**English as a Second Language (ESL)**

**Public Programs in Berkeley**

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| **Berkeley Adult School**41805_142398399124808_1373802868_n.jpg1701 San Pablo Ave Berkeley, CA 94702[bas.berkeley.net/esl.html](http://bas.berkeley.net/esl.html)(510) 644-6130  | **Berkeley City College**images (9).jpg2050 Center StBerkeley, CA 94704 [www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/wp/esl/](http://www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/wp/esl/)(510) 981-2858 |
| Beginning – high intermediate level ESL courses | High intermediate – advanced (college level) ESL courses |
| $45 per class per semester | * California residents: $46 per unit (1 hour/week for 16 weeks)
* Non-residents: $213 per unit
* plus fees (per semester):
	+ Campus Center Use $2
	+ AC Transit Easy Pass, $36
	+ Health Fee $18 fall and spring, $15 summer

Full-time student = 12 units Financial Aid available for qualified resident students |
| Free parking lot for students | Pay parking garages and street parking |
| Open enrollment (start anytime, registration open from mid- August to end of April each year). | Classes begin in Fall (September-December), Spring (February-May), and Summer (June-July). No open enrollment. |
| Online/Distance Learning alternative/supplement available | Some courses hybrid (partially online) |
| Non-credit classes | College credit classesCertificates of Proficiency in High Intermediate and Advanced ESL |
| Does not issue Form I-20 for F-1 Visa (international) students | Issues form 1-20 for F-1 visa (international) students/full-time study (12+ units/semester) |
| International Student Services and International Student Club |
|  **BOTH** |
| * Morning, afternoon and evening classes
* Strong ESL community and campus life activities
* Many other types of classes, including CTE (Career Technical Education)
* Close to public transportation
* Access to computer labs
 | * International/immigrant/undocumented students of all ages
* Working students, high school students, parents, transfer students, graduate students, visiting scholars and family members
* Preparation for career advancement, college/university, and/or CTE
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