



# English in Dubai

Move forward with us

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# About Us

Language learning that empowers, connects, and transforms

## Headway Institute is **more** than just a language center

It's a place where people from all walks of life come to grow, connect, and unlock their full potential through language. Since our founding in 2015, we have been proud to serve as one of Dubai's leading KHDA-accredited institutions, delivering high-quality, practical language education to a diverse and international community of learners.

We believe that language is the key to building confidence, gaining independence, and creating opportunities, both personally and professionally. Whether you are learning English to advance in your career, studying for a university entrance exam, helping your child build a strong academic foundation, or exploring a new culture through its language, Headway Institute is here to support you every step of the way.



## Our teaching **philosophy** is simple

Language learning should be **practical**, **goal-oriented**, and **personalized**. We focus on real-life communication, small class sizes, and flexible schedules, so you can make real progress — no matter your age, background, or starting level.

# What We Offer

## English Language Programs



**General English** (Intensive and Semi-intensive) for adults and young learners

**IELTS** and **TOEFL** exam preparation

**Academic English** for university and visa requirements

**Business English** focuses on workplace communication and presentations

**Family English** courses: young learners and their parents study at the same time

### 👤 Other Language Courses

- More than **13 languages**, including: Arabic, Russian, French, Italian, Spanish, and more
- Courses for complete **beginners** to advanced learners
- Individual** and **group** classes available on-site or online

### 🏢 Corporate Training

- Language courses tailored to **company needs**
- Soft skills training** in areas such as communication, leadership, and negotiation
- On-site** or **online** training options for maximum convenience

### 🎖 Academic Support

- Academic tutoring** in English and Mathematics
- IB** and **GCSE** exam preparation
- Native-speaking tutors** with deep knowledge of international curricula

### 👶 Young Learners & Mother Tongue

- Language development** for young learners
- Bilingual support & native language** maintenance
- Focus on **speaking, comprehension, and literacy**

# Why Choose Us?



**10k+**

happy students



**200+**

companies trained



**1000+**

students enrolled  
every month



**13+**

languages offered



**4.8**

average Google rating



**100%**

commitment to your  
success



## We Welcome All Levels

From beginners to fluent speakers



## Qualified and Experienced Native-Speaking Instructors

For natural pronunciation and real-world vocabulary. Most hold Master's degrees in teaching and have 5–15 years of teaching experience.



## Flexible Study Times

Morning: 09:00 – 13:30; Afternoon: 12:30 – 17:00; Evening: 17:00 – 21:30



## Small Class Sizes

Max 15 students per group for effective, focused learning



## Being a Dubai Resident is Being Cosmopolitan

Get a 1-year student visa with Headway Institute, make memories and meet new friends from all over the globe



## Social Calendar

A unique blend of activities to showcase the best Dubai has to offer



## A Multilingual Team

Is ready to support you every step of the way, and assist you in your language, from choosing your course to achieving your goals



## Official Dubai Government Accreditation

KHDA accreditation proves that our quality is in adherence to Dubai's educational standards

