

# ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES QUALIFYING (ELSQ)

This is a list of the English Language Studies Qualifying (ELSQ) courses available at KPU.

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## **ELSQ 0015** **6 Credits**

### **Basic English Communication**

Students with very limited English will, in this combined-skills course, develop their speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills in a classroom environment.

*Prerequisites: KPU ELST placement into ELSQ 0015*

*Attributes: F2D*

## **ELSQ 0021 (formerly ELST 0021)** **6 Credits**

### **Introductory Reading and Writing**

Students will learn and practise introductory reading and writing. They will focus primarily on upper beginner functional English for university studies.

*Prerequisites: KPU ELST placement into ELSQ 0021*

*Attributes: F2D*

## **ELSQ 0023** **6 Credits**

### **Introductory Listening and Speaking**

Students will learn and practise listening and speaking in English. They will develop essential English listening and conversation skills at the upper beginner level on topics related to university studies.

*Prerequisites: ELSQ 0015 with a B- or KPU ELST placement into ELSQ 0023.*

*Attributes: F2D*

## **ELSQ 0031 (formerly ELST 0031)** **6 Credits**

### **Pre-Foundation Reading and Writing**

Students will develop reading and writing skills to a lower intermediate level of competence. They will improve their reading strategies, grammar control, spelling accuracy, and critical thinking skills by participating in learning tasks related to university studies.

*Prerequisites: One of the following: (a) ELSQ 0021 (B-) (b) KPU ELST placement into ELSQ 0031*

*Attributes: F2D*

## **ELSQ 0033 (formerly ELST 0033)** **6 Credits**

### **Pre-Foundation Listening and Speaking**

Students will develop listening and speaking skills to a lower intermediate level of competence. They will practise using listening strategies and new vocabulary in English conversation by participating in a variety of communicative learning tasks related to university studies.

*Prerequisites: One of the following: (a) ELSQ 0023 (B-) (b) KPU ELST placement into ELSQ 0033*

*Attributes: F2D*