

Intensive English Program

Our students come from around the world to make Brookhaven College their academic home.



- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Angola
- Argentina
- Aruba
- Belarus
- Belize
- Benin
- Bolivia
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Burkina
- Cambodia (Kampuchea)
- People's Republic of China
- Colombia
- Congo
- Cote d'Ivoire
- Ecuador
- Egypt (A.R.E.)
- El Salvador
- Ethiopia
- Finland
- France
- Gabon
- Republic
- Gambia
- Germany
- Greece
- Guatemala
- Honduras
- Hong Kong
- India
- Iran
- Iraq
- Israel
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jordan
- Kenya
- South Korea
- Kuwait
- Malaysia
- Mauritania
- Mexico
- Mongolia
- Morocco
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- Nicaragua
- Nigeria
- Oman
- Pakistan
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Romania
- Russia
- Rwanda
- Saudi Arabia
- Senegal
- South Africa
- Spain
- Syria
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Tonga
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Ukraine
- Venezuela
- Vietnam
- West Bank

SMART STARTS HERE.



Brookhaven College

DALLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

An Equal Opportunity Institution

01 Start at Brookhaven College «

- During any semester, close to 700 international students are enrolled in classes at Brookhaven College. Our Multicultural Center staff has the expertise to guide international students

through the process of gaining a visa to study in the United States. It also means our international students join a large community of fellow students who support one another and share the challenges and experiences of studying abroad.

- Every year, the professors who teach our classes and lead programs earn recognition at state, national and international levels, ranging from prestigious Fulbright scholarships to National Science Foundation grants.
- We are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges; the same accrediting agency that sets standards for four-year universities in our area like the University of Texas at Austin, University of North Texas, Southern Methodist University, Baylor University, Texas A&M University and many others.
- Students from Brookhaven College are recognized for academic excellence when they are invited to join Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society for two-year colleges. Graduates of Brookhaven College receive fellowships, scholarships and grants every year to continue their education around the world. In recent years, students have transferred on to Baylor University, University of Texas, Rhode Island School of Design, Southern Methodist University and Harvard.
- Brookhaven College is an individually accredited institution of higher education. Our business is education, period.

02 Start at a Community College «

Our main competitors are four-year institutions and trade schools; both cost thousands of dollars more than Brookhaven College each semester, but price isn't the only point that counts.

Here's why community college is a great choice for international students.

Quality. Community college is a smart option; it's the first choice for families—parents and students alike—to save money while students maximize their potential. Transferable credits, small classes, high-tech labs, top professors and other benefits add up to a smart start for your American college experience.

Support. You can become part of a whole new support community geared to help students succeed in college, in every way. Student services include academic advising, tutoring, mentoring, job placement help and more.

The College Experience. At Brookhaven College, student life extends far beyond your classroom. Student clubs and organizations—including an academic honor society, student government, and cultural and special-interest groups—enable you to get involved in a variety of campus activities.

The college has been nationally recognized for service-learning, which allows students to volunteer in the community and connect to their learning in real life situations. Service learning credits on a college application and a résumé makes the student stand out from the crowd.

A STEM Institute, for students interested in science, technology, engineering and math careers, provides students with a cash stipend, personalized faculty mentoring, help with negotiating transfer to a four-year institution plus extracurricular research and internship opportunities.



03 Choose Intensive English



The English for Speakers of Other Languages Program offers an Intensive English Program for students to truly immerse themselves in the language while learning.

Students take classes in listening and speaking, reading, writing, grammar and supplemental skills development. International students take five courses during the fall or spring semester, spending 15 hours per week in the classroom and four hours per week in the lab. For additional practice, they also have opportunities to participate in the Conversation Partner Program.

What Sets Brookhaven Apart from Others?

Difference #1: COST

The costs below represent tuition costs only for a regular, long semester (Fall or Spring). Many of these programs charge students additional fees such as application fees, parking fees, lab fees and more, but Brookhaven College is fee free.

Fall or Spring Long Semester Program Cost Comparison

\$1,377 - Brookhaven College

\$3,100 - Southern Methodist University

\$3,250 - University of North Texas

\$3,890 - University of Texas at Arlington

\$4,035 - Texas Christian University

\$4,595 - University of Texas at Austin

- Our English for Speakers of Other Languages classes include both international and U.S. citizen/permanent resident students. By opening these classes to a wider community, our international students engage with other students of varied ages and nationalities who also have different experiences during their time in the U.S.

- Different sections and classes are available, so our international students have flexibility to create their own schedules instead of being forced into a single set program for each semester.

What is NOT Different? Our Quality Faculty

Our faculty could teach anywhere they want to, but they choose to stay where they can make a real difference in students' lives. Our professors have the same credentials that those teaching at area four-year universities possess. The current team teaching the English for Speakers of Other Languages classes have close to 300 years combined teaching experience. Teaching is their passion, and student success is their goal.

Most of Brookhaven's ESOL professors have traveled extensively, visiting many of the countries our students call home. In addition, the World Languages/ESOL Division is the most ethnically diverse division on campus. Many of our professors come from countries outside of the US and have a personal understanding of the challenges our international students face.



04 Choose Dallas



Brookhaven College is located in Dallas, Texas. Dallas is the ninth largest metropolitan area in the United States, with almost seven million people within the city and the surrounding communities.

Dallas offers access to great restaurants, museums, music, sports teams, outdoor activities, shopping and more than a dozen nationally-ranked universities that can serve as a next-step for our international students who plan to earn a bachelor's degree.

The metroplex is a cultural center in the largest state in the continental U.S., and as such, boasts restaurants, grocery stores, churches and communities representing the culture of dozens of different countries around the world. Students can find food, festivals and friends to remind them of home.

DFW International Airport is ranked 10th in the world in number of passengers; each day 166,000 travelers pass through the airport. There are 155 gates and 24 airlines serving hundreds of destinations worldwide.

There's a wealth of information available online about Farmers Branch and Dallas. Here are just a few sites from some of the top attractions and sports teams in the area.

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| Dallas Cowboys (American Football) | Nasher Sculpture Center | Six Flags over Texas | H Mart Grocery Store |
| Texas Rangers (Baseball) | Dallas Arboretum | Galleria Mall | Fiesta Food Mart |
| FC Dallas (Football) | Dallas Museum of Art | North Park Center | Churches, Mosques, Synagogues and Temples |
| Dallas Mavericks (Basketball) | Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza | State Fair of Texas | |

05 Get Started Today!



Our Multicultural Center serves as a one-stop, comprehensive service center for our international students. The staff help hundreds of students each year prepare for an education in America at Brookhaven College.

Apply. Complete the International Student Admissions Application.

No TOEFL. We do NOT require our students to take the TOEFL before applying to the college for ESOL Programs; however, students who have taken done so are encouraged to submit their scores with their application.



Go Apply Now!