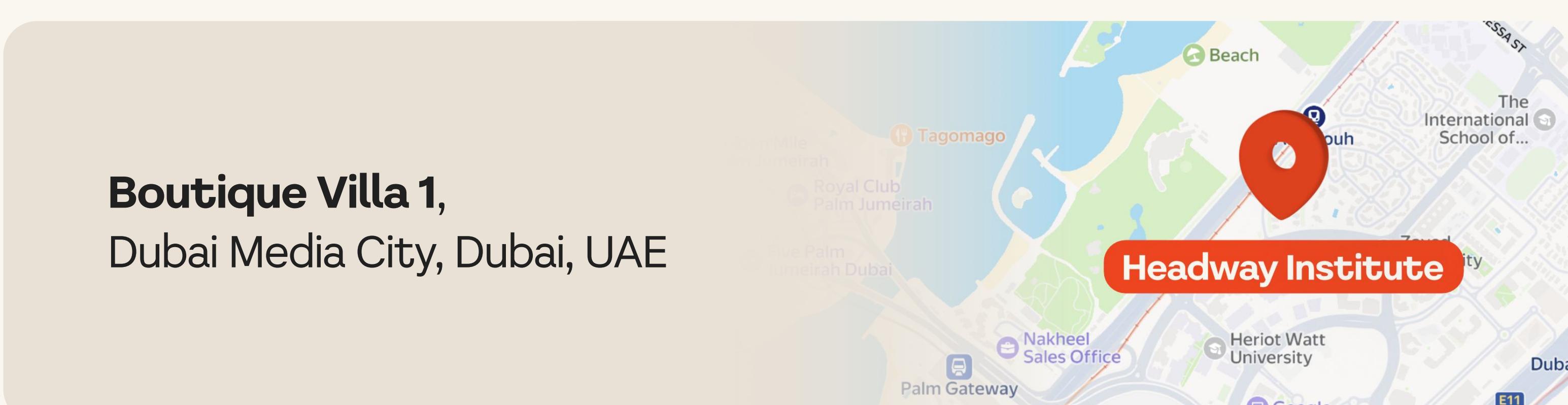
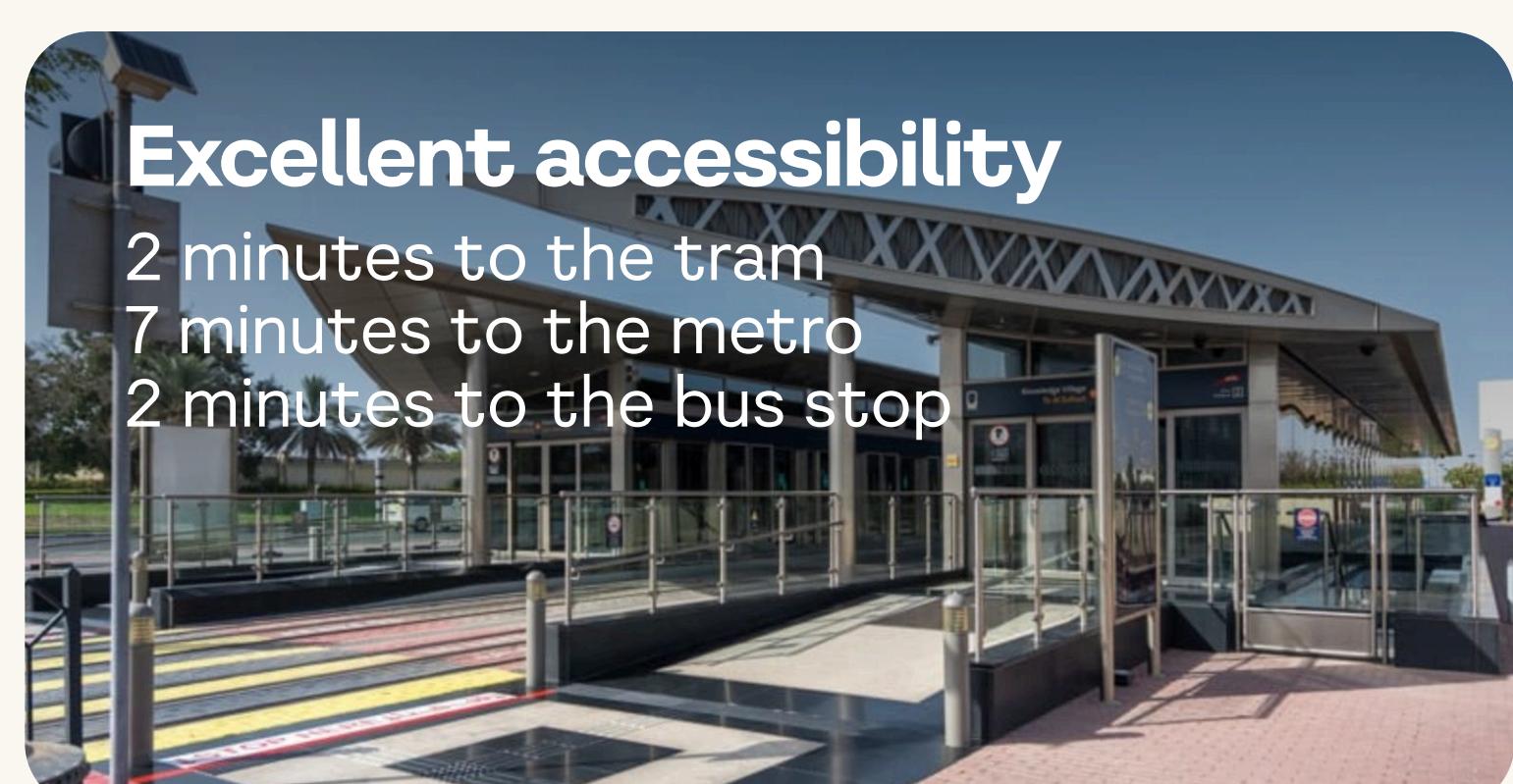
