ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE

2016 Summer Short Programs

The SHSU English Language Institute Difference
- Airport pick-up for new students
- Trips to local grocery stores and mall
- Cultural and social activities
- Small class sizes (10-15 students)
- All ELI faculty with a Master’s in TESOL
- Conditional admission for degree seekers (8-week program only)
- Safe and beautiful campus just one hour north of Houston

Housing
Students in the 4-week program will live on campus in Lone Star Hall, a student dormitory. Students in the 8-week program can find an off-campus student apartment within easy walking distance of the English Language Institute.

DATES:
- 4-Week Program: June 13 - July 8, 2016
- 8-Week Program: June 6 - August 5, 2016

For more information visit: www.shsu.edu/eli

About Sam Houston State University
For more than 130 years, Sam Houston State University has been preparing students for meaningful lives of achievement. Named for Sam Houston, Texas’ greatest hero, SHSU continually strives to honor its historical roots through academic excellence that includes exceptional teaching and a commitment to meeting students’ needs.

About the English Language Institute
The ELI of Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas, is a part of the Office of International Programs. Our goal is to help students from around the world achieve their academic and professional objectives. The ELI provides an effective learning program where students can improve their English language proficiency in a friendly and supportive atmosphere.

ABOUT THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS (OIP) The OIP at Sam Houston State University is dedicated to assisting international students with their academic and immigration needs. We want to help every international student achieve their full potential and realize their educational goals while studying in the U.S.
Sample Weekday Schedule

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<td>Listening and Speaking</td>
<td>Integrated Comm. Skills</td>
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Program Costs

4-Week Program: $2950

Includes:
- 4-week session
- 24 clock hours of instruction each week
- Textbooks and university fees
- Wednesday/Friday cultural activities + weekend full-day excursions
- On-campus housing in Lone Star Hall
- Meals provided daily
- Free airport pick-up for new students
- Mandatory international student insurance

8-Week Program: $2800

Includes:
- 8-week session
- 20-24 clock hours of instruction each week
- Textbooks
- Wednesday cultural activities
- Free airport pick-up for new students
- Assistance in finding off-campus student housing

Excludes:
- Housing and Meals
- Mandatory international student insurance and university fees
- Friday cultural activities + weekend full-day excursions
  (Student can participate for an additional fee)

Note: Both programs exclude students' travel and immigration expenses.

Sample Weekend Excursions

- NASA Johnson Space Center
- Schlitterbahn Water Park
- Kemah Boardwalk
- The Woodlands Mall/Houston's Museum District

How to Apply

1. Complete the ELI application. Find it here: [www.shsu.edu/eli](http://www.shsu.edu/eli)
2. Submit the $75 application fee. More info here: [www.shsu.edu/eli](http://www.shsu.edu/eli)
3. Original proof of financial support (bank statement, sponsorship letter)
4. Official records/transcripts from high school and all universities attended (8-week program only)
5. English proficiency test score (TOEFL/iBT/IELTS), if available. There is no minimum. The score is used for preliminary placement. All students will be tested upon arrival for final placement. If a student does not have a test score, he/she can opt to do a Skype level placement interview with ELI staff instead.
6. Copy of passport photo page

Please send all application materials via email to:

Courtney Miller, ELI Coordinator
courtneymiller@shsu.edu

Eligibility

- 18 years of age or older, or proof of secondary school completion. The English Language Institute cannot accept high school students.
- Students should hold at least lower intermediate English proficiency. At this time, the English Language Institute cannot accept Level 1/true beginner students.

"I like SHSU because I feel like I am with my second family."

- Abbas, former ELI student

Summer 2016

4-Week Program

| June 11-12: | Students arrive |
| June 13: | Orientation |
| June 14: | Classes begin |
| July 4: | 4th of July Holiday |
| July 6-7: | Final Exams |
| July 8: | Graduation |

8-Week Program

| June 4-5: | Students arrive |
| June 6-7: | Orientation |
| June 8: | Classes begin |
| July 4: | 4th of July Holiday |
| August 3-4: | Final Exams |
| August 5: | Graduation |

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