

Third age courses in Malta



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Learning a language purely for pleasure is becoming a more popular past-time among students in the 50+ age group. A number of language schools in Malta cater for the more mature student, encouraging them to brush up on their English language skills whilst also enjoying a holiday environment.

Activities and extra options to explore the local surroundings are often a feature of third age courses and many of the schools listed below offer social and sightseeing opportunities for their older-aged students. Separate accommodation options are also likely to be available for these types of students.

Location	Name of school	Third age lang courses offered		Average age of students	Max. no. of students in class	Min. no. of hours lang. tuition p/w	Min. length of course (wks)	Min. lang. proficiency required	Separate accommodation?	Accommodation options					Social activities offered			Tuition fees (US\$)	Accommodation fees (US\$)	Agency commission (%)	
		Year round	Limited season only							Residential	Host family	Private apartment	Hotel	Bed & Breakfast	Sightseeing	Social events	Evening activities				Sports
Gozo	International House Malta-Gozo		●	57	6	15	1	e	●										req	req	15
Kercem	BELS	●		50	4	15	1	e	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	310	250	20
Msida	International School of English	●		50	6	v	3	n	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	140	366	15
San Gwann	Gateway International School of English	●		55	6	15	1	n	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100	230	20
Sliema	am Language Studio	●		40-50	12	req	1	n		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	141	168	req
Sliema	LAL Malta	req	req	53	10	15	2	e		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	168	63	15-20
Sliema	English Language Academy	●		60	v	15	1	n		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	167	92	25*
Sliema	Inlingua School of Languages	●		55-60	10	15	1	n		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	req	req	req
St Julians	EC Malta		●	56-60	6	15	2	e	req		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	req	req	15
St Julians	EF International Language Schools	●		50-60	17	17	2	n	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	250	150	req
St Julians	Magister Academy	●	●	62	10	15	2	n	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	150	170	20
TAXbiex	Universal Language Services Malta	●		53	6	15	2	n	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	130	95	10
Valletta	Britannia College	●	●	50	8	2	1	e	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	176	196	20*
Various	Eurolingua	●		55	2	15	1	n	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	req	req	20*

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Course Guide

The table above is a general guide only to a selection of language schools in Malta offering third age language programmes. All facts should be checked with the individual schools listed. For a school's contact details, please email us with its name, location and the reference: "Course Guide JUN/07"

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