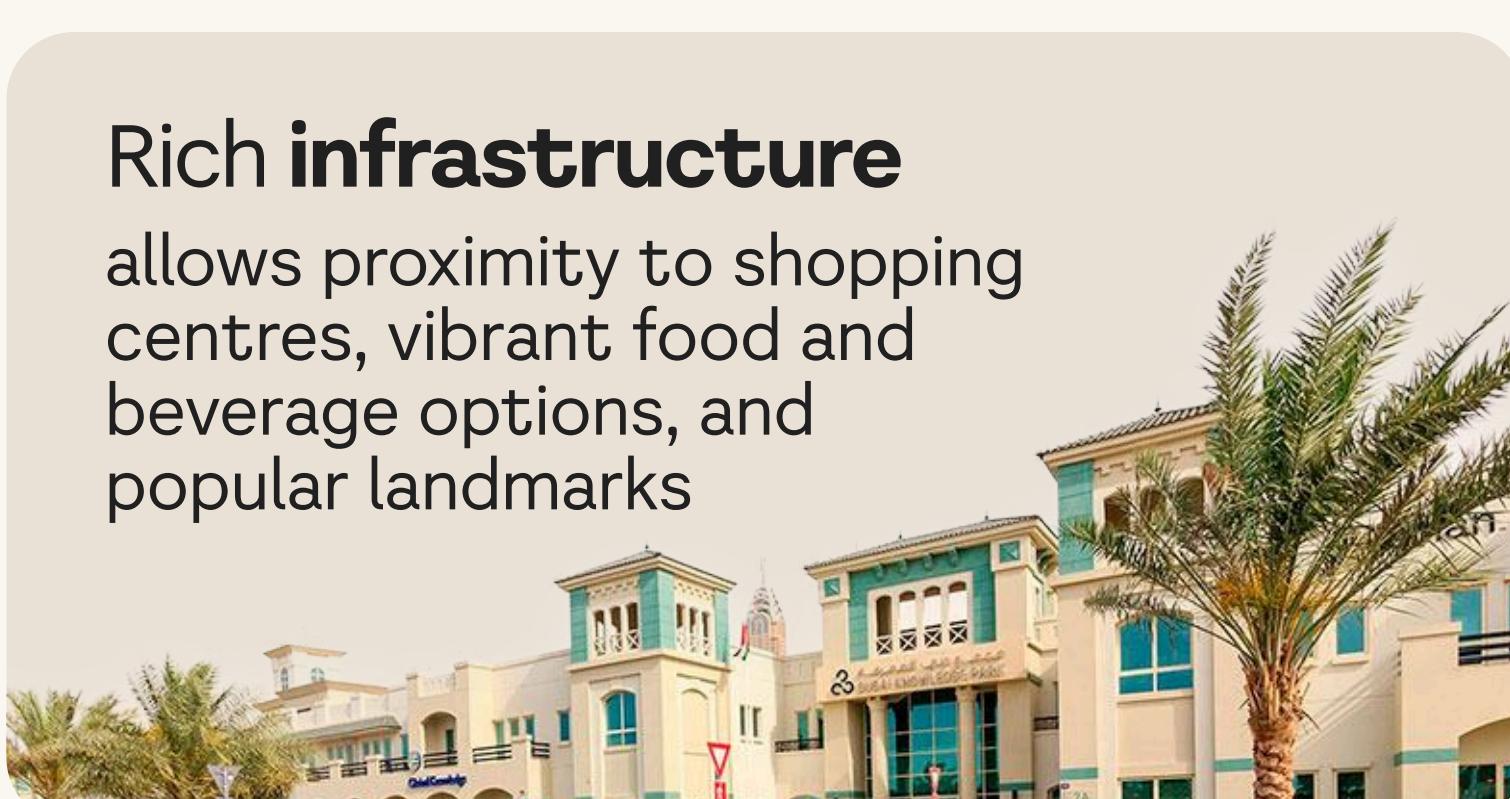
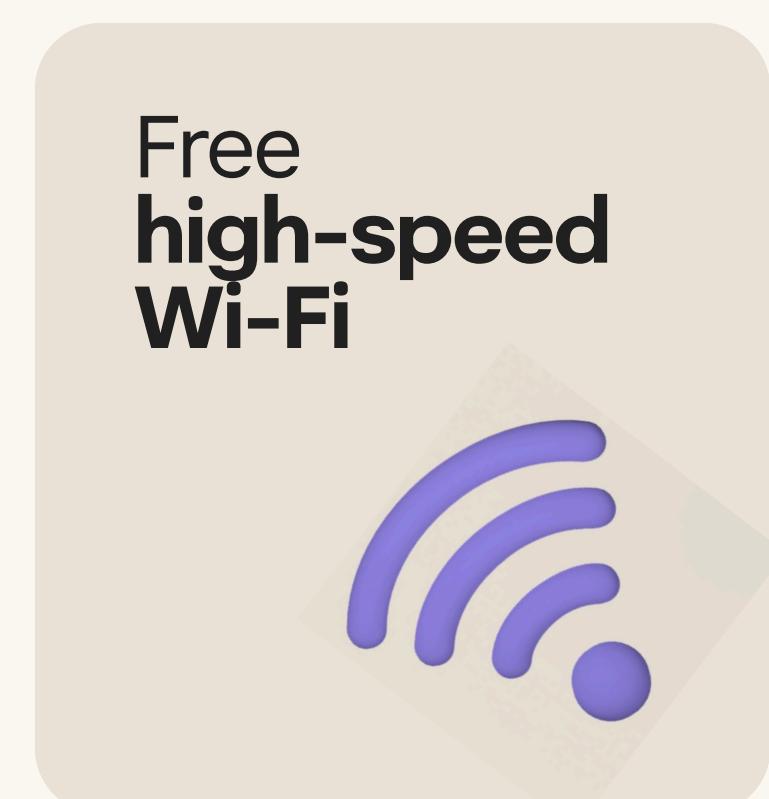
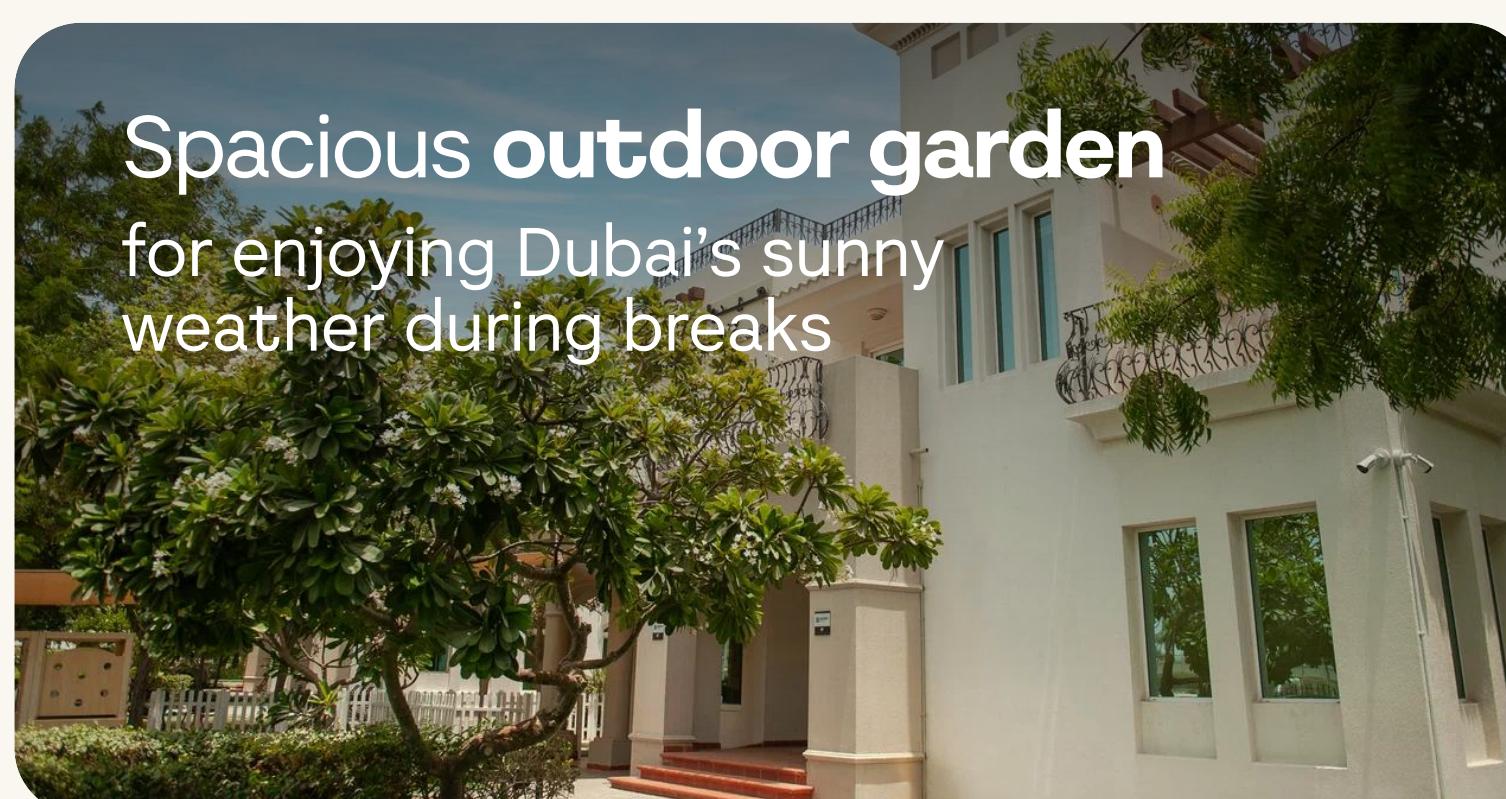
