IELTS Preparation Course A

Objective:	All of the four components (listening, reading, writing and speaking) will be covered in full in this IELTS course. Essential techniques and skills will be taught so that students will understand the exam format in detail. A combination of theoretical knowledge and practice will allow students to gain a solid understanding of how to get a satisfactory score in the IELTS exam.					
Target:	Undergraduates and postgraduates who intend to pursue further study abroad, in which an IELTS score is one of the admission requirements.					
Class Size:	40 students					
Instructor:	Mr. Samuel Vong, training instructor of the Career Development Centre					
Venue:	UM Classroom (If the pandemic is getting worse, the course will be moved online.)					
Medium of Instruction:	English					
Remarks:	Students are required to bring their laptops to class					
Attendance Policy:	All participants are required to fulfil the following attendance policy, otherwise, an administrative fee of MOP500 per course will be charged: Achieve an attendance rate of 80%, AND Complete the mock test* as prescribed in the course					

Course Schedule:

04/02/2023 to 12/03/2023; every Saturday and Sunday; 10:00-13:00 (12 sessions; 36 hours in total)

Course Content:

on	Date				Writing		Speaking			
Session			Listening	Reading			Skill	Group Practice		
1	04/02	(Sat.)	Form/ Notes Completion - Part 1	History (Passage 1)	Task 1	Basic Introduction & Line Graph	Test Introduction	Family and relationship		
2	05/02	(Sun.)	Form/ Notes Completion - Part 3/4	Archaeology (Passage 1)		Pie Chart & Bar Graph	Test Introduction 2 – FAQs and answering techniques	History & Hometown		
3	11/02	(Sat.)	Multiple Choice - Part 2	Technology (Passage 2)		Table & Mixed Graph	Test Introduction 3 – Useful phrases	Jobs and Studies		
4	12/02	(Sun.)	Multiple Choice - Part 3	Science (Passage 2)		Map & Process Diagram	Part 1 &2 Class Exercise	Media		
5	18/02	(Sat.)	Matching - Part 2/3	Psychology (Passage 3)	Task 2	Lexical Resources; Grammatical Range &	Part 1 &2 Class Exercise	Entertainment		
6	19/02	(Sun.)	Map Labelling - Part 2	Art (Passage 3)		Grammatical Range & Accuracy: Verb	Part 1 &2 Class Exercise	Arts, Music and Culture		
7	25/02	(Sat.)	Plan/ Diagram Labelling - Part 2/3	Economics (Passage 3)		Grammatical Range & Accuracy: Phrases	Part 3 Class Exercise	Social Issues		
8	26/02	(Sun.)	Full Test Practice 1	Sociology (Passage 3)	Exercise	Coherence & Cohesion: Sentence connectors	Part 3 Class Exercise	Environment		
9	04/03	(Sat.)	Full Test Practice 2	Management (Passage 3)		Task Achievement: Examples	Part 3 Class Exercise	Technology		
10	05/03	(Sun.)	Review Lesson – Writing							
11	11/03	(Sat.)	Review Lesson – Speaking							
12	12/03	(Sun.)	Mock Test* - Listening, Reading							

PS: Optional home practice will be given at the end of each week.