

EDUC90078 English as an International Language

Credit Points:	12.5												
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)												
Dates & Locations:	2015, Hawthorn This subject commences in the following study period/s: April, Hawthorn - Taught on campus. September, Hawthorn - Taught on campus.												
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 24 hours Total Time Commitment: 165 hours												
Prerequisites:	To enrol in this subject, you must be admitted in the Master of English in a Global Context. This subject is not available for students admitted in any other courses.												
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Recommended Background Knowledge:	None												
Non Allowed Subjects:	None												
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering requests for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Commonwealth 2005), and Students Experiencing Academic Disadvantage Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Objectives, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry. It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and the Disability Liaison Unit: http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/												
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Subject Overview:	This subject examines the establishment and functioning of English as a global lingua franca. Topics covered include: the imperialist/colonialist history of English; the need for an international language; multiple Englishes; English as a shaper and reflection of global culture; English and cultural imperialism; English and the Internet; adaptation of English to local cultures; English as an agent of change.												
Learning Outcomes:	On completion of this subject, students should be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # understand the social and political implications of the use of English as an international language; # appreciate the diversity of English language usage across the world; # be able to critically evaluate the effect of the use of English in particular cultural contexts; and # critically consider the implications of their own English usage 												

Assessment:	Essay 1: 1,000 words, due mid semester 20% Essay 2: 2,000 words, due late semester 40% Essay 3: 2,000 words, due end of semester 40% Attendance at all classes (tutorial/seminars/practical classes/lectures/labs) is obligatory. Failure to attend 80% of classes will normally result in failure in the subject.
Prescribed Texts:	None
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Links to further information:	http://www.hawthornenglish.com/MEGC_info.html
Related Course(s):	Master of English in a Global Context