

English Language/ESL

The ISBE Intensive English Program is open to non-native speakers of English who have a serious desire to improve their language skills. This challenging ESL program is useful to working professionals and to students preparing for university study or professional programs.

Our Objectives

The English as a Second Language Program at ISBE Campus provides intensive, academic English language learning for students whose native language is not English. Our ESL Program prepares students to enroll in Adult Vocational Training Institute, Junior or a university degree program.

The ESL Program focuses on the academic skills encountered in university classrooms, as well as adjustment to and understanding of U.S. culture. The program requires approximately 20 hours of instruction each week including classes and computer lab work. Students are expected to complete at least 10 additional hours of home assignments each week.

English as a Second Language at ISBE Beginners

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

1:00pm-5:00pm: General ESL

Grammar and Writing

Reading and Vocabulary

Speaking and listening

*2-,4-,and 6-Month Certificates. Students must do an advanced program before entering any of ISBE's licensing programs.

Advanced

Tuesdays and Thursdays

1:00pm-3:00pm Beauty ESL: Licensing Preparation Course

Vocabulary building

Salon conversation

Overview and preparation of text used in prospective licensing courses

3:00pm-5:00pm General ESL: Every two months certification course changes

- Spiritual Healing (Natural path to wellness)
- Conversation and Culture

- American Film

- Business ESL

Internships: After at least two months of an advanced program or completion of a licensing program, students may choose to do an internship course and may receive a 3-, 6-, or 9- month certificate.

Requirement: Students are eligible for the internship courses below upon successful completion of a two month advanced certification course.

Salon Management Internship
Spa Promotions Internship

Requirement: Students are eligible for the internship courses below after the after the successful completion of a massage, esthetics, or nail tech licensing program, attendance at all required meetings and workshops, and good academic standing.

Massage Therapy Internship
Esthetics Internship
Nail Tech Internship

Field Trips and Activities One Friday per month will be dedicated to a pre-planned activity or field trip for students to enjoy different aspects of Hawaiian life and culture. Students may enjoy lessons in hula, Tahitian dance, lei making, and flower making. Field trips may include beach barbecues, lunch at a restaurant, hiking, snorkeling, etc.

Please click [here](#) to request for program information.