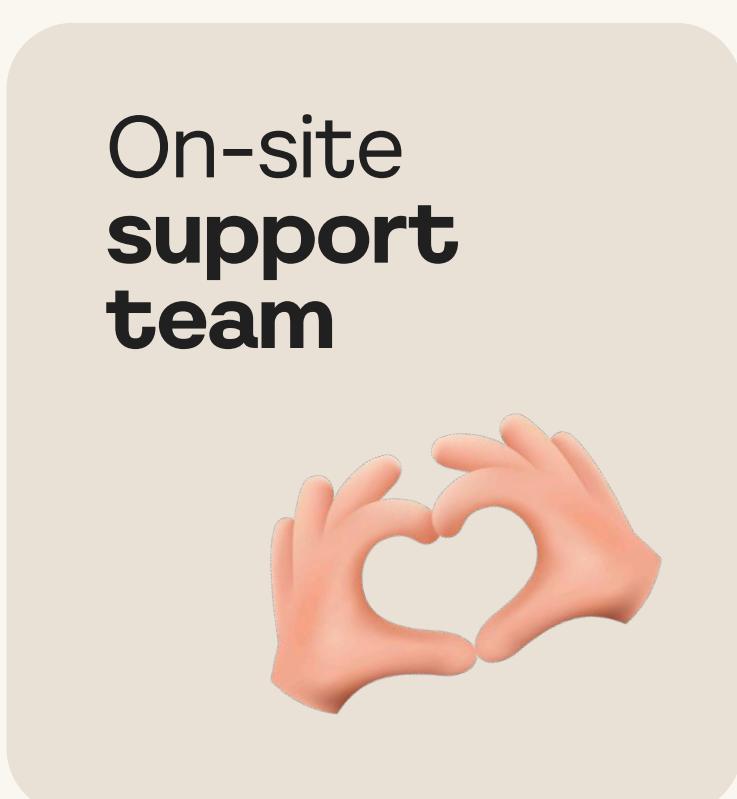
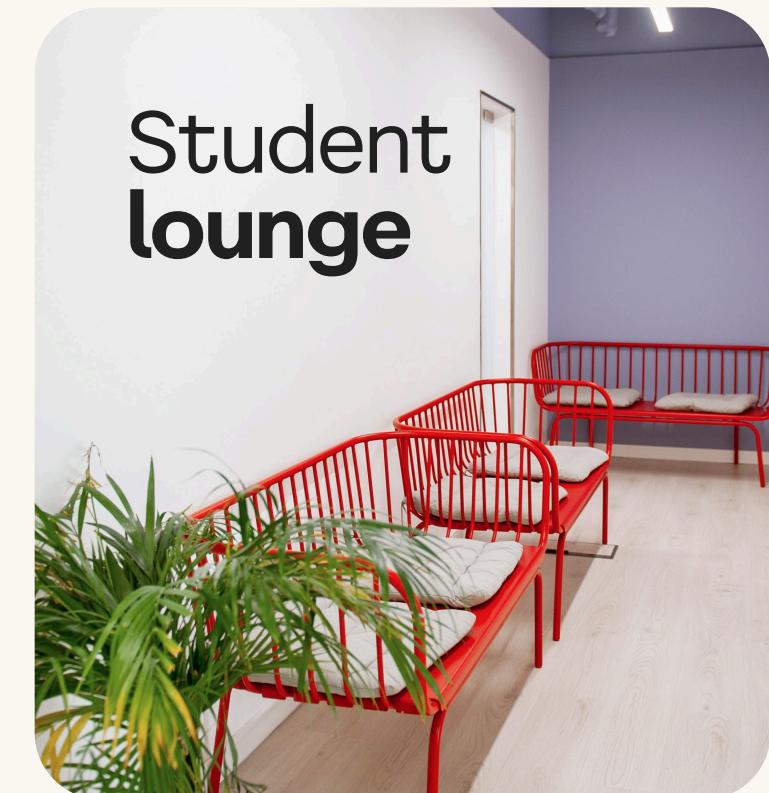


