

**Application for exemption
of prerequisite of SG8001 Teaching Students: First Steps**

1. Prerequisite of *SG8001 Teaching Students: First Steps* is a pass in *SG8002 English for the Medium of Instruction*.
 2. Exemptions from this prerequisite are granted to students who have achieved an overall band score of IELTS of 6.5 or above with a score of the speaking component of 6.5 or above; or an overall score of 79 or above in TOEFL internet-based test (iBT) with a score of 20 or above in the speaking section of TOEFL iBT. Expired test scores will not be accepted. Exemptions can also be granted on a case-by-case basis to students who show proof that they are native speakers of English and to those who have successfully completed a master's degree majoring in English studies (e.g. Linguistics in English, English Literature, Teaching English as a Second Language, etc.).
 3. Please fill in the application form and send the form to english@cityu.edu.hk with the supporting documents (if any). **The application have to be sent from your CityU email account.**
 4. If you have been enrolled in *SG8002 English for the Medium of Instruction*, you are expected to attend the lessons until your application of exemption is officially approved. Application deadline is 5 days after your first lesson of *SG8002*. Late application will not be accepted.
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Student's particulars

Name:

Student number:

Mode of study:

Department/School:

Programme:

Commencement date:

Contact number:

CityU email:

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I would like to apply for exemption by the following:

IELTS¹ Overall band score: _____
Score of the speaking component: _____

TOEFL (iBT)¹ Overall score: _____
Score of the speaking component: _____
Other remarks: _____

Successfully completed a master's degree majoring in English Studies¹
Institution: _____
Degree title: _____

Native speaker or native-like speaker of English²

1. Attach a copy of official certificate to this form. You may be requested to present the original copy of certificate.
2. You will be contacted by email to arrange a short meeting with the coordinator of SG8002 to demonstrate your proficiency in spoken English.

Signature of student: _____

Date: _____