

CESL Fact Sheet

Why do you want to study English?

- Earn a degree from a US university and/or return home to study at a university that requires English
- Get a better job with a higher salary because of my English skills
- Participate in international business endeavors – begin establishing my international network contacts
- Part of a Study Abroad Exchange program

Why CESL?

- You will learn English more quickly and efficiently in a native-speaking environment.
- CESL provides 22.5 hours a week of intensive English in the classroom with one of the strongest faculties in the US who are leaders in teaching ESL.
- The University of Arizona offers a letter of Conditional Admission with admission to the University when the student has attained level 80 proficiency in the 4 basic language skills.
- CESL has two state-of-the-art computer and multi-media labs to enhance you language learning.
- CESL is located in the heart of a major state research university campus allowing students to immerse themselves in the US academic culture of a State research university.
- CESL students have the opportunity to visit regularly scheduled university classes.
- Students are matched with native English speaking university students to improve spoken English and learn about real university life.
- Students have access to university computer labs, libraries, sports programs and health services.
- Students participate in weekly cultural activities to practice their English in real-life situations including participation in university clubs and activities, visits to local public schools, community volunteer activities, exchanges with university classes, and field trips to public institutions such as the public library or Pima County courts.
- Students also have the opportunity to take part in community volunteer activities including the Community Food Bank, Habitat for Humanity, and nursing homes.
- Weekend cultural excursions include the world famous Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum, the popular Old West movie set at Old Tucson, a day trip to historic Tombstone (the town too tough to die), the copper mining town of Bisbee, a three-day trip to the Grand Canyon and more.
- CESL is accredited by the Commission on English Language Program Accreditation, the only agency recognized by the US Department of State to accredit English Language programs.

Why do you want to study English in Tucson?

- Tucson is a safe, welcoming, multicultural city in the beautiful Sonoran Desert.
- It has a healthful, desert climate. Winters are warm and mild; summers are hot.
- 350 days of sunshine every year!
- Tucson is an affordable city with a lower cost of living.
- Experience life, customs and culture in the US – specifically southwestern culture and Native American life
- Visit the many natural wonders of Arizona: the Grand Canyon, Petrified Forest, Canyon de Chelly, Sedona, Hopi, Navajo, and Apache lands.

BEFORE YOU COME, GIVE THIS INFORMATION ON TO A FRIEND.



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