

Code	LTL 100
Name	Learning to Learn 100
Hours per week	2
Credit Value	2
ECTS	2
Level/Year	English Prep.
Type	Compulsory
Prerequisites	None
Description	This course has been set up to make all Prep. students better learners; it exposes them to some fundamentals of studying at a university, and trains them to be better at learning language. The course is based on consciousness raising activities allied with practical exercises.
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To acquaint students with the concept of self-directed learning, and to wean them off more schoolish notions of the roles of student and teacher; 2. To introduce (and check student understanding of) the academic requirements of the Prep. Program; 3. To teach self-management, including: goal setting; time management; and self-care through the maintenance of a balance between study, social life, and health; 4. To ensure that students have at least rudimentary study skills, including: techniques for language learning; strategies for working cooperatively; and an awareness of the general exigences of Academic Integrity; 5. To ensure that students have adequate IT skills that will facilitate their learning of English, including familiarity with the university's learning management and information systems.
Learning Outcomes	<p>At the end of the <i>Learning to Learn 100</i> course, learners will be able to:</p> <p>LO1. organise themselves in order to meet the Prep. Program's academic requirements (course work, assignments, personal study, and assessments), while remaining health and sociable;</p> <p>LO2. use IT skills necessary for both navigating the AGU Prep. Program and enhancing their learning of English;</p> <p>LO3. apply effective study skills, including: learning new vocabulary; taking, organising, and reviewing notes; and exploiting practice materials;</p> <p>LO4. work collaboratively, inside the classroom and out;</p> <p>LO5. demonstrate understanding of the absolute requirement to complete assignments in an academically honest manner;</p> <p>LO6. continue their studies in a self-directed manner (knowing where to find support as required, and how to access materials for autonomous study).</p>

CONTRIBUTION TO PROGRAMME OUTCOMES*

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
LO1	5	3	1	3	2	3	4	3	3	3	4	2
LO2	4	3	2	4	1	4	4	2	4	2	4	1
LO3	5	4	4	5	3	3	5	3	3	3	5	5
LO4	4	3	2	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	2

LO5	3	3	5	5	1	3	3	2	3	2	1	5
LO6	5	5	2	5	4	5	5	3	3	3	5	3

* Contribution Level: 0: None, 1: Very Low, 2: Low, 3: Medium, 4: High, 5: Very High

COURSE CONTENT DETAILS

Topics	Outcomes
The nature of the Prep. Program	LO1, LO2
Studying autonomously - introduction to ' <i>Our World 100</i> '	LO6
AGU's learning management, and student information, systems	LO1, LO6
Conceptual thinking and graphic organisers	LO3
English vocabulary for education	LO3
Understanding rubrics, and using rubrics for self-evaluation	LO1, LO6
University student responsibilities	LO1, LO2, LO6
Using IT for English study	LO2, LO3
Appropriate communication	LO1, LO4, LO5
The setting and achievement of a personal study program	LO1, LO6
Learning words	LO2, LO3
Cumulative learning and effective examination preparation	LO1, LO3, LO6
Taking and making notes	LO3
Collaborative learning	LO4
Academic Honesty	LO1, LO5