

ESL RESOURCES IN MADISON

Are you here on a travel or other temporary visa such as B, F, J or H?

Try these local area resources:

- **Free English Conversation Time:** <https://cpcmadison.org/internationals/english-conversation-time/>
 - **Phone:** 608-217-3008 (ask for Jean-Rene)
 - **Address:** Christ Presbyterian Church, 944 East Gorham St
 - **Email:** jeanrene@cpcmadison.org
 - Meets Fridays from 6-8pm. Activities include short presentations on American and world culture, English pronunciation, idioms, informal conversations, music, games, short films and more!
- **Find a paid tutor:** <https://english.wisc.edu/esl/uw-madison-teachers.htm>
 - The UW-Madison ESL department keeps a list of current and former members of their teaching staff who are available for tutoring; they typically charge \$20-\$30 per hour
- **Wisconsin English Second Language Institute (WESLI):** <http://www.wesli.com/>
 - **Phone:** 608-257-4300
 - **Address:** 19 N Pinckney St. Madison
 - WESLI offers free community classes, paid classes for beginning-advanced students, classes for business and professional skills and programs for test preparation and university success
- **Madison Friends of International Students:** <http://www.iss.wisc.edu/mfis/>
 - **Phone:** 608-263-4010
 - **Address:** 716 Langdon Street, Room 223
 - Free conversation, casual gatherings and/or social outings for students, scholars, and relatives/friends
 - Offers ESL classes for \$60 per semester
- **Madison English Second Language School (MESLS):** <http://www.mesls.edu/>
 - **Phone:** 608-233-9962
 - **Address:** 3009 University Avenue, Madison
 - Best for students who want university credit or certification of English proficiency. Offers six levels of English instruction with curriculum based on three integrated language competency areas: speaking and grammar, reading and writing, speaking and listening
- **Continuing Studies ESL Classes:** <http://continuingstudies.wisc.edu/collections/english-language-program/>
 - **Phone:** 608-890-3253 (Ask for Becky Tarver-Chase)
 - **Email:** languages@dcs.wisc.edu
 - Open to any adult who lives, works, or studies in the Madison area, including working professionals, visiting students or scholars and their spouses, and residents of University Apartments

