



GV Victoria Certificate in Advanced English (CAE) Program

For higher education and professional purposes



Is CAE for you?

The CAE is an exam for advanced users of English. It is aimed at people who want to use written and spoken English for professional, academic and social situations. Successful CAE candidates are able to work, study and communicate with confidence in an English only environment.

If this describes your skills now, or describes the level of skills you are working towards, then CAE is the right exam for you.

What will CAE do for you?

Attaining one of its certificates is an achievement and a reward in itself. However, there are many other benefits to taking CAE:

- The CAE certificate is valid for life
- Cambridge materials and teaching methods are the most widely respected in the ESL world.
- The Cambridge course will give you access to tried and true methods for improving your, speaking, listening, reading, writing and vocabulary.

World-class recognition

CAE is truly international, and is recognized around the world for business and study purposes. Thousands of employers, universities and government departments officially recognize CAE as a qualification in advanced English.

The following are only a few of the international institutions which recognize *Cambridge: English Advanced*:

University of Cambridge, UK University of Oxford, UK King's College London (University of London), UK California Institute of Technology (CALTECH), USA University of Pennsylvania, The Wharton School, USA McGill University, Canada University of Toronto, Canada Monash University, Australia University of New South Wales, Australia	Hewlett-Packard (HP) Microsoft KPMG IBM ACNielsen	Sony Bosch DHL Credit Suisse Nokia
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What does the course involve?

- The CAE course will follow a core text 'Ready for CAE' which is divided into 12 Units (one for each week of the course.)
- Each Unit represents a topic that is likely to appear on the speaking Exam. eg: Technology and includes practice in Speaking, Reading, Listening, Grammar and Writing.
- Weekly testing will allow you to track your progress throughout the course, identify areas of weakness in your language development, and consider how to improve quickly.

What is expected of you?

- Cambridge students are expected to be hard working and motivated.
- Students must write the final exam.
- A minimum of 90% attendance must be maintained through out the course and 100% attendance is the expectation.
- Willingness to work with other students and your teacher towards the common goal of passing the exam.
- Students should be at a GV 6/7 level before they attempt the CAE course.

What does the CAE exam involve?

- Reading: 1 hour 15minutes
- Writing: 1 hour 30 minutes
- Use of English 1 hour
- Listening 40 minutes
- Speaking: 15 minutes

When is the CAE course?

- The CAE exam is course is offered two times a year at GV Victoria.
- Start Dates – 12 weeks: Mar 18 – Jun 07
- Exam date: Jun 12
- Start Dates – 12 weeks: Sep 09- Nov 29
- Exam date: Dec 04

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