

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) about the International Language School

Q: What is the address?

A: The International Language School is located at:

6301 Airport Boulevard

Building B, 2nd floor

Mobile, AL 36608

Q: What is the email and phone number?

A: You may contact the ILS Director by either of these ways:

Phone: 251.533.2911

Email: kwilson@mobilebaptists.org

Q: When are classes?

A: Beginning in August 2019, we will have regular ESL (English as a Second Language) classes two days and two nights per week. You will choose one of the options below.

Monday and Tuesday classes, 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday classes, 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Q: Do you have other classes?

A: Yes, contact the Director for more information. We offer:

Beginning and Intermediate Spanish

Conversation Café

Journey to Citizenship

Basic Computer Skills

Q: How long do classes meet?

A: Our ESL classes meet for 2 ½ hours each day/night. This includes Conversation Café, Tea Time, and Reading Club. Our other classes meet for 1 – 2 hours each week.

Q: What will I learn in class?

A: ESL students learn vocabulary, grammar, pronunciation, and culture as they practice listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. Students will study life skills such as the workplace, money, careers, and time through authentic practice and discussion. There are many opportunities for English conversation. During Reading

Club, ESL students will practice reading and speaking fluency, discuss reading comprehension prompts, learn English phonics, and participate in fun, learning activities.

Q: Are there any other events at the ILS?

A: Yes. The ILS has several events during the year. We host a formal 'Happy Birthday' party in December. We host a formal 'Graduation' event in May. Students will be able to participate in other selected events throughout the year.

Q: Does the ILS have any social media sites?

A: Yes, you may visit us at our FaceBook page or website:

[MBA - International Language School, ESL; facebook.com/MBAILSESL](https://www.facebook.com/MBAILSESL)
mobilebaptists.org/international-language-school

Q: Is there a fee for classes? When do I pay? Do you take cash, check, or credit card?

A: The Suggested Donation for ESL classes is \$50 for each semester (August – December, January – May). For our summer semester (June-July), the Suggested Donation is \$35. You may make one Donation of \$100 for the August-May school year. Other classes also have a Suggested Donation of \$50 per semester.

You may give your Donation when you register, or you may give at your first class.

Give by cash or check made out to *International Language School*. We cannot accept credit card payments at this time.

Q: Can I attend class more than one time each week?

A: Yes, our ESL classes meet two days or two nights per week. Our other classes meet once a week. You may attend ESL and other classes if your schedule allows.

Q: Will we have class if there is bad weather?

A: If there is bad weather, call your teacher to find out if your class is meeting. We usually follow the Mobile County Public School System for cancellations due to bad weather.

Q: Can someone pick me up for class and take me home after class?

A: Check with a teacher to find out if transportation is available.

Q: Can I bring my child(ren) to class?

A: Check with a teacher to find out if childcare is provided. Normally we ask that children not attend class, because it is difficult for students to concentrate.

Q: What religion are you?

A: We are followers of Jesus Christ – Christians. We are part of the Mobile Baptist Association of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Q: If I am not a Christian, can I still attend class?

A: Of course. We are open to students of all faiths.

Q: If I need more information, whom can I contact?

A: Contact our ILS Director, Mrs. Kim Wilson, at 251.533.2911 or kwilson@mobilebaptists.org.

