

# Summer School

*Don't leave home without it!*

**SILA**  
SUMMER INSTITUTE OF  
LINGUISTICS AUSTRALIA



Thinking of serving cross-culturally? SILA's 6-week Summer School will dramatically increase your chances of success in working across cultures or learning another language.

## Next Summer School: 7 January–17 February 2016

*Orientation: 5–6 January*

*Participating in Summer School will build your skills and confidence in language learning, phonetics, awareness of how languages work and understanding other cultures.*

**Anthropology** will introduce you to some basic concepts and help you understand and appreciate your own and other cultures. You will also learn to observe and reflect on cultural events and discuss important aspects of how to develop good cross-cultural relationships.

**Phonetics** will introduce you to the amazing variety of sounds in the languages of the world. You'll stretch your mouth and train your ears as you learn to hear, say and write them.

**Language Learning** introduces strategies and techniques to help you succeed at language learning, whether or not you ever go to language school. You will practise these strategies with a native speaker of another language and gain confidence and skills for your future language learning.

**Language Awareness** will help you discover some fascinating aspects of language and language structure. This will enhance your ability to learn another language.

*This is a non-accredited course. On completion students will receive an SIL Australia Certificate. It is possible to receive credit for some Summer School subjects through our partner organisations. Contact us for further information.*

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**Wycliffe**  
National Centre



### Location

Our campus is in an attractive rural setting at Kangaroo Ground, 35 km north-east of the City of Melbourne, approximately 10 minutes drive from Eltham railway station.

### Student Facilities

The campus has air-conditioned classrooms and computer lab. The library has a catalogue with over 20,000 volumes including books, journals, and audio-visual material focusing on linguistics, literacy, translation and anthropology.

### Accommodation Facilities

All accommodation is managed by Wycliffe Australia. For bookings please see online application at <https://www.silaustralia.org.au/training/apply-now>

- Family units are fully furnished and self-contained, including crockery, cutlery and linen
- Single accommodation consists of some rooms with shared bathrooms, some with ensuites and shared lounge facilities
- Single and Double units are fully furnished, including communal kitchen, crockery, cutlery and linen

Single	\$110/week
Couple	\$200/week
Family with one child	\$212/week
Family with 2-4 children	\$260/week

### How to Apply

Apply online at [www.silaustralia.org.au/training/apply-now/](http://www.silaustralia.org.au/training/apply-now/)  
Applications close **15 November 2015**

### Entry Requirements

Minimum of 18 years of age at commencement of course.  
English language proficiency IELTS minimum overall 6.5 on the academic test obtained within the previous 24 months, if English is not your first language.

### Tuition Fees

Students studying non-accredited Summer School subjects at SIL Australia, \$2300  
Contact us for part-time options

*'The training I received was crucial in helping me communicate effectively and sensitively in the cross-cultural context.'*

—Kim Yuen, former student

For more information

[www.silaustralia.org.au/training/courses/summer-school/](http://www.silaustralia.org.au/training/courses/summer-school/)