

## FEE STRUCTURE

Registration Fee:	Rs: 500.00
Facility Fee:	Rs:2,500.00
Library Facility Fee:	Rs: 100.00
*Tuition Fee:	Rs: 67,800.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Rs: 70,900.00</b>

- Calculated at the rate of Rs. 2,260.00 per credit.

*Please note that selected academic activities will be held in Regional/Study centers if the number of registered students is above twenty.*

### REGIONAL CENTRES

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THE  
**OPEN UNIVERSITY**  
OF SRI LANKA

**Diploma in  
English Language  
& Literature**

**2023/24**





## PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

This one-year academic programme is designed to:

- enhance your language skills: reading, writing, and grammar
- develop your written and spoken communication skills
- introduce you to major literary genres: poetry, fiction, and drama

## FOR WHOM

This programme will be of special interest to :

- Teachers of English who wish to enhance their understanding and appreciation of English language and literature.
- Those interested in developing their communication skills in English.
- Those interested in obtaining a higher academic qualification in English.

## DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME

One Year

## PROGRAMME CONTENT

Advanced Reading Skills -	LED3507
Advanced Writing Skills -	LED3508
Advanced Grammar & Communication Skills -	LED3509
Introduction to Poetry -	LED3510
Introduction to Fiction -	LED3511
Introduction to Drama -	LED3512

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidate must possess one of the following:

- Passed the OUSL Certificate in Professional English (after 2012) with a minimum of 3 "C" passes; **or**
- Passed the OUSL Advanced Certificate in English for Business and Professional Communication Stage II, with the following minimum passes: "B+" in Reading and Writing, and "B-" in Business Communication Skills and Speech & Listening; **or**
- Obtained three (3) passes at the G.C.E. Advanced Level and a pass at the Selection Test for the above programme conducted by the Department of Language Studies; **or**
- Passed any Foundation Course offered by the OUSL and a pass at the Selection Test for the above programme conducted by the Department of Language Studies; **or**
- Obtained an equivalent or any other higher qualification acceptable to the Senate of the OUSL and a pass at the Selection Test for the above programme conducted by the Department of Language Studies.

## MODE OF TEACHING

A Distance-Education Institution such as the Open University of Sri Lanka (OUSL) differs markedly from a conventional university in its mode of teaching.

Assistance and guidance will be provided throughout the programme via:

- Course materials
- Day school sessions
- The OUSL's online learning platforms
- A fully equipped library is available on campus for study and research

## EVALUATION

In keeping with the established practice at the Open University of Sri Lanka, course evaluation will consist of :

- Continuous Assessments (CAs), and
- a Final Assessment

## PROGRESS TO THE BA(HONS) IN ENGLISH & ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

The Diploma in English Language and Literature is an entry qualification for the BA(Hons) in English and English Language Teaching programme offered by the Open University of Sri Lanka.