

## Preparatory Course for Admission to Government Schools (Secondary 1-3)

### Introduction

The course aims to prepare international students for the AEIS examination - a pathway to gain entry into local schools in Singapore and equip them with the necessary skills required to examine key fundamentals, the right approach, effective solving techniques and test-taking strategies in the English language and Mathematics.

The AEIS is a centralized test on English and Mathematics that assesses the applicants' English literacy, numeracy and reasoning abilities. It is conducted in September / October every year. Successful applicants can start school at the beginning of the academic year in January.

International students who missed or failed the AEIS Test may sit for the Supplementary Admission Exercise for International Students (S-AEIS) Test in February / March every year. The S-AEIS Test will be for admission to the Primary 2 to Primary 4 and Secondary 1 to Secondary 2 levels only. There will be no admission to the Primary 5 and Secondary 3 levels under the S-AEIS.

### Course Levels

Secondary 1-3

### Course Modules

- English Language
- Mathematics

### Admission Requirements

For Secondary 1 - Completed Primary 6

For Secondary 2 - Completed Secondary 1

For Secondary 3 - Completed Secondary 2

### English Language Requirements

**For Secondary 1** - more than 35% in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (paper-based); or at least 61 in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (web-based)



#### **Our Vision:**

To be a premium institution empowering individuals and transforming lives.

#### **Our Mission:**

Prime every learner for success through value-driven education.

#### **Our Culture:**

Providing education from our heart is the core spirit and soul of BCI. We would honour the undertaking work we do, hungry to succeed and passionate to achieve; we embrace the unknown, fearlessly taking risks, confident in our ability to deliver results. We tenaciously persevere, surmounting obstacles with grit and determination. We delight in presenting premier quality in all we offer. A true team, we work together to routinely please our customers, surpass our record achievements, and drive our organization to greater success. Like a family, we are united by an unspoken pledge, bound by our convictions. Above all, we find joy in our work, and in serving the college and our customers.

**For Secondary 2** - more than 45% in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (paper-based); or at least 91 in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (web-based)

**For Secondary 3** - more than 50% in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (paper-based); or at least 106 in the Barclyne College International Academic English Entrance test (web-based)

**Name of Award**

NA

**Awarding Body**

NA

**Course Mode and Schedule**

Full time

Monday to Friday (8:30 am – 11:30 am and 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm) 6 contact hours per day

Total: 30 contact hours per week

**Course Duration**

6 months

**Venue**

Barclyne College International, 62 Cecil Street #03-00 TPI Building Singapore 049710

**Fee Structure**

Application Fee *	S \$ 500
Course Fee	S \$ 8400
Admin Fee	S \$ 300
Student Pass Fee	S \$ 350
Materials Fee	S \$ 600
Insurances Fee	S \$ 350
Internal Examination Fee	S \$ 1200
<b>Total Course Fees</b>	<b>S \$ 11700</b>

All prices are subject to prevailing Goods & Service Tax (GST). Please refer to the official price list for a detailed breakdown. College will provide FPS Insurance, Life/Accident & Medical Insurance and Guarantor Fee for Banker's Guarantee (if any) for free.

\* Application Fee paid is not refundable.

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**Payment modes**

Cash, NETS, cheque (payable to Barclyne College International) or telegraphic transfer (not applicable for miscellaneous fees)

### **Fee Collection Hours**

Monday-Friday: 10:00 am to 5:00 pm on working days

### **Withdrawal/Deferments**

Applications to withdraw or defer from a course must be made in written form to Barclyne College International. For amount of refund, please refer to the college's Refund Policy at [www.barclyne.edu.sg](http://www.barclyne.edu.sg).

### **Student Fee Protection Scheme**

The college has adopted Insurance facility to provide full protection of all course fees paid by all students as part of the EduTrust Certification Scheme. The College has also in place, as required under the EduTrust Scheme, a Medical Insurance Scheme for all its students. For more information on EduTrust for Education, please visit the college website at [www.barclyne.edu.sg](http://www.barclyne.edu.sg). Alternatively, you can also visit the official CPE website at [www.cpe.gov.sg](http://www.cpe.gov.sg).

### **Scheduled holidays**

Refer to MOM Public Holidays calendar at [www.mom.gov.sg](http://www.mom.gov.sg) and BCI Academic calendar. For more information, please contact our Education Consultant at (65) 6100 1995.

### **Manner of Teaching**

Lectures, field trips, discussion strategies, group work

### **Average Teacher-Student Ratio**

Lecture –1:32

Field trip – 1:32

Note: Number of students in a classroom is subject to permitted seating capacity.

### **Module Description**

#### **English Language**

Pupils will:

- 1) Respond to a variety of texts and demonstrate a positive attitude towards reading and language
- 2) Write legibly, coherently and cohesively for different purposes and audiences
- 3) Use reading strategies to construct meaning

## **Mathematics**

Pupils will:

- 1) Acquire the necessary mathematical concepts and skills for everyday life
- 2) Develop the mathematical thinking and problem solving skills and apply these skills to formulate and solve problems.
- 3) Recognize and use connections among mathematical ideas, and between mathematics and other disciplines.
- 4) Develop the abilities to reason logically, to communicate mathematically.

## **Manner of Assessment**

Internal Assessment – Weekly quizzes and monthly class tests

External Assessment - Test conducted by MOE for AEIS and S-AEIS.

## **Final Assessment Dates**

AEIS - September / October every year

Supplementary AEIS (S-AEIS) - February / March every year

\*For actual examination date, please refer to

<http://www.moe.gov.sg/education/admissions/international-students/admissions-exercise/>

## **Expected Date of Release of Results**

AEIS – December

Supplementary AEIS (S-AEIS) – April

\*Actual date to be notified by MOE. Please refer to

<http://www.moe.gov.sg/education/admissions/international-students/admissions-exercise/>

## **Commencement & End Date of Course**

There is an intake every month.

Course starts from the first working day of every month to the last working day of the respective intake.

Note:

- 1) BCI has the right to cancel an intake if the minimum number of students enrolled is less than 5 for any course. For withdrawal and refund policies, please refer <http://www.barclyne.edu.sg/en/general/page/922> for details.
- 2) Teachers will brief students at the beginning of an intake regarding all critical course information such as course contents, assessment details and other academic matters.

## **Graduation Requirements**

Complete 6 months course / Student accepted by Government School

### **Attendance Requirements**

As per ICA regulations, international students are required to achieve at least 90% attendance every month and not be absent for 7 consecutive days or more without any valid reason. Students who do not require ICA's student's pass are required to achieve at least 75% attendance rate. Only medical certificates are accepted as proof for absenteeism. Any other documents would be accepted on a case-by-case basis with full justification acceptable by ICA.

### **Teachers**

For updated information on teachers deployed to teach the modules, please refer to [www.barclyne.edu.sg](http://www.barclyne.edu.sg).