

MONROE COLLEGE

English Language Learning Institute

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Your Ticket to
Learning English &
Studying in New York City.





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The Monroe College English Language Learning Institute (ELLI), provides students whose primary language is not English, with the reading, writing and verbal skills necessary for success in United States colleges and universities. Students will become fluent in English through language instruction, cultural immersion, intensive lab experiences, and courses in U.S. culture and the arts through drama, music, film, dance, and graphic arts.

ELLI creates a Pathway. All Monroe ELLI students are conditionally accepted into the college. It is our goal to prepare ELLI students for not only the language and cultural expectations of the world that surround them, but also the rigors of an undergraduate and graduate program at Monroe College. As an added benefit, ELLI students are not required to take the TOEFL as part of the admission process into the college.

New York City and the greater tri-state area are the classrooms of ELLI.

The Learning Institute at Monroe College is unique because it provides students with a well-rounded English-language curriculum while simultaneously immersing them in the rich and varied cultural experiences of the tri-state area.

For more information:

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ELLI Three Semester Calendar: Three 12-week sessions are available each year allowing students to start in fall, winter or spring. Each semester includes 24 hours of classroom instruction each week as well as field trips and other activities.

Fall: September–December **Winter:** January–April **Spring:** May–August

Monroe ELLI offers two levels of instruction: Each student’s level of English proficiency will determine the required level of instruction. Level I requires enrollment in two sessions while Level II requires enrollment in one session. The innovative and intensive curriculum combines fundamental and core elements of language acquisition with an engaging, and creative social experience.

ELLI I:

Level	Area of Focus	Recommended TOEFL Minimum
Basic	Introduce basic literacy skills and help students adjust to their new cultural environment. Students will develop the ability to use oral and written English for daily needs.	IBT: 0–8 PBT: 0–310
Intermediate	Students will develop oral classroom skills and reading strategies, expand their vocabulary, and use more complex sentence patterns as well as learn how to use some school and community resources.	IBT: 9–18 PBT: 310–343
Advanced	improve students’ accuracy in using English in classroom situations. Activities will develop student’s oral presentation, written, and study skills that will enhance their ability to learn in all subjects.	IBT: 19–29 PBT: 347–380

ELLI II:

Basic	Students will develop the reading, writing, and oral presentation skills required for success in all classroom subjects and social situations, along with participation in informal debates and seminars, and extending their range of research skills.	IBT: 30–40 PBT: 383–433
Intermediate	prepares students for secondary school English and other courses at the college and university levels. Students develop independence in reading literary works and academic texts, in writing essays and narratives, and in applying learning strategies and research skills effectively.	IBT: 41–52 PBT: 437–473
Advanced	Prepares students to read and demonstrate comprehension of a main idea and details of a text on an unfamiliar topic. Students will learn to synthesize concepts and data from a group of readings or charts as well as write a short, academic research paper with appropriate citations, quotations, and references.	IBT: 53–64 PBT: 477–510



Monroe College boasts a variety of Academic Support Services, including a fully-functional Academic Center with tutors, both peer and professional. Writing and library resources are available on both the New Rochelle and Bronx campuses which ELLI students have full access to.

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campus *Life*



Experiential learning is a key component of the Institute's curriculum. Students will not only receive a top-notch education within the four walls of a classroom, but will also utilize the environment around them to learn. Trips are organized and planned every semester, based upon the needs and interests of the current ELLI student body. Many of the trips planned not only reinforce concepts taught in ELLI classes, but also expose the students to the culture of the New York City area. Past trips have included excursions to the New York Botanical Garden, The Museum of Natural History and Central Park. We even go out to dinner together sometimes!

Instructors may also opt to invite guest lecturers to their classes to further enhance the curriculum. Through exposure to a variety of individuals, students will further learn about the diversity of the world in which they live.

At Monroe, we like to think of New York City as part of our extended campus. The New Rochelle, Bronx, and Queens campuses are less than a thirty-minute train ride from Grand Central Terminal in Manhattan, which means that our students are able to take advantage of all the cultural, academic, and professional resources that the Big Apple has to offer.

Each campus enjoys a different vibe. The **New Rochelle** campus offers a traditional college experience with the convenience and beauty of a small city close to the waterfront. The **Bronx** campus is located in the Fordham section—one of New York City's liveliest commercial areas with history and attractions like Yankee Stadium, Botanical Gardens, Wave Hill, The Cloisters, and stunning views of the Hudson River. The new **Queens Extension Site** is located in the heart of the vibrant, pulsating downtown Flushing district.

The Student Activities Office makes sure to take advantage of Monroe's close proximity to New York City with trips to museums, plays, and athletic events—though our campuses have a lot going on in their own right. Each semester, students can enjoy on-campus events like movie night, Welcome BBQs and Ice Cream Socials, a 'Relaxation Zone' during finals or be part of one of our fifty student clubs.



sports academy



Monroe College Sports Academy is designed for a wide range of student athletes who are looking to build and showcase their athletic skills without losing any NCAA eligibility. Many of our academy players are international students looking to showcase their athletic talents to a range of coaches in the United States. Academy soccer, basketball, baseball and volleyball athletes are able to train in well-established programs within top-notch facilities like the Monroe Athletic Complex (the MAC), and City Field, the home turf for many of Monroe's athletic teams.

