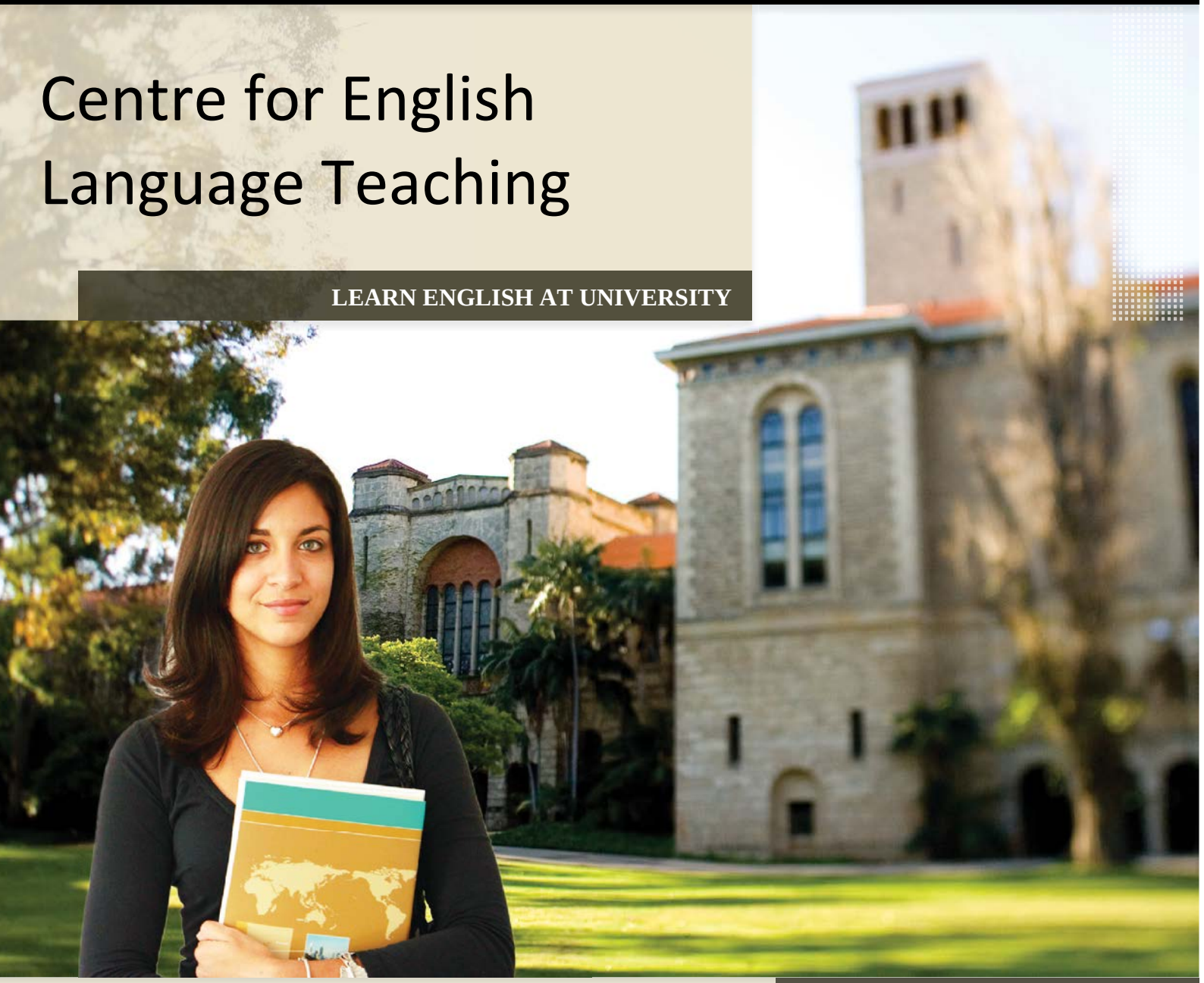
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Chinese Universities

Winter Study Tour 2017

- Australian culture
- University studies
- English language

- General, Academic and Business English courses
- Study Tours
- Direct entry into UWA pathway courses
- IELTS preparation courses
- Cambridge preparation courses
- International exams: IELTS; TOEFL; and TOEIC

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We are delighted that you are considering taking part in this winter Study Tour program designed for a group of students from a range of **Chinese Universities** .

This booklet has been produced to give you a taste of the exciting program we have to offer you in 2017 and beyond.

We can guarantee to offer you a high quality program and a fantastic experience not only learning English language skills, but also Australian culture and our way of life.

Over the following pages you will learn about Perth, our Centre and what to expect during your time here.

We very much look forward to meeting you!



