

Statement of English Language Learning Background

Explanation:

A student from a non-English speaking background must have an appropriate level of English to study in schools where English is the medium of instructions. If a student's English proficiency is too low to study mainstream subjects a course needs to be undertaken to improve English and use.

Appropriate English proficiency is a key to success at Elim Christian College.

Please complete the following questionnaire carefully so that we can make an informed decision about acceptance and placement. A parent or authorised recruitment agent must complete this questionnaire.

NAME OF STUDENT _____ YEAR LEVEL APPLIED FOR _____

Everyday English

Tick the statements that best show how frequently the student uses English everyday-(you may tick more than one statement).

- The Student often uses English for everyday communication.
- The student occasionally uses English for everyday communication.
- The Student never uses English for everyday communication.
- The student only uses English in school for English lessons.
- The student uses English to study most subjects at school.

School English

Tick the statement that best show the student's school learning of English (you may tick more than one statement).

- The student has studied English at school.
State the number of hours each week English is studied: ____
- The student has had private English lessons outside of school.
State the duration of the course. Number of weeks/years: ____
- The student has sat formal English tests such as TOEFL, IELTS, or Cambridge First Certificate.

State the test sat: _____ Result: _____ Date sat: _____

Level of English Proficiency

Tick the statement below which best shows the students present level of English.

- Advanced: The student is able to read, listen, write and speak about a wide range of academic and unfamiliar topics
- Upper-Intermediate: The student is able to read, listen, write and speak about a wide range of academic and unfamiliar topics, but will have some noticeable difficulties.
- Intermediate: The student is able to read, listen, write and speak about familiar subjects, but will need considerable support with academic and unfamiliar topics.
- Pre-Intermediate: The student can only read, listen, write and speak about familiar topics, and will not be able to understand most academic without support. the student needs a lot of extra English help.
- Elementary: The student is able to read, listen, write and speak about very simple everyday topics. Most of the students learning programme needs to be focused on learning English.

Statement of Educational Plans

Briefly describe below the reasons the student has decided to study overseas and his/her future educational plans (i.e. to study at university overseas).

Signature:

A parent or recruitment agent must sign this statement.

Name:

Relationship to the student: