

Goals



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Students in the Intensive English Prep Seminar—University English course will:

- **Develop writing and speaking fluency**
- **Practice how to give and support opinions academically**
- **Practice presenting data and opinions**
- **Learn tips on how to be active in academic or seminar discussions**
- **Learn English vocabulary/phrases commonly used in conversations between university students**
- **Practice communicating in cross-cultural situations**
- **Practice accomplishing tasks in teams**

By the end of the program, students will hopefully:

- **Have more confidence in giving and supporting opinions quickly**
- **Understand their strengths and weaknesses in cross-cultural situations**
- **Actively try to engage in discussions with people of different cultures**
- **Be more comfortable presenting data**
- **Form friendships with other new students**

COURSE SCHEDULE

Day 1

Session 1, 9: 00-11:40	Sentence stress Quick write Fluency sprints OREO Discussion: “Many Foreign Students Are Friendless in the U.S.” Discussion: “Ask These Four Simple Questions to Make American Friends”
11:40-12:40	Lunch
Session 2, 12:40-15:30	Sentence stress Campus Vocabulary 1 Quick write Fluency sprints OREO Academic Discussion Language 1: Hedge and Intensify Presenting Data Student group assignments and choosing topics
15:40-17:25	Homework Session Student groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read the background article on your chosen topic • Analyze the visuals (picture/graphs/statistics) on your topic • Prepare your presentation on your chosen topic

Day 2

Session 3, 9:00-12:00	Sentence stress Campus Vocabulary 2 Quick write Fluency sprints OREO Academic Discussion Language 2: Clarify Topic 1 Presentation & Discussion Topic 2 Presentation & Discussion Topic 3 Presentation & Discussion Topic 4 Presentation & Discussion
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
Session 4, 13:00-16:00	Cultural Awareness Activities