## ENGLISH LANGUAGE SCHOOL ACCREDITATION COUNCIL

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ACCREDITATION OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE SCHOOLS

The English Language School Accreditation Council (ELSAC) is an independent, non-governmental body that provides international accreditation for independent or private English language schools around the world. ELSAC aims to advance the educational standards of English language schools and recognise those schools that meet the rigorous and stringent requirements of accepted global standards. The quality of the educational programmes are objectively evaluated as are student requirements for security, welfare, information and leisure.

ELSAC grants international accreditation through a unique process consisting of a set of key performance indicators (Standards & Evidence) split into 8 main areas. It is through this process that a school can gauge its standing and performance in terms of benchmarks set by the profession.

## Cost of Accreditation

ELSAC's initial evaluation and accreditation is US\$500 for the first year irrespective of the number of courses a school offers. There is also no obligation for a school to renew their accreditation beyond the first year.

Initial accreditation is valid for one year and is renewable on an annual basis for a fee of US\$500.

ELSAC does not charge a school a fee for each student enrolled on their courses.

## Can a school hold accreditation with more than one body?"

Yes, a school can hold ELSAC accreditation whilst holding accreditation from another body.

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