

ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE

English as a Second Language (ESL) classes meet the needs of learners whose native language is not English. Beginner through advanced levels are offered. Level is determined by placement exam. Registration begins at the ESL Institute in Academic Arts Bldg., Rm. 302. The Institute Office is open Tues. & Thurs., 12:00-7:30 pm, Wed. & Fri. 9:00 am-4:30 pm, Sat., 9:00-11:30 am and closed Mondays. See registration instructions on page 18.

GENERAL MULTI-LEVEL ESL INTENSIVE (5-DAY) SATURDAY (ALL DAY) EVENING (2-DAY)

Ten levels of ESL instruction are offered. Each level provides balanced instruction and active practice in all English language skills: listening, speaking (including pronunciation), standard grammar, reading, and writing. New students take an examination to determine the level at which they begin study. Most ESL students use a language laboratory for additional practice. English-only environment for all activities promotes maximum learning. These courses serve the needs of the general learner and learners preparing for college/university study. Instructors are professionals in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages). Our courses are also offered Fall (Sept.-Dec.) and Spring (Jan.-Apr.).

SEMI-INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAMS

Nine levels (Pre-1 to 8): A multi-level program in English as a second language providing balanced instruction in all language skills. New students are placed by exam. See below for test date and location. (registration required to take placement test).

SATURDAY ALL-DAY ESL: 12 1/2 Sat., May 7-Aug. 13 (skip 5/28 & 7/2), 9:00 am-3:30 pm. Last exam on May 7 in CLA-200. \$237* (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D001**

EVENING ESL: 25 T/Th, May 10-Aug. 9 (skip 5/12 & 19), 6:30-9:30 pm. Last placement exam on May 10 in CLA-200. \$237* (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D002**

EVENING ESL on M/W evenings in Valhalla: (levels 3-6 only) May 11-Aug. 17 (skip 5/16, 18, 30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm. Last exam on May 11 in CLA-200. \$237* (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-MWE**

AFTERNOON ESL: 25 T/Th, May 10-Aug. 9 (skip 5/12 & 19), 3:00-6:00 pm. Last exam on May 10 in CLA-200. \$237* (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D003**

NEW! FRIDAY/SUNDAY ESL: 25 F/Su, May 13-Aug. 14 (skip 5/15, 29; 7/3), Fri: 6:30-9:00 pm, Sun: 9:30 am-1:00 pm. Last exam on May 13 in KNC-5. \$237* (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D004**

***Textbooks are required for all courses and are not included in fee.**

to register call 914-606-6656

INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM (MORNING OR AFTERNOON)

5 days, Mon-Fri. This 15-hour per week course allows motivated learners of English to advance rapidly starting at any level from zero-beginner to advanced. The Intensive English Program meets the needs of serious learners, such as preparation for university study, or to increase career possibilities. Placement test is required of all new students. **ESL Special Topics, open to all IEP students**, supplements the Intensive English Program with an additional 3 hours per week of instruction and practice in one or more particular skill or content areas. **Students who have F-1 status (have an I-20 form) can satisfy the full-time requirement by adding Special Topics OR any other non-credit ESL course meeting at least 3 hours per week.** Register early to obtain your choice of morning or afternoon schedules.

MORNING: May 20-Aug. 11 (skip 5/23-30; 7/4), 9:00 am-12:00 pm, 53 sessions, \$658* (+ \$8 FSA fee), Placement exam Fri., 5/20, 9:00 am, KNC-5; 1st class: May 31. **WK-D020/D021**

AFTERNOON: May 20-Aug. 18 (skip 5/23-6/6; 7/4), 3:00-6:00 pm, 53 sessions, \$658* (+ \$8 FSA fee), Last placement exam Fri., 5/20, 9:00 am, KNC-5; 1st class: June 7. **WK-D017/D018**

ESL SPECIAL TOPICS (IEP): 21 T/Th, May 31-Aug. 9, 1:15-2:45 pm, 21 sessions. \$129. **WK-ST**

*Textbooks are required for all courses and are not included in fee.

