

## 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](mailto: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!
- **The International Friendship Center ESL Classes:** <http://www.ifcmadison.org>
  - **Phone:** 608-255-7214, extension 233
  - **Address:** Calvary Lutheran Chapel, 701 State St
  - **Email:** [ifc@ifcmadison.org](mailto:ifc@ifcmadison.org)
  - Free English classes throughout the week for conversation, grammar, music, cooking and more!
- **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 friends
  - Offers ESL classes for \$100 per semester
- **Find a paid tutor:** <https://esl.wisc.edu/meet-the-teachers/find-a-tutor/>
  - **Phone:** 608-263-3780
  - **Email:** [ESLtutor@english.wisc.edu](mailto:ESLtutor@english.wisc.edu)
  - 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 paid tutoring, free community classes, paid classes for beginning-advanced students, classes for business and professional skills and programs for test preparation and university success

### Are you a professor, student or spouse of a scholar at UW-Madison?

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## Are you a professor, student or spouse of a scholar at UW-Madison?

The university offers services and classes just for you!

- **ESL Classes for UW Students**
  - **Phone:** 608-263-3780
  - **Address:** 5134 Helen C. White Hall, 600 N. Park Street
  - **Email:** [askesl@wisc.edu](mailto:askesl@wisc.edu)
  - Program in English as a Second Language for current UW students
- **Greater University Tutoring Services (GUTS) for students/affiliates:** <http://guts.wisc.edu/>
  - **Phone:** 608-263-5666
  - **Address:** Student Activity Center (SAC), 333 East Campus Mall #4413
  - **Email:** [guts@rso.wisc.edu](mailto:guts@rso.wisc.edu)
- **Cultural Linguistic Services (CLS) for UW employees:**  
<https://www.ohrd.wisc.edu/home/HideATab/CulturalLinguisticServicesHome/tabid/124/Default.aspx>
  - **Phone:** 608-265-4691 (Ask for Carmen Romero González)
  - **Email:** [cromero@ohr.wisc.edu](mailto:cromero@ohr.wisc.edu)
  - Translation and interpretation services into Spanish, Hmong, Tibetan and Mandarin Chinese
  - Free ESL Classes and services at the Employee Learning Center
- **CLS Volunteer Tutoring Program:**  
[https://www.ohrd.wisc.edu/home/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=TpXrT4I\\_eSw%3d&portalid=0](https://www.ohrd.wisc.edu/home/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=TpXrT4I_eSw%3d&portalid=0)
  - **Phone:** 608-263-2217 (Jzong Thao)
  - **Address:** 21 N Park St, Suite 5101
  - **Email:** [jzong.thao@wisc.edu](mailto:jzong.thao@wisc.edu)
  - Free 1:1 tutors for UW employees; learners can request to work on English language skills, basic computer skills and UW-Madison and US culture. Learners and tutors are matched based on schedule and location preferences and agree to meet once a week for one hour.

