

Tutoring Packages

TOEFL: Get extra help getting ready for the TOEFL exam. With this package you will receive a TOEFL preparation book and your tutor will work with you intensively on preparing for the TOEFL, and especially in helping you get stronger in your weaker areas. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for intermediate- and advanced-level students.

IELTS: Get extra help getting ready for the IELTS exam. With this package you will receive an IELTS preparation book and your tutor will work with you intensively on preparing for the IELTS exam, and especially in helping you get stronger in your weaker areas. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for intermediate- and advanced-level students.

Grammar: This package focuses especially on grammar. You will get help in different aspects of grammar and have the chance to review and practice with the tutor. You will also get a grammar chart book that you can look at anytime you need to review your grammar. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is appropriate for all levels.

Reading: In this package you will work with a tutor to improve your reading skills. You will work on strategies to read better, and you will practice these with different readings. With this package you will receive three short books that you can read with your tutor. These books can be the same level or different levels. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for all levels.

Vocabulary: This package will help you build your vocabulary. For beginning-level students, you will develop your basic vocabulary and you will receive a picture dictionary and CD to help you practice on your own. Intermediate- and advanced-level students will receive an advanced American dictionary with CD-ROM for home reference or an idiom dictionary to improve your knowledge of English idioms. Both packages also include library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs.

Writing: In this package you will work on improving all aspects of your writing, including sentences, paragraphs, essays (if appropriate), organization, spelling, punctuation and style. Your tutor will help you correct your mistakes and learn the techniques to become a good writer. Beginning-level students will receive a writing book to help them with general writing organization and grammar mistakes and an English spelling book to help them improve their spelling. Higher-level students will receive an advanced writer's reference book to use at home and in their future studies. Both packages also include library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs.

Speaking: In this package, you will work with a tutor to improve all aspects of your speaking skills, including pronunciation, intonation, speed of speech and comfort having a conversation in English. In addition to working with a tutor, you will be given a free conversation partner to practice your speaking skills with, and your tutor will train you on our lab programs that help you with your speech. You will also receive a book at your level to help you with your speaking. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for all levels.

Pronunciation: This package is for people who want intensive, focused tutoring especially on their pronunciation. The tutor will work with you on the most challenging aspects of English pronunciation, including difficult sounds, intonation, and rhythm. With this package you will receive a book and a CD to help you improve your pronunciation at home. Your tutor can also train you on a computer pronunciation program. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for all levels.

Presentation skills: This package is especially for people who want to improve their presentation skills, and people who have to make class presentations or professional presentations. Your tutor will help teach you how to make a good presentation, and will help you with your speaking so that your presentation will be clear and easy to understand. You will also receive a book that will give you helpful guidelines for making a presentation. In addition, if you wish, your tutor will teach you how to use PowerPoint presentation software. This package also includes library checkout privileges and a lab pass to use in CESL's computer labs. This package is for intermediate to advanced students.