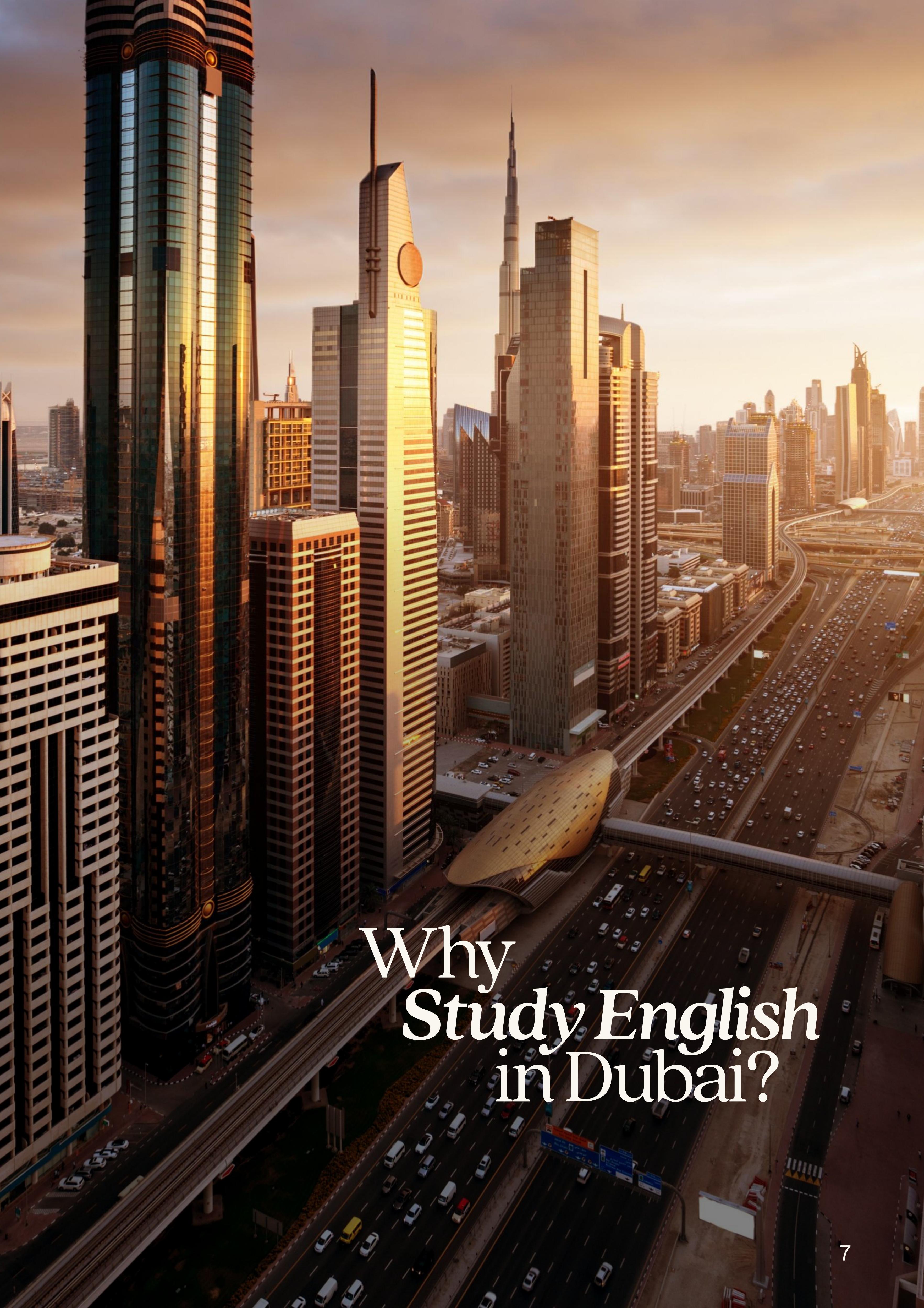
## Recognized Certification

Every completed course includes a certificate of achievement that enhances your CV or Application

# Our Campus & Location

We've created a learning environment that is as **supportive** and **inspiring** as our teaching. Located in a **central area** of Dubai, our Modern campus is designed to make you feel welcome, comfortable, and focused.





Why  
Study English  
in Dubai?



### English Is Everywhere

As the primary language of business, education, and daily communication, English is deeply woven into everyday life in Dubai. From ordering food and attending lectures to networking events and career fairs — English is not just taught, it's lived. Studying here means being immersed in the language in and outside the classroom, which accelerates both fluency and confidence.



### A Safe, Modern, and Student-Friendly City

Dubai consistently ranks among the safest cities in the world, offering peace of mind for international students and their families. Its world-class transport, healthcare, and digital infrastructure make daily life efficient and comfortable. Whether you're commuting to class, relaxing in a café, or exploring the city's many landmarks, you'll find Dubai clean, welcoming, and easy to navigate.



### A Gateway to Culture, Nature, and Career Growth

Dubai offers more than just city life. On weekends, you can explore the desert dunes, hike in the Hajar Mountains, or relax on white-sand beaches by the Arabian Gulf or Gulf of Oman. You're also just a short drive from Abu Dhabi, Sharjah, and Ras Al Khaimah. And for those thinking long-term, Dubai is home to countless multinational companies, opening doors to internships, networking, and career opportunities — all in English.



### Global Diversity, Local Warmth

With **over 85% of its population made up of expatriates**, Dubai is one of the most multicultural cities in the world. This diversity fosters tolerance, cross-cultural friendships, and an open-minded atmosphere where students can practice English daily with people from all backgrounds, preparing them for truly international communication.



### A Dynamic Social Life and International Events Scene

Dubai is alive with energy. From year-round global events like Expo City exhibitions, Art Dubai, Dubai Shopping Festival, and international food and music festivals, the city offers endless opportunities to socialize, discover, and engage. Whether you prefer rooftop lounges, beach clubs, or late-night cafés, Dubai's vibrant nightlife and diverse social calendar make it easy to meet new people, practice English in real-life settings, and enjoy a balanced, exciting student life.

# Visa Support

At Headway Institute, we support our international students through every step of the visa process. Our admissions team will guide you from document preparation to application submission, ensuring a smooth, stress-free experience—whether you're applying for a short-term or 1-year visa.

## 1-Year Student Resident Visa

Students enrolling in a course lasting **24 weeks or longer** are eligible for a **12-month student resident visa**, fully sponsored by Headway Institute.



### Access to postpaid mobile plans

Benefit from cost-effective mobile plans with better call rates, mobile data, and long-term packages.



### Health insurance coverage

Stay protected with basic medical insurance coverage throughout your stay.



### Multiple-entry visa

Travel in and out of the UAE freely during your visa validity period — ideal for visiting family or exploring the region.



### Long-term housing eligibility

Rent apartments or shared accommodations under your name.



### Driving license eligibility

Apply for a UAE driving license — convenient for commuting or weekend travel.



### More job opportunities

Some internship and work placements require a valid Emirates ID and resident visa — open more doors to professional development while you study.

## Short-term Visas

For students enrolled in programmes of less than 24 weeks and in need of a visa, the school will help with the application for a short-term visa covering the stay.

## Processing Times

Short-Term Visa **3 – 14 days**

1-Year Visa **7 – 21 days**

## Visa Application Requirements:

To apply, students must submit:

- Enrolment confirmation in a Headway Institute course
- A clear passport scan (PDF, 300 dpi, valid for at least 14 months)
- A recent passport-sized color photo (white background)
- A signed offer letter from Headway Institute

## Visa Approval Rate

Over 95% consistently

\*T&C apply

# Accommodation

Finding a place to live in a new city doesn't have to be stressful. At Headway Dubai, we've partnered with trusted student housing providers to offer convenient, modern, and budget-friendly accommodation, so you can focus on what matters: your learning journey.

## Accommodation Partners

The Myriad Dubai

KSK Homes

Yugo Dubailand



**Single**  
Accommodation



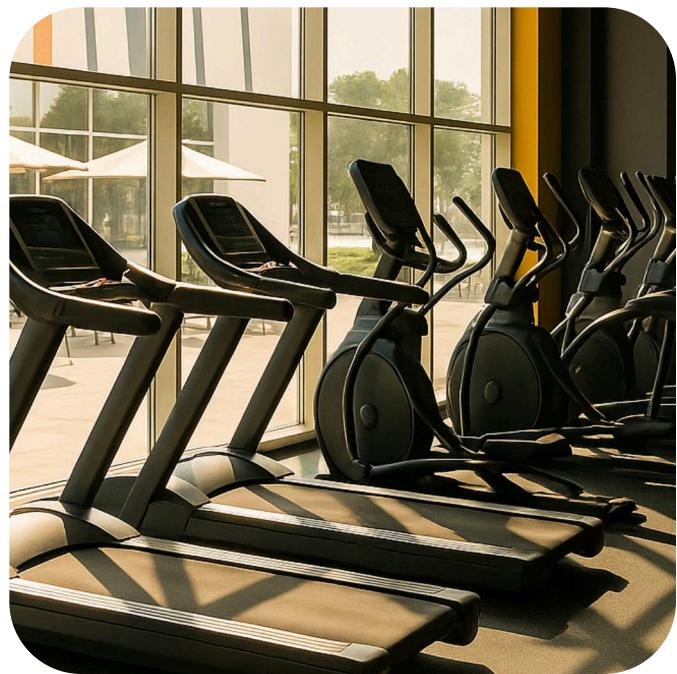
**Shared**  
Accommodation



**Laundry**  
Facilities



**Transportation**  
to & from Campus



**Wellness Facilities**  
(Gym, Pool)



**Recreation**  
Facilities



**Safety**  
(24/7 Security)



**Food & Beverage**  
Options



## Made for Students

Purpose-built accommodation, managed specifically for students



## All-Inclusive

Cost-effective and convenient — includes rent, utilities, high-speed Wi-Fi, and transportation



