

ESL: ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Fall 2009

ESL

Beginning
Intermediate
Advanced

Foreign Accent Reduction

Beginner
Intermediate

TOEFL

Test of English as a
Second Language

OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, September 9
6:30-9pm

Pre-Registration Required: OHX-W

**Early Registration
Discount by September 9TH**

Call to Register:
718.631.6343

**The Office of Continuing Education
Queensborough Community College**

THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
222-05 56th Ave., Bayside, NY 11364-1497



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TESTING & PLACEMENT FOR ALL ESL STUDENTS

Wednesday, September 16 at 6-10pm

Registrants will take a Placement Test to determine the appropriate ESL language level. The test results will be available in time for the first class meeting for each section. Registrants' names will be posted outside of L-118P, along with their assigned course level and the building/room number where the class meets. **BEX-010**

Schedule for all classes:

20 sessions / \$265 includes materials

Tues & Thurs, 7:30-9:30pm, Oct. 1-Dec. 10 (skip 11/26)

Levels Available

• **Beginning** (BEX-100 TR)

Learn the basic English you need for speaking with friends, neighbors, and co-workers

• **Intermediate** (BEX-102 TR)

This is a continuation of the Beginning class with more emphasis on vocabulary, grammar, listening comprehension and conversation.

• **Advanced** (BEX-104 TR)

This is a continuation of the Intermediate class with more emphasis on vocabulary and grammar through reading and more emphasis on listening comprehension and conversation through idioms and role plays.

**Additional levels may be available upon
Placement outcomes & Requests**

FOREIGN ACCENT REDUCTION

Helene Spierman, BA, speech coach

You read and write English well; your vocabulary and grammar are good, but people still have a hard time understanding you. Learn to revamp vowels, convert consonants, yet modify stress and intonation patterns to change pronunciation. Designed for students with a good command of the English language who are at least at the Intermediate ESL Level. *Required for both courses: Text/Tape Package: Pronouncing American English, 2nd Edition, by Gertrude F. Orion.*

**PRE-TESTING FOR PROPER PLACEMENT
for all students (BEX-116 PRE-R):
Thursday, September 24 • 7-9:30pm**

► Introduction

Prerequisite: BEX-102 or its equivalent.

BEX-116 8 sessions / \$185

R Thurs, 7-9:30pm, Oct. 1 - Nov. 19

► Intermediate

Prerequisite: BEX-116 or equivalent, and permission of instructor.

BEX-117 8 sessions / \$185

M Mon, 7-9:30pm, Oct. 5-Nov. 30 (skip 10/12)

TOEFL Express

If you are concerned about improving your TOEFL score, this course is for you. This course provides you with the skills and strategies that will help you do your best on this test. You will work on the English language skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing as well as test-taking strategies. Also, you can build your confidence by taking practice tests. The class will meet in both the classroom and computer lab. *Prerequisites: Students who have taken other ESL classes with the QCC Continuing Education are eligible for this TOEFL course if they have completed one of the Advanced Level classes. New students will be required to have either an oral interview with the Coordinator or to submit a short writing sample before registering for this course.*

BEX-130 8 sessions / \$275

SA Sat, 9:15am-12:35pm w/ 15-minute break, Oct. 3-Nov.

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MANY WAYS TO REGISTER:**EMAIL-IN QCCContinuingEd@qcc.cuny.edu**

Use Registration form with your signed MasterCard, VISA, Discover or Amex authorization.

FAX-IN 718.281.5538

Use Registration form with your signed MasterCard, VISA, Discover or Amex authorization.

MAIL-IN to the address indicated on Registration form

Send registration form to address indicated — with your check or money order (including \$15 registration fee for free courses) payable to Queensborough Community College, or your credit card number.

PHONE-IN 718.631.6343

It takes just 3 or 4 minutes using MasterCard, VISA, Discover or Amex. Please be patient if placed on hold due to volume of calls. Have all information ready for EACH student.

