

Where to go for help with your academic development

For Undergraduate Students

DELNA

To book your DELNA Screening, go to www.delnatask.com/booking

Writing in English workshops

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/workshops
Select [English Language Enrichment](#)

- Creating complex sentence structures
- Using active and passive voice
- Using verb tenses
- Using the article system
- Editing and punctuation

Undergraduate workshops

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/workshops
Select [Undergraduate workshops](#)

- Paraphrasing and quoting
- Critical reading
- Planning your essay
- Writing your essay
- Referencing: The basics



Language advice

Go to: www.library.auckland.ac.nz/ele
Select [Language advice](#)

Bring your language questions to a 'drop-in' advisory session.

Check the website for session times.

Inclusive Learning

Go to: www.library.auckland.ac.nz/student-learning
Search for [Inclusive learning](#)

For students with specific learning and/or other invisible disabilities such as dyslexia, dyspraxia, Autism Spectrum Disorder and attention deficit disorders. Screenings, assessments, special exam conditions and academic development.

Academic English courses

Go to: www.arts.auckland.ac.nz
Search for [Academic English Studies](#)

ACADENG 100-101, 210

- Forms in academic English
- Academic English writing

Online language resources

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/ele
Select [ELE online](#)



Online resources

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/study-skills
Select [Writing and Presenting](#)



'Let's talk' groups

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/ele
Select [Language learning groups](#)

- Let's talk! (Mondays and Wednesdays 11-12 and Fridays 3-4).
- Let's talk to local students! (Tuesdays 11-12 and Thursdays 2-3 during Semester 1 and 2).



Your lecturer/tutor

- Meet them in person at lectures and tutorials and during office hours.
- Meet them online through Canvas and via email.

Student Counselling

Go to: www.auckland.ac.nz
Search for [Student Health and Counselling](#)

Counsellors can provide help when you're faced with academic stress.

Te Fale Pouāwhina: Māori and Pacific students

Go to www.library.auckland.ac.nz/student-learning
Select [Māori and Pacific students](#)

Workshops, study groups, wānanga/fano and advisory sessions

Speaking

- Join a University Club
Go to www.auckland.ac.nz
Select [On Campus](#) and then [Clubs and Societies](#)
- Toastmasters New Zealand
Go to www.toastmasters.org.nz
- Meet up!
Go to www.meetup.com/cities/nz/auckland/

Academic English

- Using English for Academic Purposes
Go to www.uefap.com/index.htm
- Advice on academic writing
Go to <http://advice.writing.utoronto.ca/>
- General writing
Go to https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html
- English for Uni
Go to www.adelaide.edu.au/english-for-uni
- Writing tips
Go to <https://writingcenter.unlv.edu/resources/writingtips>
- Oshima, A. & Hogue, A. (2006). *Writing academic English*. 4th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman.
- Samples of student writing
Go to awa.auckland.ac.nz
Go to auckland.ac.nz/writeatuni (Section 4:8)

Writing in the disciplines

- How to read a scientific paper
Go to www.lib.purdue.edu/help/tutorials/scientific-paper
- How to write Lab reports (Engineering)
Go to <http://iwrite.unsw.edu.au/iwrite/ENGINEERING/Getting-Started/For-Students.html>
- Report writing in science and engineering
Go to <http://learningcentre.usyd.edu.au/wrise/>
 - SciWrit: Writing in the Sciences
Go to <https://lagunita.stanford.edu/courses/Medicine/SciWrite./Fall2015/about>
 - Writing in Science and Engineering: papers, presentations and reports. [E-book](#).

Reading

- Borrow 'Readers' from [ELE](#) to develop your vocabulary and reading fluency.
- Auckland City Libraries
Go to www.aucklandcitylibraries.com

Free to join, but you will need photo ID and proof of address.

Listening

- With permission, record your lectures.
- Ted Talks Go to www.ted.com
- BBC Learning English (e.g., for Pronunciation, 6 minute English)
Go to www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish
- Listen to the radio and watch television
Go to: www.library.auckland.ac.nz/tv-radio

Vocabulary

- Free iPhone app NAWL (New Academic Word List) Builder
Go to <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/nawl-builder/id902964659?mt=8>
- AWL—Academic Word List at Victoria University, New Zealand
Go to www.victoria.ac.nz/lals/resources/academicwordlist
- English Vocabulary Exercises
Go to www.englishvocabularyexercises.com
Select [Academic Vocabulary Exercises](#)
- Vocabulary flashcards
Go to www.quizlet.com
- Tools for learning vocabulary
Go to www.just-the-word.com
- Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary
Go to www.oxfordlearnersdictionaries.com
- Collocations and phrases
Go to www.victoria.ac.nz/llc/resources/practise-online/english-as-a-second-language/vocabulary
- Manchester Academic Phrasebank
Go to www.phrasebank.manchester.ac.uk

MOOCs

- Massive Open Online Courses
Go to www.edx.org or www.coursera.org or www.futurelearn.com