See Specialized Courses section for other course options for students with F-1 status.

**Note: Immigration form I-20A/B available to F-1 student visa/status applicants;
Call 914-606-6656 for important information and a special application.**

- Specialized ESL Courses -

NEW

PRONUNCIATION FOR BEGINNERS/ESL

Pronunciation course designed for mid-beginning to low-intermediate level (ELI levels 2-4) English language students to help students at this level master essential basics. This course will introduce students to essential elements of English pronunciation such as sounds (and how to produce them), rhythm, intonation, word stress and vowel reduction. These skills will help improve students' ability to both make themselves better understood when they speak, and comprehend what they hear, thereby improving students' confidence.

14 Mon., May 9-Aug. 22 (skip 5/30; 7/4), 1:00-4:00 pm, LIB-101 \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-02A**

14 Wed., May 18-Aug. 17, 6:30-9:30 pm, KNC-1, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-02W**

ENGLISH PRONUNCIATION I/ESL – OFFERED MONDAYS OR SATURDAYS!

Designed for intermediate to advanced learners. *Prerequisite: Conversational Proficiency in American English or ELI level 6+, or with permission.* **All new pronunciation students, except the most advanced, should begin with this course.** Upon completion of the course, students will have improved their ability to discriminate similar English sounds and to better articulate English sounds in a variety of phonetic environments to improve comprehensibility and build confidence. Participants will have identified problematic areas in their speech related to the production of vowels and consonants.

14 Mon., May 9-Aug. 22 (skip 5/30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, KNC-3 \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-03A**

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 9:00 am-12:00 pm, CLA-102, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-03B**

ENGLISH PRONUNCIATION II/ESL – OFFERED MONDAYS or SATURDAYS!

Pronunciation for high intermediate to advanced English language learners. This course is for intermediate to advanced learners of ESL (ELI Level 6+). Improve English sounds, rhythm and intonation at a more advanced level. *Prerequisite: Conversational Proficiency in American English, or ELI level 6+, or with permission, or the course WK-003.*

14 Mon., May 9-Aug. 22 (skip 5/30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, KNC-1 \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-04A**

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 9:00 am-12:00 pm, CLA-104, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-04B**

ESL WRITING WORKSHOPS: LEVELS I, II, & III

A course in academic and general purpose writing offered at the low intermediate to advanced level. Level determined by testing at first session. Improve personal, academic, and job-related writing skills.

Prerequisite: Intermediate English proficiency (ELI level 6+).

22 M/W, May 16-Aug. 8 (skip 5/18 & 30; 7/4), 7:00-9:30 pm, \$202 (+ \$8 FSA fee). Placement test for new, registered, students at first class, 5/16, in KNC-5 at 6:30 pm. **Level I, II & III students all register in WK-019.**

AT MT. VERNON SITE: 22 T/Th, May 24-Aug. 9 (skip 5/26), 9:15-11:45 am, \$202. **MV-019**

ESL COMPOSITION ONLINE: ESSAY WRITING FOR HIGH INTERMEDIATE LEARNERS

An online ESL course that focuses on academic writing, training learners (at ELI levels 6+) through guided practice and study of appropriate models. Participants will learn different modes of academic essay writing and become better prepared to take general credit courses, as well as courses that require proficiency in paragraph and essay writing. Learners will also gain experience in online college-level study.

14 weeks, incl. 1 on-campus session, May 24-Aug 23, 6:30-9:30 pm, \$172 (no FSA fee). **WK-D055**

TOEFL PREPARATION WORKSHOP

This course is designed to help improve the English language and test-taking skills of learners preparing for the Test of English as a Foreign Language or other high intermediate level learners focusing on academic reading and listening comprehension, grammatical accuracy and clarity in speech and writing.

Prerequisite: high intermediate to advanced proficiency in English (ELI Level 6+).

