



St George Newsletter

~At St George, we believe in Quality~

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Interview with our Saudi Arabia student: Sami



Why have you chosen to study English in New Zealand?

There are a lot of reasons for this. I've been in England before. After studying English for 4 months, I decided to make a change, to see another country. New Zealand was definitely at the top of my list as I don't have any visa problems. Moreover, I've got a friend here. I haven't seen him for ages.

How did you find New Zealand?

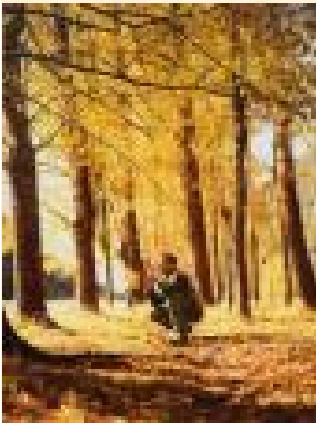
Actually, New Zealand is very nice. I thought it's much smaller, though. I came here in late autumn, and the weather leaves much to be desired. But still it's way better than the weather in the UK. What I really like here is that amazing beaches are so close to almost every suburb in Auckland! I spend a lot of time there.

Why have you decided to learn English?

I work at a military hospital in Saudi Arabia, particularly at the VIP clinic, which serves all the embassies in the country. That's why English is a must. I'm sure English will be very useful for my career.

How about your class?

My teacher helps me a lot. I've got problems with grammar, and my teacher, James pays special attention to it. I get additional homework with emphasis on grammar, and I can already see the results!



Autumn in Auckland

As autumn looks around the corner in New Zealand, Auckland is mildly touched by the change of season. Auckland is consistently voted one of the world's best lifestyle cities in international surveys.

Auckland in all its autumn glory: The season's golden tones are enjoyed by people in the city's parks .



Welcome to our New Programme Leader- Devika

Welcome to Devika Mudaliar, who is our New Programme Leader for Business courses, including Bachelor Degree, Diploma and Certificate courses.

Devika has 4 1/2 years Business and Computing teaching experience in a Private Training Organisation. She is a NZQA Moderator for Diploma in Business Papers, as well as for Unit Standards.

With her extensive experience and professionalism in this field, we are looking forward to her contributions to our school.



Next Intakes

General English/ PR English/ IELTS Preparation	Every Monday
National Certificate in Business & Computing (Level 2,3 & 4)	18 July 2005
Open Polytechnic NZ Diploma in Business	18 July 2005
St George NZ Diploma in Business	25 July 2005
Bachelor of Business	18 July 2005
UK Pre-Masters Course	25 July 2005