

Press release

POLL REVEALS ENGLISH AS THE BIGGEST CONCERN FOR PARENTS

How is the **new PSLE 2015 syllabus** going to affect your child? Are you worried about your child's English results?

According to the latest poll on KiasuParents.com, parents worry most about the English subject in the PSLE (as at 5 September 2013).

Come to our upcoming Open Houses to discover how British Council's English courses can maximise your child's **IQ** (through lessons built upon the MOE syllabus to help students excel in their exams), **EQ** (through the British Council methodology that is based on praise and positive reinforcement) and **CQ** (through British Council's experience in helping to stimulate, motivate, engage, and nurture confident and independent thinkers).

Meet with our senior educators, sit in and observe a class to understand how our methodology can help students cope with the recent syllabus changes and how we develop students to write creatively, think critically and speak confidently.

Trial Classes Include:

- Nursery 2 to Kindergarten 2: Stories and Languages Games
- Primary 1 to 3: Reading Vocabulary and Comprehension
- Primary 4 to 6: PSLE Skills
- O-level Exam Preparation
- Secondary Comprehension Skills

Also, keep an eye out for our free parent workshops. Our experienced teachers will give you an insight into the teaching approach and range of materials used at British Council, and useful tips on how to:

- Assist your child with secondary comprehension skills
- Help your child ace the **PSLE 2015** exams
- Guide your child in creative writing, by Duncan Watt
- Encourage and lead your child through the early stages of reading

Get up to **\$250** off as well as a free welcome pack for all registrations for **English for School** courses that take place during the Open Houses. A mystery gift will also be given for the first 100 full-year 2014 course registrations at each centre.

EVENT DETAILS



Napier Road Centre

30 Napier Road
Singapore 258509

Date: 26 October 2013, Saturday

Time: 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Marsiling Centre

1 Woodlands Street 31
#04-01 Fuchun Community Club
Singapore 738581

Date: 22 October 2013, Tuesday to 27 October 2013 (Sunday)

Time: 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Tampines Centre

11 Tampines Concourse
#01-02/03/04
Singapore 528729

Date: 30 November 2013, Saturday

Time: 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Toa Payoh Centre

480 Lorong 6 Toa Payoh
#09-01 HDB Hub, East Wing
Singapore 310480

Date: 1 December 2013, Sunday

Time: 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Registration for the trial lessons and parent workshops is compulsory.

Register online at: www.britishcouncil.org.sg/OpenHouse2013

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