22 M/W, May 16-Aug. 8 (skip 5/18 & 30/7/4), 7:00-9:30 pm, KNC-2, \$202 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-14A**

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 12:30-4:25 pm, CLA-102, \$202 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-14B**

AT YONKERS/CROSS COUNTY SITE: 22 T/Th, May 17-Aug. 2 (skip 5/19), 7:00-9:30 pm, \$202. **YK-K014**

AT MT. VERNON SITE: 22 M/W, May 18-Aug. 8 (skip 5/30; 7/4), 9:15-11:45 am, \$202. **MV-V014**

BUSINESS ENGLISH FOR INTERNATIONALS

Develop your spoken and written English skills for business study and practical applications. Participants build fluency and increase their knowledge of terminology and cultural differences affecting communication. *Prerequisite: high intermediate proficiency in English (ELI Level 6+).*

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 12:30-3:30 pm, CLA-110, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-15C**

ACTING FOR NON-ACTORS/ESL

This acting-based course, designed for intermediate to advanced level (ELI levels 6+) ESL students, will make effective use of techniques that professional actors employ to perform successfully in public.

Participants will develop and enhance their English pronunciation with focus on stress and intonation; acquire greater fluency through phrasing and linking; learn to use speech as a dramatic device; learn techniques for auditioning and for presenting a monologue; learn improvisation techniques; learn relaxation techniques.

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 9:00 am-12:00 pm, AAB-104, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D056**

COMPUTER SKILLS: MORE BASICS FOR ESL LEARNERS

Prerequisite: Completion of Computer Skills: Basics for ESL Learners, WK-D048 (or ELI permission).

Designed for nonnative speakers of English only. This introductory course for English language learners accommodates learners at ELI level 3 or above. Extend your range of basic skills in Word, Excel and Internet Explorer.

6 Mon., May 9-June 20 (skip 5/30), 6:30-9:30 pm, TEC-13E, \$108. **WK-PC2**

AT YONKERS/CROSS COUNTY SITE: 6 Tues., May 10-June 14, 6:30-9:30 pm, \$108. **YK-PC2**

CITIZENSHIP EXAM PREP/ESL

Prepare for the interview and examination procedure required become a citizen of the USA. Classroom activities will allow you to improve your English as you study the material that is used in the interview and exam. Regular instruction will be supplemented by Internet-based practice in a computer lab, and by guest speakers.

AT YONKERS/CROSS COUNTY SITE: 10 Thurs., June 2-Aug. 4, 6:30-9:30 pm, \$25. **YK-K057**

ENGLISH THROUGH MUSIC/ESL

This course, designed for intermediate to advanced learners (ELI level 5+), will make use of English-language songs to help students improve their listening, speaking, pronunciation, and writing skills in English. In addition to providing an enjoyable foundation for language practice, songs will be used to familiarize students with aspects of American culture.

14 Thurs., May 12-Aug. 11, 6:30-9:30 pm, AAB-104, \$172. **WK-D059**

ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES PROGRAM

The ELI's General Multi-Level ESL programs are designed to help you prepare for college courses and other uses of English, but we also offer this program that focuses on academic English skills necessary for success in college courses. It is designed especially for learners scoring 4 on the college English placement essay at the Testing and Assessment Center, or who have reached level 6 or higher in the ELI. Additional assessment will be completed at the first class session.

24 W/F, June 1-Aug. 19, 9:00 am-12:00 pm, LIB-101, \$264 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D057**

24 M/W, June 1-Aug. 24 (skip 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, LIB-101, \$264 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D058**

14 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 7/2), 9:00 am-12:00 pm, CLA-202, \$172 (+ \$8 FSA fee). **WK-D059**

PREPARING FOR COMPOSITION AND LITERATURE 1 AND OTHER COLLEGE COURSES?