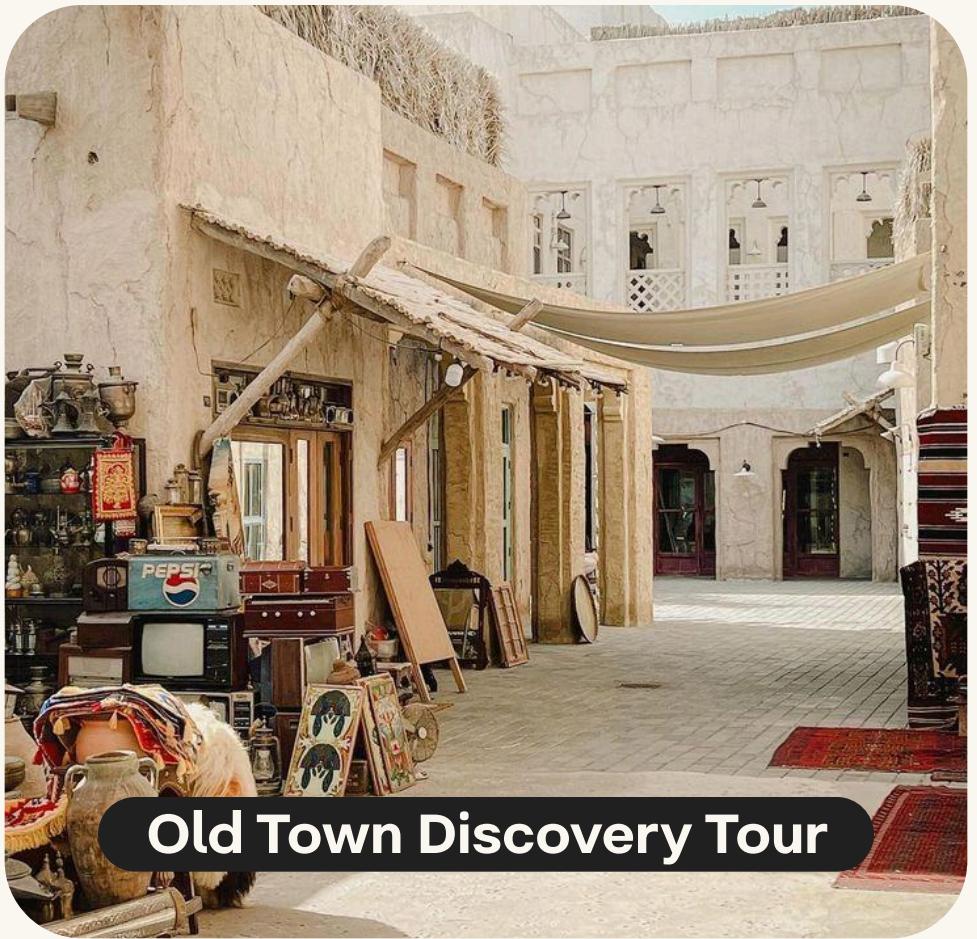
## Room Choices

A range of room options to suit different preferences and needs

# Our Social Program

From **ancient souks** to **futuristic skyscrapers**, Dubai blends old-world charm with cutting-edge experiences.

Camel rides or skydiving? Traditional cuisine or fine dining in the clouds? In Dubai, **you don't have to choose** – you can have it all.



# Our Methodology & Language Framework

At Headway Institute, we follow the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), ensuring structured progress and measurable results for every learner.

We deliver dynamic, communication-based lessons in small groups, led by qualified native-speaking instructors. Our focus is on student-centred learning, where the teacher acts as a facilitator, creating the right environment for learners to build confidence and autonomy.



Weekly assessments and continuous progress tracking



Strict quality control and personalized support



Real-life language use through authentic materials



Interactive activities like role plays, case studies, and language games



Emphasis on practical skills over rote grammar

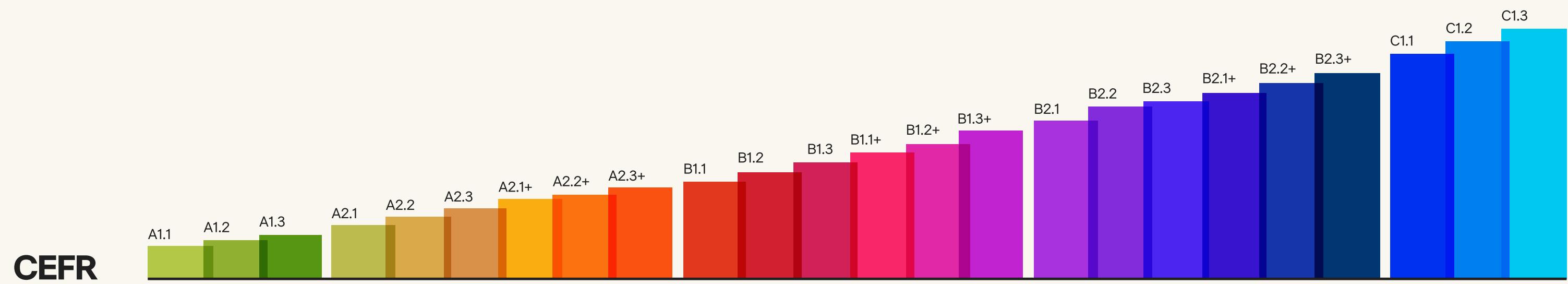


A fully immersive and engaging learning experience

With Headway, language learning is **not just effective** – it's empowering, relevant, and tailored to each student's goals.

