FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

English Language Studies (ESL)

Sheridan’s English Language Studies (ESL) program improves your ability to read, write, speak and listen in English.

Training for all skill levels
Exclusively for learners who speak English as an additional language, this program offers five levels of instruction, from Foundations to Advanced levels and ultimately the English for Academic Purposes (EAP) level. When you complete the EAP level (and pass one General Elective course), you will receive a General Arts and Science Ontario College Certificate and may apply to other Sheridan programs without further language testing.

Hands-on learning
The ESL program encourages classroom interaction. You will work on group projects and assignments that require interaction in the community. You will practice speaking and listening in a computerized language lab, and you’ll learn to conduct computer research, take notes and write essays in English.

English for Academic Purposes
The program’s highest level, English for Academic Purposes (EAP), helps to prepare you to function in an English-speaking college or university environment. At the EAP level, you will take one General Education course of your choice for credit in your post-secondary program along with an introductory computer communications course.
Admission Requirements

Program Eligibility
- Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent.
- Mature student status.

International Students
International applicants may apply for September, late October, January, March, May or July starts.

Applicant Selection
Students will be placed in the appropriate level based on their English as a Second Language Placement Test results, or students could submit an IELTS Academic score for placement into an appropriate level. Please email your IELTS Academic score to eslplacement@sheridancollege.ca. Refer to the website for full admission requirements.

Career Opportunities

Students choose the English Language Studies program to enhance their education and employment prospects. At program completion, students have academic and employability skills in areas such as English language proficiency, research, goal setting, conversation management and formal presentations.

Courses

SOME OF THE COURSES YOU CAN EXPECT TO TAKE IN YOUR PROGRAM

- Business Communication
- Listening, Speaking and Grammar
- Listening and Speaking Lab
- Pronunciation and Spelling
- Reading, Writing and Vocabulary
- Reading and Writing Lab

Note: See website for specific terms and course listings.

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