

The BELFAST Programme

Building English Language For A Successful Transition

The BELFAST Programme helps you by:

- Improving your communication skills in English, so that you can get a job, a better job or promotion in the area where you have skills, qualifications and knowledge.
- Giving new opportunities to identify what you need to do to improve your English grammar and vocabulary for work and everyday living
- Helping you understand the job-hunting process in Belfast.

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English for Nursing 1

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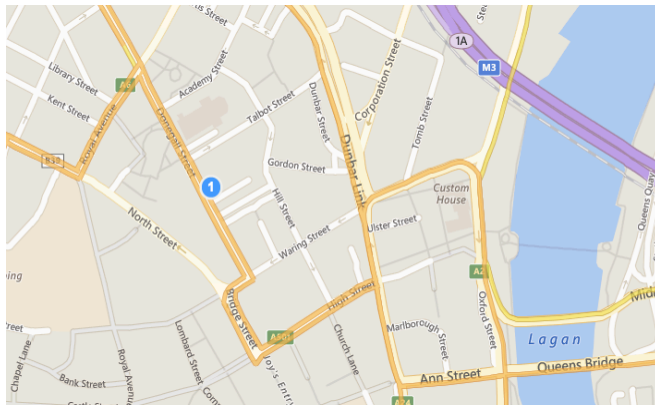
English for Nursing 1 is for you if you need to understand, speak, read and write better English in a care home, nursing home or hospital.

It can help you if you need to become more accurate and fluent in using English in the workplace and everyday life in Belfast and beyond.

- It is suitable for elementary / intermediate (A2-B1) adult (18+) learners of English
- It helps to improve general communication skills, using a structured syllabus of grammar and vocabulary, so that health care professionals can work more confidently and effectively
- The focus is on listening and speaking, using authentic activities in everyday nursing environments.

Costs

Free.



Duration and time

The programme lasts for 6 weeks. Each week you will need:

- 2 hours in the face-to-face class
- 6+ hours for private study

Content

- Admitting patients
- Caring for patients after an operation
- Caring for terminally ill patients
- The District Nurse
- Helping patients with rehabilitation
- Mobilising patients
- Medical imaging
- Helping patients with diabetes management
- Communication skills for everyday life in Belfast and beyond.

You will use

Virginia Allum and Patricia McGirr, 2010 *Cambridge English for Nursing - Pre-Intermediate*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge

The process

- **Initial test and interview:** This makes sure you are at the correct level to benefit from *English for Nursing 1*
- **Induction:** To introduce you to *English for Nursing 1*
- **Face-to-face classes:** To introduce and practise new grammar and vocabulary, with support for your private study activities
- **Self Access Centre:** You can come for private study and to meet other Learners of English.