The Program: a brief overview

Prior to arriving in Australia you will be sent an online placement test (OPT). Once you have completed the OPT, the Manager of Study Tours and class teachers will plan lessons according to your proficiency.

The program is developed and tailored to your specific English language needs. The main focus is to develop confidence in all areas of the English language including writing, reading, listening and speaking and to be able to use English in a variety of situations.

The theme of all class activities center around Australian cultural topics such as indigenous Australian people & culture, Australian environment and native animals, and famous Australian people and places. Pronunciation activities and conversational English is also included the improve fluency.

In addition to Australian cultural & language classes, we incorporate opportunities to interact with UWA-CELT students and native speakers as much as possible.

Expectations

- To make the most of your time here, we ask that you observe the following:
- Behave in a respectful manner towards all UWA-CELT staff, homestay providers and host families, tour operators and guides and fellow students at all times
- Attend all classes and participate fully in those classes according to the directions and requirements given by the teacher for that class
- Complete all homework by undertaking tasks set by class teachers
- Contact the office if you are sick or not able to attend class (our receptionist Moo can also help you make an appointment to see a doctor)



About The UWA Centre for English Language Teaching



The UWA Centre for English Language Teaching (CELT) reflects the tradition of our University by providing high quality English language teaching in a friendly and supportive environment. All our teachers have degrees and specialist qualifications in English language teaching. Our approach to teaching and learning gives students many opportunities to practise using English and to learn about life in Australia through tasks, activities and projects.

UWA offers English language students the benefits of learning at one of Australia's leading universities within spectacular garden campuses. Our unique and well-structured modular programs combine a rigorous approach to teaching and learning with real and practical language experiences, which help students discover strategies to become life-long learners of English.

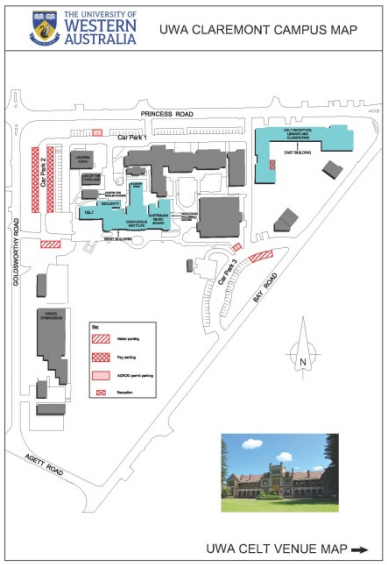
Location

UWA has 3 campuses close to the CBD, Crawley, Nedlands, and Claremont. The Crawley campus (also close by is the Nedlands campus) is located on the beautiful Matilda Bay of the enormous Swan River and is just a 5 minute drive from the Perth CBD.

CELT is located on the Claremont campus which is also very close to the Swan River and a short bus ride from Crawley. CELT management staff are located on the First Floor of the Claremont Heritage building and teachers on the Ground Floor. See the building pictured below. Classes are located across this campus which you will be shown on orientation.



The University of Western Australia – Claremont campus
Corner Princess Road and Goldsworthy Roads, Claremont WA 6010



Winter Study Tour: 23.01.17 – 10.02.17

Sample class teaching schedule

Study Option: Study Tour closed class **TERM:** 1 2017 **WEEKS:** 3-5 **DATES:** 23.01.17 – 10.02.17

Arrival: Group to arrive Saturday 21st January prior to course commencement and transferred to CELT for homestay allocation

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8.45 10.45	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**
Break					
11.00 13.00	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**	**English language classes**
End of lessons					

Useful links to prepare for your visit to UWA and Perth:

Study at UWA
Tourist information about Perth

Free afternoon or **optional CELT student excursions** (dates and times permitting). Excursion details posted Monday of the same week and some fees may apply.

UWA Semester 1 begins Monday 27th February 2017
UWA 2017 dates and teaching weeks - degree courses

Study Option:	Study Tour closed class	**WEEK:** 1		**DATES:** 23.01.17 – 29.01.17	
Details:	Group to arrive Saturday 21st January prior to course commencement and transferred to CELT for homestay allocation. 28.01.17 & 29.01.17 free time with host families or time to explore Perth with your friends				

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8.45 10.45	Welcome and campus orientation, computer and WiFi log in, Smartrider information	Introduction/get to know you activities **Cross cultural awareness** Living with an Australian Family	**Writing Task** report writing, text model, plan & write **Writing skills** preparation for writing a report vocab, relative clauses	National Public Holiday Perth - Australia Day Enjoy the spectacular fireworks that the families of Perth turn out in their thousands to watch. An amazing cultural event not to be missed 	**Reading & Listening** Seven Wonders of Australia and New Zealand
Break					
11.00 13.00	Tour of the UWA campus & Matilda Bay on the famous Swan River	**Action Research Project** Cross Cultural Awareness 1.write survey questions	**Reading & Listening** Images of Australia Australia Day celebrations		**Writing** Writing a travel advertisement about a place visited in Perth or in China
End of lessons					
	Field Trip: ***Visit Perth City*** ***Perth City video*** Walking tour of the city center including shopping district, Art Gallery and Museum **By public transport**		***Field Trip:*** ***Kings Park*** ***Kings Park video*** *Wildflowers and Walkways tour* ***1.00– 2.30pm*** **By public transport**		**Free afternoon** or **optional CELT student excursions** (dates and times permitting). Excursion details posted Monday of the same week and some fees may apply.