The academy teams have the unique opportunity to compare their skills with our highly competitive and accomplished NJCAA Division I athletes at Monroe College, and receive year round training lead by a coaching staff with extensive collegiate and professional experience.

Monroe College Sports Academies are located in New Rochelle, New York, just a thirty minute train ride from Grand Central Station in New York City. Over 100 students enter into the academies each year and are enrolled in either our English language instruction programs, certificate or degree programs.

Sports Academies include:

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Soccer
- Volleyball

Some graduates of our sports academy teams have received athletic scholarships to NCAA Division I and II Colleges and Universities to complete their degree programs. Others choose to stay in the academy for the duration of their degree or certificate programs.

Academy students have a wide range of residential options, may participate in our meal plans, and enjoy access to all the services and social activities provided by Monroe College.



Mustang Orlando Sanchez signed with the New York Knicks, becoming the first Mustang to sign with an NBA team.



resident *Life*



Monroe College offers apartment and dormitory living at the Monroe College New Rochelle campus within walking distance of classes, shopping, financial institutions and public transportation. New York City is a 30-minute train ride from the New Rochelle campus.

Our traditional dorming options can be found in either Allison Hall or our brand new dormitory, Gaddy Hall. Both six-story buildings are located on Main Street and offer a fitness center, computer lounge, and laundry facility.

Get Involved in Monroe College Clubs & Organizations

ELLI students enjoy many activities available to Monroe College students including athletics, clubs, and trips. With over 700 student members in over 50 clubs, there is always something to do on campus. Actors, writers, bakers, advocates for change—there's a place for everyone at Monroe. Whatever organization or club you choose to join, you'll find camaraderie and a great opportunity to fit in and connect with other students.

A FEW EXAMPLES INCLUDE:

- Amnesty International
- Asian Student Club (ASC)
- Baking Club
- Book Club
- Campus Activities Board
- Club for Entrepreneurial Opportunities (CEO)
- Culinary Club
- Drama Club
- Early Education Club
- Enactus
- Go Make A Difference (Go MAD)
- IT Student Association (ITSA)
- Monroe Cares Club
- Monroe Cheer
- Monroe College American Marketing Association (MCAMA)
- Monroe College Music Club (MC2)
- Monroe Dance Company
- Multicultural Student Association (MSA)
- Poetry Club
- Pre-Law Club
- Stampede: Dance and Step Team
- The Writers Block
- Triple S — Show Stopping Steppers



how to apply

ELLI Admission Instructions

Step 1

Go to: www.monroecollege.edu and submit an application.

Submit high school credentials and official transcript(s) from previous college or university (if applicable) with an application fee of USD \$35.00.

Step 2

Participate in an interview with the ELLI Coordinator.

This may be conducted in person or via phone or Skype.

Step 3

Complete the ELLI placement exam with an acceptable score.

Tuition and Fees per semester

Tuition (12 week program)	\$3,500
Double Occupancy Room	\$2,500
Meal Plan	\$ 900

Prices subject to change.

Monroe College is authorized under US Federal law to enroll non-immigrant F-1 Students. Prior to applying for a student visa, you must qualify for the Certificate of Eligibility for Non-Immigrant Status, Form I-20 A-B. Monroe may issue the I-20 to accepted ELLI candidates who also submit evidence of financial ability. Please refer to the international section of the Monroe College Website for financial requirements.

Monroe College is a nationally ranked private, coeducational institution in New York offering undergraduate and graduate programs. Since 1933, Monroe College has provided relevant, real world education to hard working students of every background. Monroe prioritizes hands-on academic experiences, practical academic programs, and flexible learning schedules. Monroe is committed to ensuring that students are well-positioned for a career or a higher education success upon graduation.

Monroe College offers Associate, Bachelor's & Master's Degrees within the:

- School of Allied Health
- School of Business & Accounting
- School of Criminal Justice
- School of Culinary Arts & Hospitality Management
- School of Education
- School of Information Technology
- School of Nursing

Quick Facts

FOUNDED: 1933

Monroe College is a private, coeducational, nonsectarian institution in New York State.

CAMPUSES: Monroe has three campuses as well as Online classes. The main campus is in NYC on Fordham Road, the Bronx. The Westchester campus is in the heart of the business district of New Rochelle, NY. The newest campus extension opened recently in Queens, NY.

ENROLLMENT: 4,000+ students in the Bronx.
2,000+ students in New Rochelle.

RESIDENCES: Monroe College provides students with attractive, suite-style housing facilities that are fully furnished and within walking distance of shopping, financial institutions, and public transportation.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR: Monroe College offers students the option of accelerating their degree studies by attending three semesters per year. Students who choose this option may earn their Associate Degree in 16 months. A Bachelor's Degree may be completed in an additional 16 months.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION: The College recognizes academic achievement by providing grants and scholarships for the deserving applicant. Consideration is based on an overall assessment of the candidate as evidenced by the candidate's academic background, extra-curricular involvement, SAT results, and letters of recommendation.

DEGREE PROGRAMS OFFERED:

Accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, the College offers the following degree programs:

- Accounting
- Baking and Pastry
- Business Administration
- Business Management
- Criminal Justice
- Culinary Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Health Services Administration
- Hospitality Management
- Information Technology
- Medical Administration
- Medical Assisting
- Nursing
- Pharmacy Technician
- Public Health

THREE SEMESTER SCHEDULE:

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