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Working in the field of education it is always pleasing to hear of former students who are well on their way to reaching their goals. Even more satisfying is to learn about the part that an educational organisation played in helping them on the path to achieving what they dreamed of.

Cambridge English For Life (CEFL) caught up with Lau Yu Zhen and Lau Yun Mei, both now studying medicine at King's College London, to find out how they thought CEFL had helped them achieve their dreams.

"Our parents always encouraged us to strive to improve ourselves. Our English was good but our aim in enrolling with CEFL was to gain greater proficiency in English.

The fact that we were also able to acquire internationally recognised English qualifications through the English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) examinations was a bonus."

Having learned about CEFL from the banner outside the Taman Tun Dr Ismail centre both students went on to achieve success in the First Certificate in English (FCE), Certificate in Advanced English (CAE) and Certificate of Proficiency (CPE) examinations.

And Cambridge will tell you



Yu Zhen (left) and Yun Mei have benefited from the CEFL programme.

that if you can achieve success in the CPE examination, you are approaching the level of an educated native speaker.

For parents looking to give their children a head start in mastering the English language, CEFL is now taking registrations at all centres for the next academic year commencing January 2012.

CEFL provides high quality, practical, vocational and professional English language training and courses for both pre-school, primary and secondary level students.

All materials are original and sourced from the United Kingdom. They are specifically designed to ensure that students not only have high quality study material to refer to but also gain a broad cultural educational experience enabling them to have a clearer understanding of the nuances of meaning in the English language.

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