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Study Option: Study Tour closed class **WEEK:** 2 **DATES:** 30.01.17 – 05.02.174

Details:

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
8.45 10.45	**Reading & Listening** Australia's First Inhabitants	**Integrated Skills** Famous Australians: Banjo Paterson song: Waltzing Matilda	**Action Research Project** Cross Cultural Awareness 2.interview Aussie students on campus	**Reading** Famous Australians: Eddie Mabo	**Integrated skills** Australian Animals: Dingoes	Excursion to Dolphin Discovery Centre Dolphin Discovery Centre ***Dolphin Centre video*** Bunbury Western Australia Full day tour departing Perth **8am** returning **6pm** Guided information session in Discovery Centre and Eco Cruise on Koombana Bay **By chartered coach**
Break						
11.00 13.00	**Speaking** fluency practice: story telling using Aboriginal symbols	**Speaking** role play Looking for a Flat mate	**Pronunciation** complex sound maze & vowel dominoes	**Vocabulary** Law & Order	Australian Animals fluency practice: celebrity heads with Aussie animals	
End of lessons						
		Field Trip: **Fremantle City** ***Fremantle Prison*** ***Fremantle Prison video*** Visit the famous port city, tour the old Fremantle prison and enjoy the relaxed café lifestyle of this beautiful area **By public transport**		***Field Trip:*** **Francis Burt Law Museum** ***Heritage Perth video*** Participate in a trial reenactment as the judge, jury, accused , defense and prosecution of an actual historic event from Perth's history **Tour: 1 – 3.14pm** **By public transport**	**Free afternoon** or **optional CELT student excursions** (dates and times permitting). Excursion details posted Monday of the same week and some fees may apply.	





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Study Option: Study Tour closed class **WEEK:** 3 **DATES:** 06.02.17 – 12.02.17

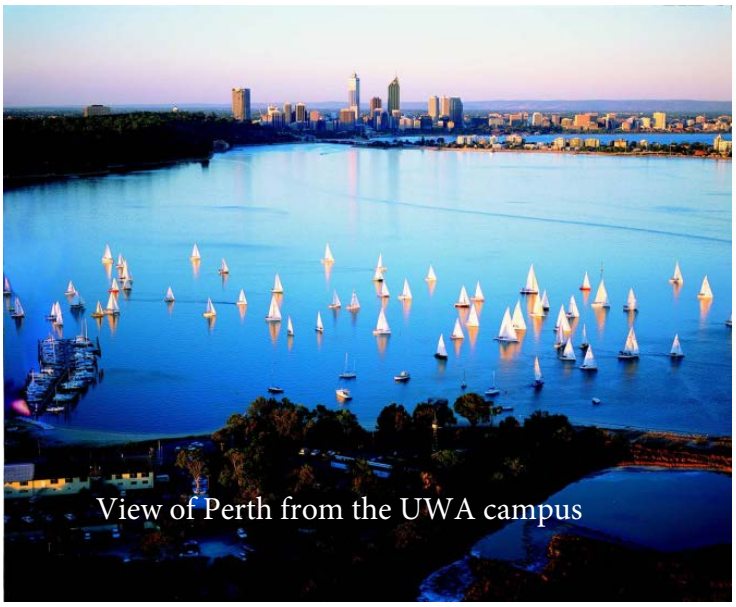
Departure: Group to depart Saturday 11th January. Transfer details dependent on departure flight booking.

