Summary of English Language Examinations and Recommended Periods of Tuition before Starting Academic Course.

Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR)	English Tuition Recommended			IELTS	TOEFL Paper / Computer / Internet	Cambridge ESOL	Cambridge ESOL BEC	MELAB	PTE Academic	Password	Trinity College ISE
	Demanding courses with regard to language	Most university courses	Less demanding courses with regard to language								
C2				9.0							
C1	None required	None required		8.5 7.0	650/280/115	CPE	BEC H (B)	84	84 76		ISE IV
B2	6 weeks	None required	None required	6.5	613/257/103	CAE	BEC H (Pass)	82	75		ISE III
	12 weeks	6 weeks	None required	5.5	580/237/93			77	59		
B1	6 months	12 weeks	6 weeks	5.0	550/213/79	FCE	BEC Van	74	58	5	ISE II
		6 months	12 weeks	4.0	510/180/64			69	43		
A2	9 months	9 months	6 months	3.5	477/153/53	PET	BEC Pre	64	42	4	ISE I
	1 year		9 months		450/133/46			60	33		
A1		1 year	1 year	3.0		KET				3	ISE 0