ONLINE REGISTRATION cep.qcc.cuny.edu

Link to our programs to register and pay through credit card directly. Simple step-by-step process to register at any time, any place, 365 – 24/7.

For discounts, cash & check, money order, and voucher programs, please contact office directly at 718.631.6343 to register.

WALK-IN Library Building, Room 118P

DAYS: Monday through Friday, 9am-4:45pm (Skip Dates 9/7, 28; 10/12; 11/26, 27; 12/24, 25, 31, and; 1/1, 18, 2010)

EVENINGS: Mondays & Wednesdays, 5-7pm September 14, 16, 21, 23.

SATURDAYS: September 26 & October 3.

WEB-DOWNLOAD www.qcc.cuny.edu/ContEd

Visit our website and download the registration form in the Bulletin. Then just fax or mail-in per above!

PAYMENTS

No partial payments accepted. Cash payments must be in person for exact amount.

PERSONAL CHECKS

Only accepted ten days prior to class start date.

PURCHASE ORDER & VOUCHERS

For Employee Training. Organizations enrolling staff for training and development purposes will be invoiced if a purchase order number is quoted. Not available online.

SPECIAL DISCOUNTED PRICING**10% at initial time of registration for:**

- Early Registration: September 9th for all classes including Note: Only one discount applicable per registrant. All discounts will be taken on tuition only. Discount programs exclude 50+ Club members. Certain programs are exempt from discounts. Excludes on-line courses. Not applicable for web-based registration: must call the Continuing Education office @ 718.631.6343 for discounts.

LOCATION

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DIRECTIONS TO THE COLLEGE

The campus is easily accessible by car from all parts of Queens and Long Island. It is just a few blocks north of the Springfield Boulevard exit on the Long Island Expressway, and immediately south of the Northern Boulevard exit on the Cross Island Parkway.

Subway and Bus Routes to Queensborough:

From Flushing: Take Main Street Flushing Line (No. 7) to Main Street Flushing Station. Take Q27* bus to Springfield Blvd. and 56th Ave. Walk east to campus.

From Jamaica: Take F train to 169th St. and Hillside Ave., then the Q30 bus via Horace Harding Blvd. to Springfield Blvd. Walk north to 56th Ave. and turn right to campus. You can also take the E, J, or Z trains to Sutphin/Archer station, then the Q30 bus from there.

From the Bronx: Take the Q44 bus to Main Street, Flushing. Transfer to the Q27* bus and proceed to Springfield Blvd. and 56th Ave.

From Nassau County: The N-20, N-21 bus line from Nassau County stops at the corner of Northern Blvd. and 223rd St. (Cloverdale Blvd.). The bus makes stops in the towns of Glen Cove, Roslyn, Manhasset and Great Neck.

Via City Bus from Queens high schools:

- From Francis Lewis H.S., take Q30 to Springfield Blvd.
- From Bayside H.S., take Q31 to 48th Ave. and transfer to Q27*.
- From Van Buren H.S., take Q27* along Springfield Blvd.
- From John Bowne H.S., take Q88 to 73rd Ave. and Springfield Blvd., and transfer to Q27*.

* The Q27 bus stops on the campus on weekdays only (Mon. - Fri.)

QCC CONTINUING EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORM

First Name: Male Female

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Birth Date: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Evening Phone: () _____

Day Phone: () _____

E-mail: _____

COURSE	Session Letter(s)	Title	Tuition
_____	_____	_____	\$ _____
_____	_____	_____	\$ _____
		Registration Fee	\$ 15.00*

Make checks payable to: Queensborough Community College
and Mail to: Office of Continuing Education, Room I-118P
 Queensborough Community College, Bayside, NY 11364-1497

* Payable one time per semester. \$25 Late Registration Fee
 within 3 Full Business Days of course start date.

PAYMENT METHOD: Cash is processed by the Bursar's Office. To expedite registration, please use other payment methods.

Check Bank Check or Money Order Check # _____
 Charge: VISA MasterCard AMEX Discover Card # _____ Exp. Date: _____

Please include extra numbers found on back of card

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