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8.45 10.45	**Integrated skills** Bungee Jumping & Surfing	**Integrated skills** Danger- We bite and sting	**Listening & Viewing** DVD: Sapphires plus follow up discussion	**Speaking** language for giving presentations preparation for presentations	**Action Research Project** Cross Cultural Awareness 5. oral presentation *Presentation assessment & feedback*
Break					
11.00 13.00	**Vocabulary** Sport & Leisure	**Future Students** Presentation by UWA Future Students office about study opportunities at UWA for international students	**Action Research Project** Cross Cultural Awareness 4.write summary	**Project work** thank you letters to homestay families	***Formal graduation ceremony and presentation of certificates***
End of lessons					
			Field Trip: **Caversham Wildlife Park** Caversham Wildlife Park Caversham video Feed kangaroos, get very close to koalas and other native Australian animals Explore Perth largest native wilderness reserve **By chartered coach – return transfer**		



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About Perth


View of Perth from the UWA campus

Perth is Located on the south-west coast of Australia in the state of Western Australia (WA) and has some of the most magnificent coastline in the world. The city is situated on the Swan River with the white sandy beaches of the Indian Ocean to the west and the hills of the Darling Ranges to the east. Australia's fourth largest city, Perth has the perfect environment for a relaxed and healthy lifestyle, while maintaining its status as a sophisticated and modern city.

Perth city centre and its nearby suburbs provide a wide variety of restaurants and cafes, and entertainment and cultural venues as well as excellent shopping. To the west of Perth at the mouth of the Swan River you can enjoy the vibrant harbour-side city of Fremantle. This city combines the charm of a nineteenth century port with the variety and lifestyle of a twenty first century city.


Kings Park

Perth's sunny Mediterranean climate caters to a wide variety of outdoor activities, including sailing, swimming, surfing, windsurfing, scuba diving, cycling, horse riding, golf and bushwalking. A pleasant way to pass the time is to relax with fiends in one of Perth's cafes and enjoy the view. The outdoor life is complemented by an exciting range of indoor venues such as theatres, clubs, boutiques with progressive Australian fashions and a variety of markets.

Perth also plays host to a wide variety of local, national and international class sporting, and cultural events, so there is always somewhere to go and plenty to see!

Facts in Brief

Perth	Capital city of Western Australia
Population	2 million
Size of WA	2,525,500 sq km
Time zone	GMT + 8 hours
Money:	$AUD

Average Temperatures compared

Perth's climate is mild and pleasant with warm, dry summer months and cool wet winters.

Perth		
Summer	Dec to Feb	17˚ - 35˚C
Autumn	Mar to May	12˚ - 25˚C
Winter	Jun to Aug	8˚ - 18˚C
Spring	Sept to Nov	10˚ - 22˚C



Important Information for arriving students

As you are planning to visit us during the Perth summer months and will be participating in many outdoor activities, it is important to bring appropriate clothing. Also even in winter the sun in Australia can be quite strong and we have a slogan to ensure we protect ourselves when out in the sun, *"Slip* on a shirt! *Slop* on some sunscreen! *Slap* on a hat!"



Essential items for your stay are:

- A hat or cap, wide-brimmed is best
- T-shirts and loose long sleeved clothing
- Light pants / shorts / skirts
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- You might even want to bring a small umbrella should it rain

Safety

Whilst Australia and Perth are considered to be very safe locations, it is still wise to avoid dangerous situations and be alert to your personal safety. The following guidelines will make sure you stay safe whilst you enjoy your time in Perth:

- Walk in well-lit areas at night
- Avoid areas that are dark and isolated
- Walk with a friend or stay in a crowd
- Walk purposefully and confidently
- Be wary of strangers on foot or in cars who ask for directions
- Trust your instinct
- Never hitchhike
- Don't overindulge in alcohol
- Wait for buses in open, well-lit and populated areas
- Avoid empty carriages on trains and sit near other people on the aisle
- Phone for a taxi instead of waiting for one on the street at night
- Do not give personal information out to strangers

Important numbers to know in case of an emergency:

Police/Fire/Ambulance **000** on a normal phone / **112** on a mobile phone

UWA Security ***6488 2222***

UWA Security (from public phone) ***1800 655 222***

Should you experience any safety issues whilst on campus, *this service is available 24 hours per day*



It is also always good to know the phone number for a taxi service, when you are out:

Swan Taxis ***13 13 30***

If anything should happen also make sure to tell us at the Centre:

Transport

Many of Perth's major attractions, historic buildings, picturesque parks, favourite shopping centres and beaches are accessible via Perth's fully integrated public transport system.

Perth's public transport system is an easy and cost-effective method of getting around the city and within the central business district there are CAT buses which run for free.

Timetables	**Plan your journey**	**Tertiary SmartRider**	**Tickets and Fares**
Bus timetables	Journey-Planner	tertiary-SmartRider information	Tickets-Fares information

SmartRider



Perth public transport now utilises a SmartRider system which means you do not have to purchase a ticket each time you travel, you just need to purchase a SmartRider and add money to this card.

To obtain a SmartRider, you will have to complete an application form. On your arrival at our Centre we will provide you with this card along with your student card.

On the first day of your program your helpful teaching assistants will take you all to the campus newsagency during orientation where you can top up your credit if needed or hand in a new application form should you lose your Smartrider card.

