence and fluency as speakers.
Academic Skills	Studying academic English can be challenging. This workshop has been developed to cover the fundamentals of academic study in English, looking at academic writing and reading skills, as well as more specific areas such as research and referencing.
Grammar Guru	Meet our Grammar Guru and work together to understand some tricky aspects of English grammar. Each session will focus on a different grammar point that often gives students trouble, no matter what their level of English.
Exam Skills	Are you planning to take a recognised English test in the future, such as IELTS, PTE or Cambridge? Our exam skills workshops will help you with tips and strategies, covering different parts of the test each time.
Pop up Sessions	At Hawthorn, we like to be flexible. Therefore, our pop-up sessions include content on areas of need that staff and students have identified that is not covered in other workshops. This could be anything from professional English to music to presentation skills.

mySupport

Provides you with private guidance and coaching to maintain focus and targeted growth. During your studies, you can access one-to-one support including private counselling with the academic team. We guarantee the combination of our support, your participation and attendance and successful completion of assessments your outcome will be a positive stepping stone to your future educational or career goals.

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