

HS Virtual Summer School EAL Program

Dates: Monday, June 22 - Friday, July 3

Time: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

The HS Virtual Summer School English As An Additional Language (EAL) Program is for students in grades 9 - 12 during the 2019-20 school year and presently an EAL student.

Learning Schedule & Time

Class Daily Schedule
8:00 am - 9:45 am
BREAK
10:15 am - 12:00 pm

- All students will be expected to attend and participate during their scheduled class times via Zoom each day where they will receive their instructions for the day.

Students will need:

- access to a reliable internet-connected computer and their ISB Google Account
- a dedicated place to focus on their learning

Delivery of Instruction

For the delivery of instruction in a virtual environment, teachers are designing learning experiences based on best practices for online learning as well as developmental levels.

- There will be a combination of synchronous (students learning in real-time with the instructor) and asynchronous learning experiences, chosen purposefully, and intentionally.
- Live classes will occur daily via Zoom.
- Teachers will provide feedback to students on their learning in various ways. Please note that work submitted in the late morning may receive a response the next day.

Course Description

ISB offers an intensive English language program for beginning, intermediate, and advanced EAL students. Our qualified EAL instructors provide knowledge, skills, and opportunities for students to use listening, speaking, reading, and writing for a range of communicative purposes. A focus on academic language learning strategies and study skills will prepare current and prospective EAL students for the next grade level in an international school setting. Students are grouped with similar ability level peers.

Activities include:

- *Speaking and Listening Workshop*

Students will use oral language in a variety of situations. Students will learn to express ideas, opinions, and feelings clearly and confidently. They will communicate for a range of personal and academic purposes and apply grammar rules to increase clarity, accuracy, and complexity.

- ***Reading and Writing Workshop***

Students will expand vocabulary, develop reading comprehension, and improve written expression through the study of universal themes in literature. Students will develop reading strategies to create meaning from a text, practice specific writing processes, and build a repertoire of language learning strategies.

- ***Integrated Language and Content Courses***

Specific language and topics for the Integrated Content Courses are drawn from literary, historical, or scientific disciplines. Students will develop key language and concepts of a specific content area. They will also learn and apply study skills and learning strategies for the specific content area.