You should always carry both your SmartRider and your student card with you.

If you run out of credit on your SmartRider there are a number of different ways you can add value either as you enter the bus (you must use a note i.e. $5 ,$10) or through the newsagency on campus, and the teaching assistants are happy to show you how. On your first bus trip, your friendly teaching assistants will also show you how to use your SmartRider on future journeys.

For more information regarding SmartRider, please visit www.transperth.wa.gov.au and follow the link to SmartRider.



Facilities

UWA has exceptional facilities and excellent support services for students. We value the diversity that international students add to the life of our campus and city.



UWA Centre for English Language Teaching facilities

- Modern classrooms
- Well-resourced Library with a full-time library officer
- Two fully-networked computer laboratories with free internet and email access (open 8am to 5pm, Monday to Friday)
- Free WIFI available should you wish to bring your laptop
- Campus café
- Student advice service
- TOEIC Open Test Centre
- TOEFL iBT Test Centre
- IELTS Test Centre

UWA facilities and services available to all students

- Eight subject libraries, including Education, Fine Arts and Architecture, Law, Music, Mathematical and Physical Science, with international newspapers,
- Extensive research resources and fully-networked computers
- Sports centre with a fully-equipped gymnasium, squash, basketball, badminton and tennis courts, table tennis facilities, and cricket and soccer ovals (CELT students have free membership to the UWA Sports Association)
- Medical centre with doctors and nurses experienced in helping local and international students
- Heated swimming pool
- Banking and Credit Union facilities
- Shops, a newsagent and a post office with all services
- Travel agent with a full range of travel brochures and information for students
- Student counselling service
- Student employment service
- Festivals and seasonal events

Student support

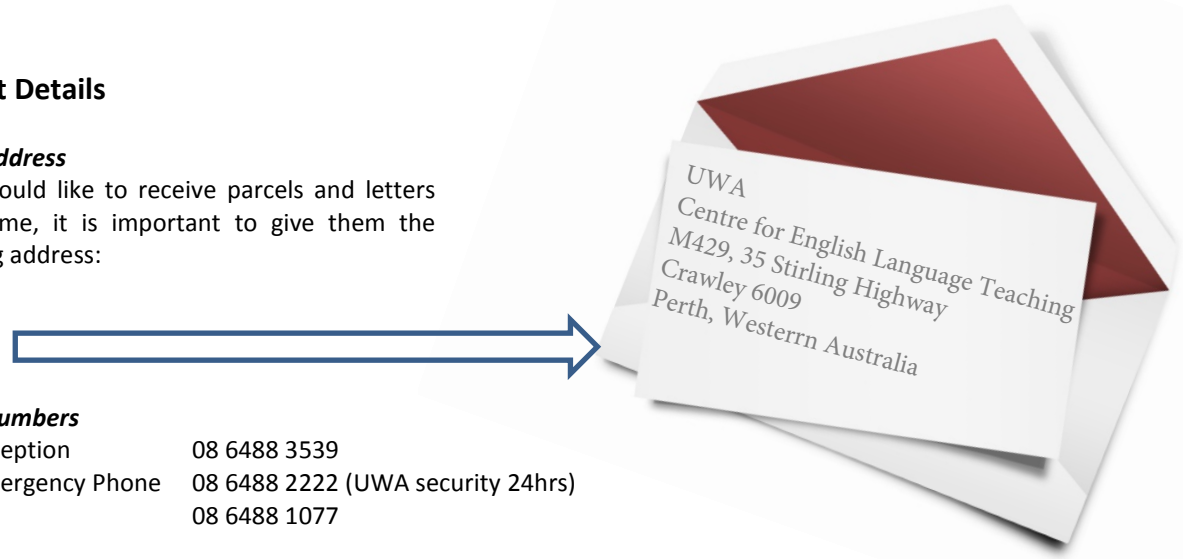
CELT has staff happy to help you solve all kinds of problems ranging from the personal to the practical, including study and visa issues. You have the support of the student adviser, administrative and teaching staff.



Contact Details

Postal Address

If you would like to receive parcels and letters from home, it is important to give them the following address:



Phone Numbers

CELT Reception	08 6488 3539
UWA Emergency Phone	08 6488 2222 (UWA security 24hrs)
CELT Fax	08 6488 1077

Important Staff

Key staff at CELT who are always happy to meet you are:

Mr. Callum Cowell	West building	Director, CELT
Mr. Matthew Kettell	West building	Manager, Study Tours
Mrs. Anne-Marie Wright	West building	Director of Studies*: General English & Bridging Course* *For class placement and study plans*
Ms Tecla Daniele	West building	Assistant Director of Studies
Ms Melissa Garnsworthy	West building	Assistant Director of Studies
Ms Cindy Siano	West building	Manager, Study Tours
Ms Michele Armstrong	West building	Assistant, Study Tours
Mrs. Shiau Lin Barnett	East building	Centre Administration Manager
Mrs. Lai	West building	Student Advisor *For homestay accommodation issues*
Mr. Quok Wei Lim (Moo)	East building	Receptionist *For computer and Wi-Fi accounts*
Ms Felicity Lindsay	East building	Enrolments Officer
Mr Adi Ravall	East building	Student Activities Officer



Accommodation: Homestay

For your stay you will be experiencing the Australian lifestyle firsthand and living with an Australian family in Perth.