For students scoring 5-7 on the college placement essay or after completing the above English for Academic Purposes Program, the ELI offers three advanced level ESL writing courses for matriculated students: **Introduction to Academic Writing 1 & 2**, and **Academic Reading and Writing**. For more information on these courses, see the College's **Summer 2005 Schedule of Instruction** under **ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE** or call 914-606-8509 and ask for Prof. Tricklel.

LEARN ENGLISH IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Some ESL courses are offered in Mt. Kisco, Mt. Vernon, Peekskill, Ossining, Yonkers/Cross County Shopping Center, and in New Rochelle and Port Chester Sept.-April only.
The placement test date is on the 1st day of your course or by appointment.

Information for all locations: call us at 914-606-6656. Se habla español.

MOUNT KISCO

Evening ESL (Levels 0-3): 24 M/W, May 4-Aug. 3 (skip 5/9 & 30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, \$227. MK-D002

MOUNT VERNON

Evening ESL (Levels 4-7): 24 T/Th, May 12-Aug. 9 (skip 5/17 & 19), 6:30-9:30 pm, \$227. MV-V002

Saturday ESL (Levels 0-3): 12 Sat., May 7-Aug. 20 (skip 5/14 & 28; 7/2), 9:00 am-3:30 pm, \$227. MV-V001

ESL Writing Workshop: 22 T/Th, May 24-Aug. 9, 9:15-11:45 am, \$202. MV-019

TOEFL Preparation Workshop/ESL: 22 M/W, May 18-Aug. 8 (skip 5/30; 7/4), 9:15-11:45 am, \$202. MV-V014

NEW ROCHELLE

Evening ESL (Levels 2-5): Offered Fall and Spring only

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Evening ESL (Levels 0-4): 24 M/W, May 16-Aug. 17 (skip 5/18, 23 & 30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, \$227. OS-D002

Saturday ESL (Levels 0-4): 12 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 5/21; 7/2), 9:00 am-3:30 pm, \$227. OS-D001

Academic ESL for Health Science Studies: 22 T/Th, May 24-Aug. 4, 9:15-11:45 am, \$202. OS-019

PEEKSKILL

Evening ESL (Levels 0-6): 24 M/W, May 16-Aug. 17 (skip 5/18, 23, 30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, \$227. PE-002

NEW! PORT CHESTER

Evening courses offered Fall and Spring only.

YONKERS/CROSS COUNTY

Evening ESL (Levels 0-3): 24 M/W, May 18-Aug. 22 (skip 5/23, 25 & 30; 7/4), 6:30-9:30 pm, \$227. YK-K002

Saturday ESL (Levels 4-7): 12 Sat., May 14-Aug. 20 (skip 5/28; 7/2), 9:00 am-3:30 pm, \$227. YK-K001

TOEFL Preparation Workshop: 22 T/Th., May 17-Aug. 2 (skip 5/19), 7:00-9:30 pm, \$202. YK-K014

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HOW TO REGISTER FOR ESL

WHEN? Registration for ESL opens Wed., March 22nd.

WHERE? First, English Language Institute Office in AAB-302; then pay in Continuing Education Office in ADM-207.

FIRST: Obtain all information about courses & placement testing; complete registration form at English Language Institute Office, AAB-302.

SECOND: Take completed form to ADM-207 (Office of Continuing Education). Payment by Visa or MasterCard, check/money order or cash. All on-campus students pay an \$8.00 F.S.A. fee once per semester in addition to the tuition.

 **Telephone registration does not begin until Tues., Mar. 28th (pay with VISA or MasterCard only). Questions, call 914-606-6656.**

■ **NY/Westchester County Residency:** All ESL tuition rates in this section are resident rates. Call 606-6656 for information. Non-residents are welcome, but pay a 150% non-resident surcharge in addition to the regular tuition.

■ **PLACEMENT TEST:** Testing required if you are new or did not take final exam in Fall 2004 or Spring 2005. Placement test is given at first session of Saturday ESL, Evening ESL and Intensive ESL. You must already be registered to take test. Testing information is provided at time of registration.

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