# Our Methodology & Language Framework

Our programme is structured as per the internationally recognized Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) and includes the following courses:



	A1	A2	B1	B2	C1
<b>IELTS (approx.)</b>	-	3.5 - 4.0	4.5 - 5.0	5.5 - 6.5	7.0 - 8.0
<b>ACTFL (approx.)</b>	Novice	Intermediate (Low-Mid)	Intermediate (High)	Advanced (Low-Mid)	Advanced (High)
<b>TOEFL iBT (approx.)</b>	-	-	42 - 71	72 - 94	95 - 114

## A1

Can introduce themselves and exchange very simple information about identity, origin, and work. Understands slow, clear speech in routine settings (e.g., cafés, shops) and can make polite, basic requests. Can read short notices and messages and write simple notes.

## A2

Can describe daily routines, past events, and near-future plans in simple language. Can handle common real-life tasks such as buying tickets, checking into a hotel, shopping, and reading timetables. Can express basic opinions and preferences, and write short, straightforward emails or messages.

## B1

Can speak with confidence about familiar topics such as work, travel, and health, explaining reasons and plans, and paraphrasing to clarify. Can follow the gist of news and podcasts at normal speed and participate in everyday discussions. Can produce coherent texts of about 150–200 words, including emails, reviews, and simple for/against essays.

## B2

Can understand complex texts and most conversations with native speakers, including unfamiliar topics. Can argue a viewpoint, express doubts and hypotheses, and take part in debates, adjusting register for study or work. Can write well-developed reports and essays, and deliver structured presentations.

## C1

Can understand long, dense texts and implied meanings and tone with ease. Can speak fluently and precisely, flexibly adapting register and lexis across professional and academic contexts, and synthesizing information from multiple sources. Can produce well-structured analytical texts of 300–400+ words and lead presentations and negotiations confidently.

## Time to complete

1 sublevel

**~2 weeks**

from 24 academic hours

Whole level

**~6 weeks**

from 72 academic hours



# Our Courses



# General English for Adults

Our Courses

## Intensive and Semi-Intensive programs

Our General English courses focus on improving your communication skills across all key areas: speaking, listening, reading, and writing. You'll also develop your grammar, vocabulary, and pronunciation through practical, level-based lessons. Choose between semi-intensive (15 hours/week) or intensive (20 hours/week) formats to suit your schedule and goals.

-  Start: Every Monday, except Bank Holidays
-  15 to 20 hours per week
-  A1 – C1
-  16+ years old
-  Up to 16 students per class
-  2 to 48 weeks



# Exam Preparation

Our Courses

Our exam preparation courses are designed to help students build the skills, strategies, and confidence needed to achieve strong results. Led by experienced instructors, the programs cover key areas such as reading, listening, speaking, and writing, with a focus on exam-specific techniques. Students can take their exams at nearby test centers, and we're happy to assist with registration.

We offer preparation for **IELTS**, **TOEFL**, **DELF** (French), **DELE** (Spanish), **OSD** (German), **TORFL** (Russian), as well as **IB**, **SAT**, and **IGCSE** exams for school-aged learners.

- Start: Subject to availability
- 20 hours per week
- B1+ for IELTS and TOEFL;  
A1+ for other languages
- 16+ years old
- Up to 16 students per class
- 2 to 48 weeks

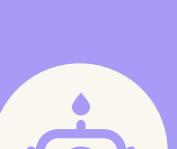


# General English Speaking Class

## Communication Skills

Students engage in real-life, topic-based discussions to build fluency and confidence in spoken English. Each level explores language relevant to everyday interactions, social and professional scenarios, and cultural awareness. Lessons focus on pronunciation, vocabulary development, and using appropriate expressions for different contexts.

### Our Courses

-  Start: Every Monday, except Bank Holidays
-  5 hours per week
-  A1 – C1
-  16+ years old
-  Up to 16 students per class
-  2 to 6 weeks



# English for Academic Purposes

Our Courses

Our EAP course is designed for students who plan to study in English-speaking academic settings. It develops essential skills such as academic writing, critical reading, effective note-taking, and formal speaking — with a strong focus on essays, research papers, and presentations.

-  Start: Every Monday, except Bank Holidays
-  20 hours per week
-  B1 – C1
-  16+ years old
-  6 to 10 students per class
-  2 to 16 weeks



# Business English

Our Courses

This course focuses on developing the language proficiency required for effective participation in meetings, presentations, negotiations, and business correspondence.

Emphasis is placed on expanding industry-relevant vocabulary, improving clarity and professionalism in communication, and fostering confidence in diverse workplace scenarios.

- Start: Subject to availability
- 10 hours per week
- B1 – C1
- 16+ years old
- 6 to 10 students per class
- 4 to 16 weeks