Homestay for our students is arranged through one of two companies preferred by UWA; these are Talkabout Tours Australia and Australian Housing Network. Both have been arranging homestay for UWA/CELT students for many years and aim to make your stay enjoyable, educational and unforgettable.

Important Points

- Make sure you fill in your homestay preferences carefully – this helps us find the best family to stay with
- Every care will be given to place you with in the best matched family.
- Homestay placements will be advised approximately two weeks prior to the date you will start homestay
- Breakfast and dinner are provided in homestay. Lunch is only included if arranged as part of your Study Tour with details given at orientation.
- Always try to resolve any problems or concerns with your host family first. The families care a lot about the students in their home and want to make your stay as happy and comfortable as possible. They are friendly and approachable and maybe able to fix the problem quickly and easily for you.
- If you have any concerns about your homestay then visit Matthew in room 1.14 (during business hours) who will be happy to help raise your concerns with the homestay provider.
- Changing homestay families can only be attended to if you have tried to resolve the issue with your current host family first or in extreme circumstances
- If a change of homestay is approved please remember this will take approximately three days to occur



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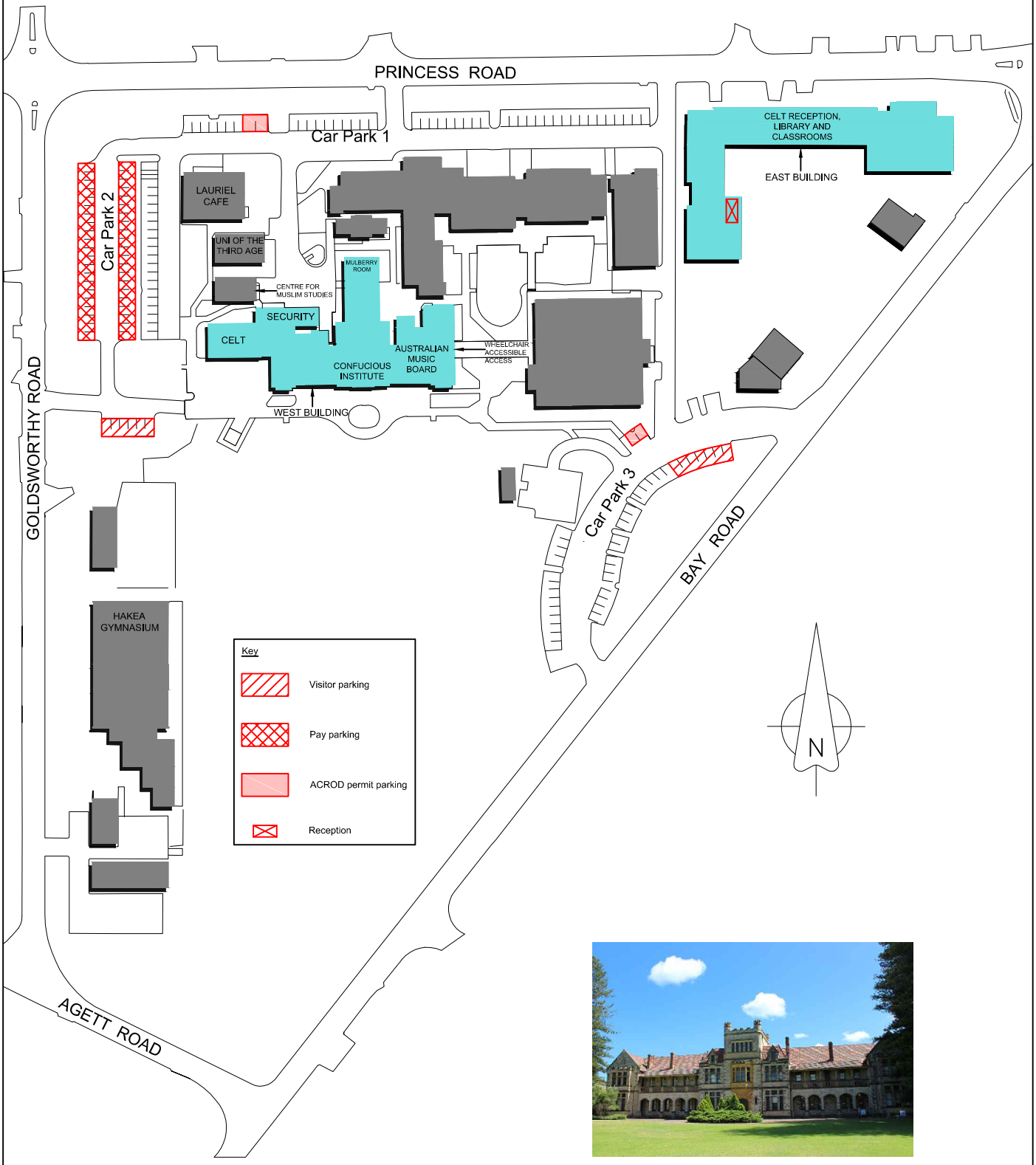
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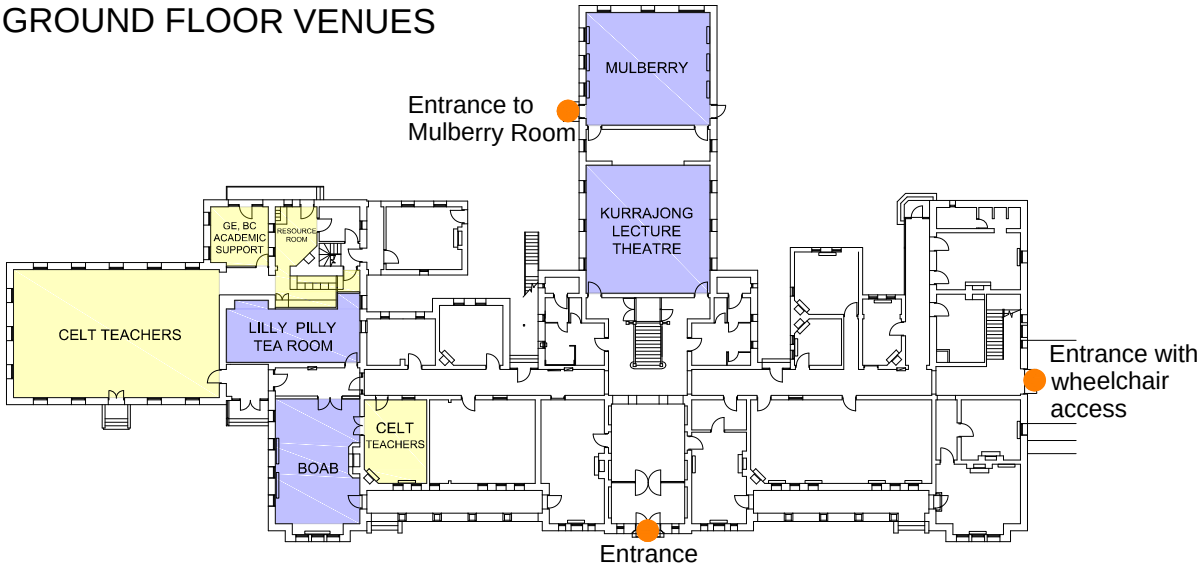
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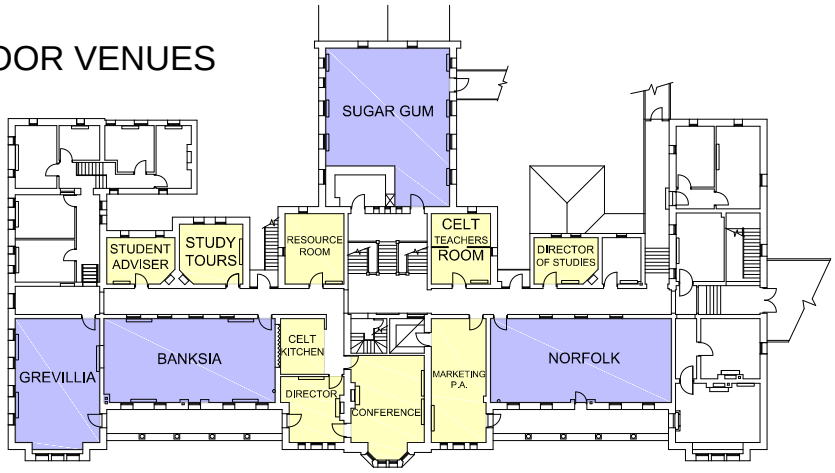
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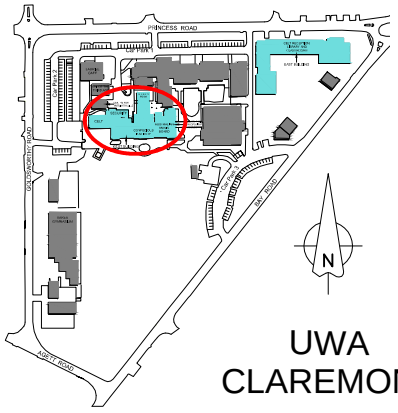
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GROUND FLOOR VENUES



