



2 Week Mini Group Sample Programme – Intermediate, CEFR B1

All Language in Totnes General English courses are structured as follows:

Lesson 1 = Course book-based/Language input*

Lesson 2 = Language consolidation/Free and controlled practice with a balance of productive and receptive skills**

*Lesson 1 on Fridays are used as recycling of language/skills focus **Lesson 2 on Fridays are used as Study skills sessions

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08.45 – 10.15	Placement test Welcome Talk Totnes orientation tour		Language focus – use of auxiliary verbs Pronunciation –strong and weak auxiliaries		Listening – Life circles – focus on prediction and comprehension sub-skills Speaking – Life circles – focus on accuracy
10.30 – 12.00	Study skills session		Reading – Famous families – focus on scanning and comprehension sub-skills		Study skills – dictionary use and word building with a dictionary
14.15 – 15.45		Language focus – revision of verb forms Lexical focus – past and present time phrases		Speaking – Famous people from your country – focus on fluency	
16.00 – 17.30		Pronunciation – regular verb -ed endings Speaking – Families through the ages – focus on fluency		Writing – planning and drafting a biography / correction slot	

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Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08.45 – 10.15	Language focus – relative clauses (defining and non-defining)		Language focus - Quantifiers		Speaking – Would you eat...? discussion – focus on accuracy
10.30 – 12.00	Speaking – Events and celebration around the world		Reading – Food festivals around the world – focus on skimming/scanning		Study skills –guessing meaning from context
14.15 – 15. 45		Lexical focus – extreme adjectives		Language focus – Contracted relative clauses	
16.00 – 17.30		Listening – Describing a memorable event– focus on comprehension sub-skills Speaking - Describing a memorable event– focus on fluency		Writing – Memorable event in the history of... - focus on accuracy Correction slot	

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