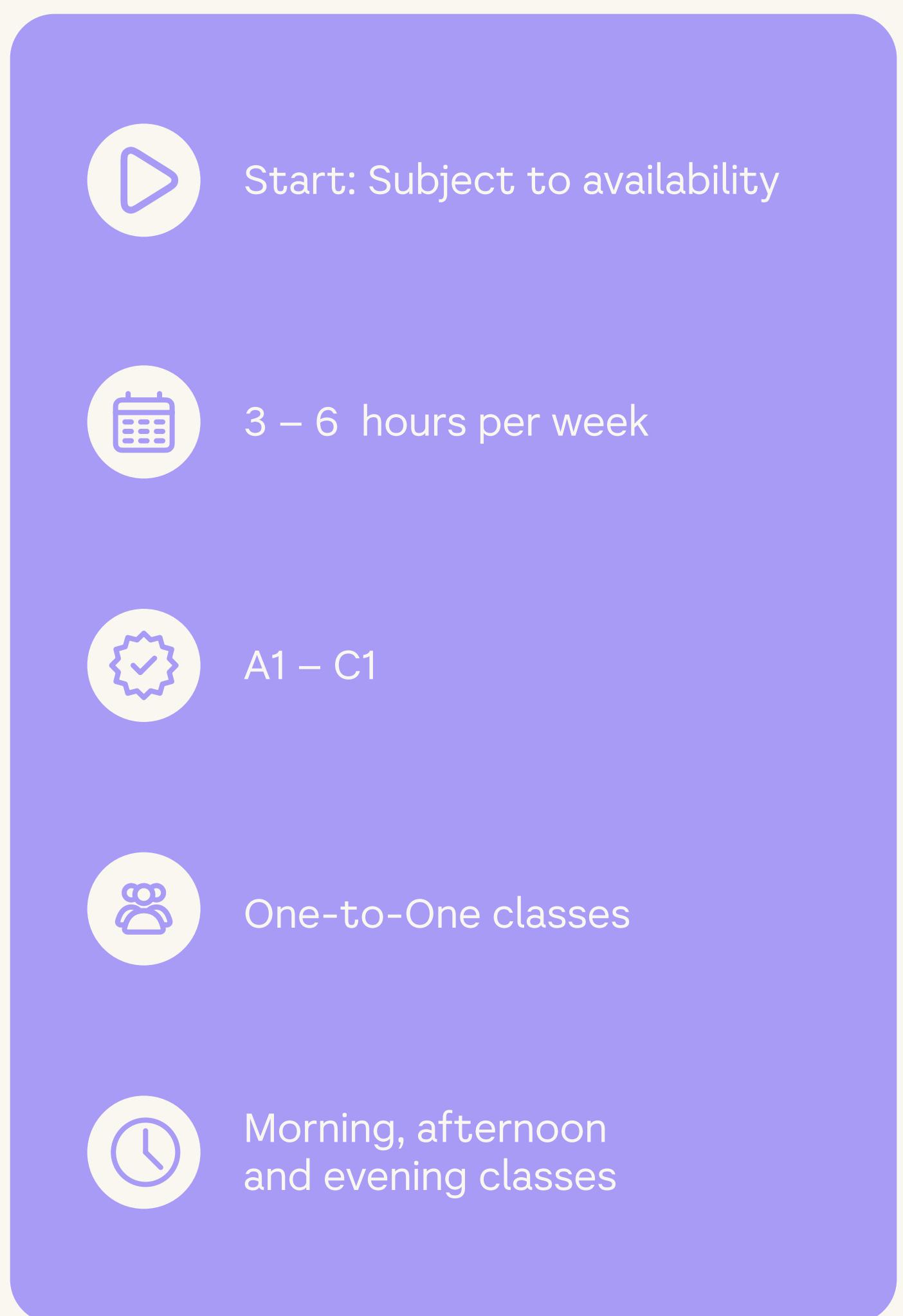
# Other Languages for Adults

## One-to-One Classes

Our Courses

Headway Institute is a leading language training center offering expert instruction in over 13 world languages.

The institute has supported both individual learners and groups in mastering languages such as **Arabic, Russian, French, Italian, Spanish, German** and **more**.





# Closed Groups for Adults & Young Learners

Our Courses

Headway Institute offers year-round closed group programs for adults and young learners in various languages such as **English, Arabic, Russian, French, Italian, Spanish, German** and **more**, combining language learning with cultural experiences and group activities in Dubai.

Each program includes 15 hours or 20 hours of weekly lessons in the morning or afternoon, accommodation, full board meal plan, airport transfers, excursions, and entertainment — all within a safe and vibrant international setting.

Classes are **available for all levels**, from beginner to advanced, and can be delivered in closed groups with selected emphasis or with a general curriculum. Customized packages are available upon request to meet specific group needs.

## What is included:

-  **Start any Monday!** Morning or afternoon classes are available
-  **15-hour, 20-hour or larger custom schedules** to practice the language with desired intensity
-  **Custom duration:** any number of weeks
-  **Shared room accommodation** - 2 students per room (**Single accommodation** on request)
-  Single room **group leader** accommodation
-  **Breakfast, lunch, and dinner** are included
-  **Graduation ceremony** and course certificates
-  Return **airport transfers** (Dubai airports)
-  **Private Mini bus** - Full day 8 to 6 Mon-Fri
-  **5 half-day activities** / 1 weekend day trip/evening activities (Sunday off )
-  **Travel Insurance**
-  **Minimum 10 students** (8+ years old)
-  24-hour **emergency number** to call



# Customized Corporate Solutions

[Our Courses](#)

Headway Institute delivers tailor-made corporate training programs designed to meet the specific needs of your business and workforce. With a proven track record of 200+ successful courses for 100+ companies across the UAE and beyond, we help organizations boost communication, cultural fluency, and professional effectiveness.

Our training covers 13+ languages, business communication, cross-cultural skills, and essential soft skills — all aligned with your company's goals, mission, and vision.

**Partner with Headway Institute** to build a confident, capable, and globally-minded team — wherever and whenever you need it.



Fully customized programs designed around your objectives or general language programs - your call!



24/7 training availability — at your location or online



Delivery formats: private, group, or blended



Qualified, native-speaking trainers



Face-to-face (campus, office, residence) or live online sessions



Comprehensive progress reports and ROI tracking

# Testimonials and Reviews



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KNOWLEDGE & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



**Giovanni Nehme**



The classes are going exceptionally well! I'm pleasantly surprised by how much progress we've made in speaking Russian after just four sessions. The atmosphere in the class is fantastic — everyone is doing great and contributing to a lovely ambiance. The environment is clean and bright, which adds to the overall positive experience. I highly recommend Galina as our Russian teacher for her compassionate and understanding approach.



**Fatima Yousefi**



Headway Institute is a respected institution that helps improve your language skills, especially with great teachers like Mr. Daniel Gomez. Learning Spanish with him was smooth, professional, and truly enjoyable thanks to his patience and effective methods.

The review was shortened



**Thais Porto**



I joined Headway Institute to learn Arabic and really enjoy teacher Khaled's amazing classes! He has great didactics, is super patient, kind and his classes are very engaging. Highly recommended!

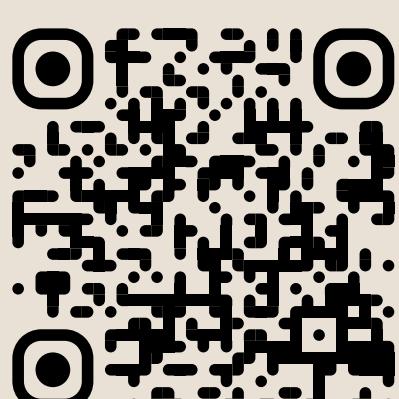


**Kimia Moradkhani**



I've been taking Arabic classes with Khaled since June 2024, and they've been great. Small groups (3–4 students) mean lots of interaction and personal attention. Khaled mixes language with culture, making classes immersive and fun. We also touch on different dialects, which I really enjoy. Highly recommended!

The review was shortened



That's **just 4** out of **700+** reviews on our Google Maps page

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