FIRST FLOOR VENUES

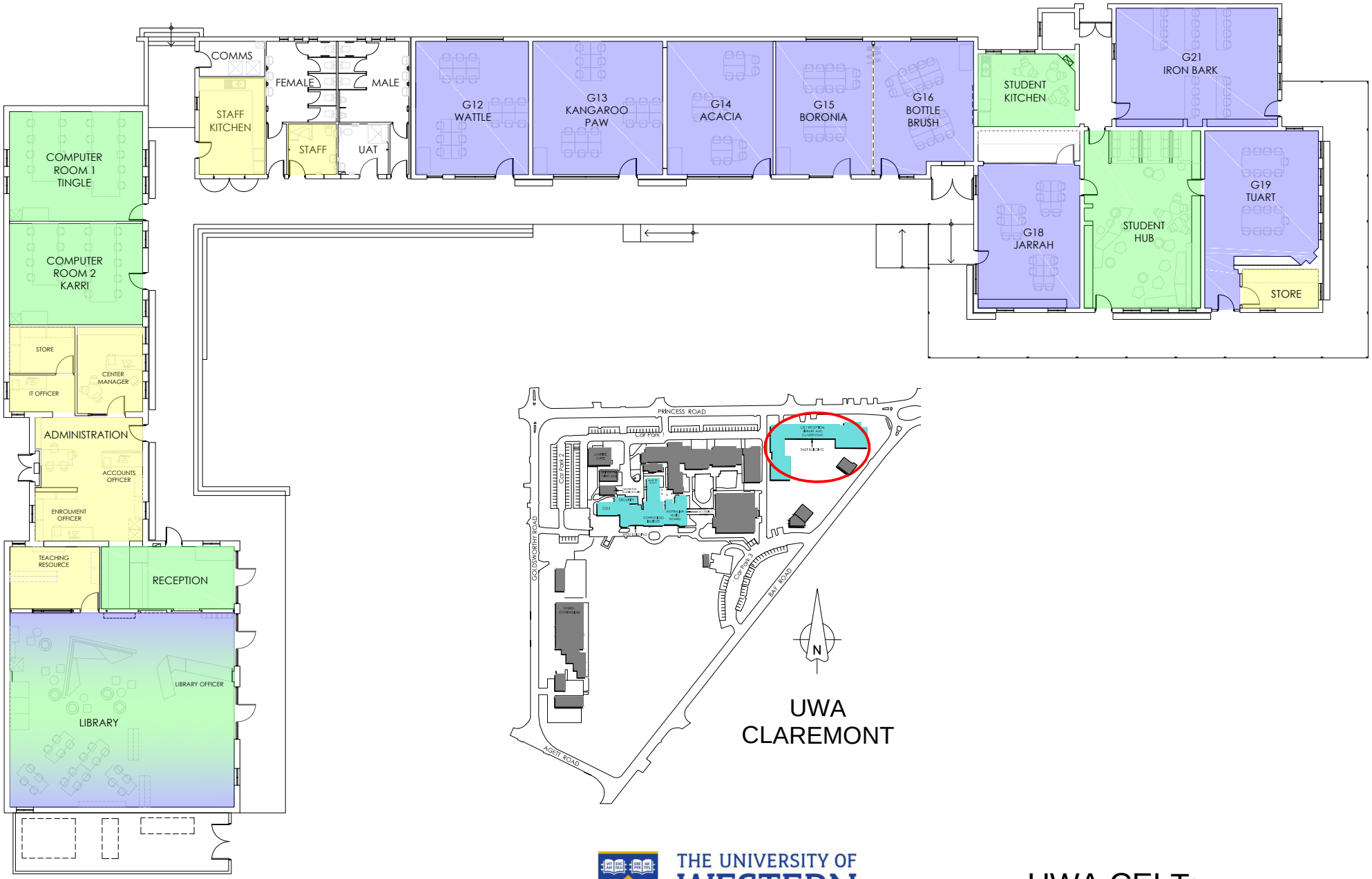




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UWA CELT:
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Before class

Public transport information to UWA Claremont



Buses from Perth city (St Georges Terrace): 103

Buses from Elizabeth Quay bus stastiom: 102, 107

Buses from Fremantle: 999, 103, 107

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