Intensive EFL Program (4-Weeks)

The 'Intensive EFL Program' of the Lasallian Language Center of De La Salle Araneta University is an intensive multi-level program, which immerses students in an interactive, lively and motivating environment. Through a systematic, modular approach, the students are exposed to all aspects of language learning. Particular attention is paid to grammar, vocabulary development, pronunciation, and the skills of reading, writing, listening and speaking. The courses are designed to provide the students with maximum exposure to the English language through authentic, interesting and current subject matters.

Program Duration

This is a fundamental 4-week program. Examinations are held on the 4th week. However, the examination schedule is flexible.

• Flight schedule: June 29, 2024 (Sat) – July 27, 2024 (Sat)

• Flight schedule: July 27, 2024 (Sat) – Aug 24, 2024 (Sat)

Academic Schedule (Flexible depending on the subject)

Schedule					
Batch 1 (4 weeks)	Entry Level Test & Orientation	Jul 01, 2024 (Mon)			
	Regular Class	Jul 02, 2024 (Tue) – Jul 25, 2024 (Thu)			
	Final Examination & Graduation	Jul 26, 2024 (Fri)			
Batch 2 (4 weeks)	Entry Level Test & Orientation	Jul 29, 2024 (Mon)			
	Regular Class	Jul 30, 2024 (Tue) – Aug 22, 2024 (Thu)			
	Final Examination & Graduation	Aug 23, 2024 (Fri)			

Regular Curriculum (8hrs/day)

Class	Class Size	Class Hours
Individual	1:1	3hrs/day
Small Group	1:5	2hrs/day
Big Group	1:10	2hrs/day
Micro-learning		1hr/day

[•] Each student is assigned to various class groupings - individual, small group or big group.

Subject Titles

• **Total:** 6 Subjects Class hours: 160 hours (including orientation, entry level test, graduation and Philippine legal holidays)

Class Types	Subject Titles	Class Hours	Total Class Hours
	Power Speaking	1hr/day	20 hours
One on One (1:1)	Language Builder	1hr/day	20 hours
(1.1)	Practical Writing	1hr/day	20 hours
Small Group	Current Issues	1hr/day	20 hours
(1:5)	English for Specific Purposes	1hr/day	20 hours
Big Group	Culture and Society	1hr/day	20 hours
(1:10)	Effective Listening	1hr/day	20 hours
Group	Group Micro-learning		20 hours

General Assessment

Students are assessed based on assignments and examinations for every subject. The final grade for the subject is based on the following criteria:

Evalua	One on One	SGC	BGC	
Coursework (60%)	Attendance	10 %	10 %	10 %
	Assignment	25 %		
	Weekly Tests	25 %	40 %	40 %
	Class participation		10 %	10 %
Examination (40%)	Final Exam	40 %	40 %	40 %

- In general, the assessment for most subjects is a combination of assignments and exams.
- Assessment for each subject comprises of coursework and examination fundamentally, but this may vary according to each subject.
- Assignments: various tasks to be completed after class
- Results of examinations are cumulative and official grades are posted after the assessment period.

Daily Schedule

Time	Schedule	Time	Schedule
08:00-08:50	Breakfast	13:50-14:00	Proceed to DLSAU-LLC
08:50-09:00	Proceed to DLSAU-LLC	14:00-14:50	5th Class
09:00-09:50	1st Class	15:00-15:50	6th Class
10:00-10:50	2nd Class	16:00-16:50	7th Class
11:00-11:50	3rd Class	17:00-17:50	Micro-learning*
12:00-12:50	4th Class	18:00-19:00	Dinner
12:50-13:50	Lunch	22:00-22:20	Roll Call

^{* 10-}minute break in between the classes

Self-learning time (19:00-21:50 / 22:20-02:00): Monday-Friday (Review/Preparation/Assignment)

Policies

- *English Only Policy (EOP):* Students are required to speak English at the Language Center. Violations will incur detentions (forced study period from 19:00 to 20:00)
- *Mandatory Attendance:* Students must keep their attendance above 90%. Students with below 90% attendance fail the course and forfeit their certificates.
- *Tardiness:* Students are expected to arrive at the classroom on time. Two times tardy is counted as one absence. Even one minute late is still counted as one tardy.

Special Activities

- Language-on-Foot Activities: Interviews and survey communication (Small Group Class)
- *Manila Tour:* Visiting major historical and cultural sites Philippines (Big Group Class)
- Exchanging activities in DLSAU Campus: Participating in festivals and special events.
- *Mindoro Tour & Pagsanjan Falls Tour:* Cultural trip giving the students opportunity to learn the Philippine culture

^{*} Micro-learning schedule is flexible

Academic Calendar

• First 4 weeks

June 29, 2024 – July 27, 2024						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						6/29
						Arrival
30	7/1	2	3	4	5	6
Open Cell Shopping	Level test	Regular Class	Regular Class	Regular Class	Manila tour	Pagsanjan fall tour
M, Change	Welcome Cerem	(Oral Presentation)	(Oral Presentation)	(Oral Presentation)		
7	Regular Class Voca test (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class SGC Output 01 (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class Weekly test (Oral Presentation)	Mindoro Fieldtrip	Mindoro Fieldtrip
Mindoro Fieldtrip	Regular Class Voca test (Business English)	Regular Class (Business English)	Regular Class SGC Output 02 (Business English)	Regular Class (Business English)	Regular Class Weekly test (Business English)	20
21	Regular Class Voca test (Business English)	Regular Class (Business English)	Regular Class SGC Output 03 (Business English)	Regular Class (Business English)	Weekly test Final test Graduation	7/27 Departure

• Second 4 weeks

July 27, 2024 – August 24, 2024						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						7/27
						Arrival
28	29	30	31	8/1	2	3
Open Cell Shopping	Level test	Regular Class	Regular Class	Regular Class	Manila tour	Pagsanjan fall tour
M, Change	Welcome Cerem	(Oral Presentation)	(Oral Presentation)	(Oral Presentation)		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Regular Class Voca test (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class SGC Output 01 (Oral Presentation)	Regular Class Weekly test (Oral Presentation)	Mindoro Fieldtrip	Mindoro Fieldtrip
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Mindoro Fieldtrip	Regular Class Voca test	Regular Class	Regular Class SGC Output 02	Regular Class	Regular Class Weekly test	
18	(Business English)	(Business English)	(Oral Presentation)	(Business English)	(Business English)	8/24
	Regular Class Voca test (Business English)	Regular Class SGC Output 03 (Business English)	Ninoy Aquino Day Activity	Regular Class (Business English)	Weekly test Final test Graduation	Departure