

Focused Skills Classes - Levels 50-120 (Credit and Noncredit options)

Intermediate and Advanced English as a Second Language students can take the following classes for either credit (ESL) or noncredit (ESLN): ESL / ESLN 60, 63, 64, 66, 73, 74, 76, 80, 83, 84, and 86.

ESLN 53, 54, 56, 58A, 58B can be taken as noncredit only, and ENGL 98SL and ENGL 120SL are for credit only.

All NEW intermediate and advanced ESL students:

1. To take ESL classes for **credit**, students must apply for **credit** classes by completing the **Credit** online application - CCCApply at marin.edu/apply
2. To take intermediate and advanced ESL classes for **noncredit**, students must first complete the **Noncredit** CCCApply online application.

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APPLY FOR CREDIT CLASSES	APPLY FOR ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) – NONCREDIT CLASSES

3. After you receive a Welcome Letter from the College of Marin, complete the First time User steps to get access to the MyCOM Portal.
4. With your COM Student ID (M00#) and UserName, log-in to your MyCom Portal to complete the Covid-19 Vaccine Verification form (under “new students”).
5. **Placement and Registration: You must complete the steps above three days before the test date (or earlier). We will help you register for classes after you take the placement test.**

Orientation/Placement Tests before Spring 2023 Semester	Option 1	Option 2
Wednesday, December 14, 2022	Kentfield 5:00 pm	6:45 pm
Tuesday, January 10, 2023	Kentfield 8:30 am	10:30 am
Wednesday, January 11, 2023	Kentfield 5:00 pm	6:45 pm

6. Students returning after a one-semester (or more) absence should talk to the ESL office to find out if they need to do the CCCApply again or not.
7. Contact the ESL office if you need help getting access to the MyCOM Portal.
8. Returning students must also complete the vaccine verification if they have not done so before.
9. To sign up for the next Orientation/Placement Test, or **if you need help**, contact the ESL Office: Go to esl.marin.edu for office hours, phone numbers, information and videos.
10. You can also visit the Academic Center (AC) Room 109; or email us at: esl@marin.edu
11. You can get help with CCCApply in English or Spanish from the [Student Ambassadors](https://es.marin.edu/student-ambassador-virtual-hours) <https://es.marin.edu/student-ambassador-virtual-hours>

Current noncredit Level 40 students who score 80% or higher in the ESLN 40 promotion test are eligible to take level 50 classes, and they do not need to take the ESL Placement Test. If they score 90% or higher, they can take the ESL Placement Test if they want to take a higher level.

Taking classes for credit:

Many students take the ESL classes for noncredit which are free. However, some students may want to explore taking ESL Classes for Credit. The credit option costs money, and there are other things to consider as well. **Please see a counselor** to discuss which option is right for you.

Student Educational Plans

Another reason to see a counselor is to develop an educational plan to help you achieve your goals. Make an appointment to speak with a counselor to work on a student educational plan.

Email: counseling@marin.edu

Waitlists

- Noncredit students, level 60-80, will be put on a waitlist and **MUST** attend the first day of class.
- If there is space before the first day of class, the teacher may accept waitlisted students into the class.
- If you are still on a waiting list on the first day of class, you **must attend the first class** and get an **add code** from the teacher to complete your enrollment.

Not open entry/open exit

- Levels 50, 60, 70 and 80 ESL credit or noncredit classes are **not** open entry/open exit.
- *This means that students must begin at the start of the semester and complete the entire semester.*

Grading

- Noncredit students will receive an unofficial grade of *Pass or No Pass*.
- Students enrolled for noncredit classes can be dropped from their classes in the same manner that students taking the classes for credit are dropped.
- All the students, both credit and noncredit, are expected to attend classes, complete all assignments, and take tests.

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Please check the online schedule for class changes and click the CRN for more information.

Day-Time Courses				CRN Codes	
Course	Days	Time	Instructor	Noncredit	Credit
ESL 053 - Int ESL: Writing/Grammar	TuTh	08:10-10:00	Bonander, Barbara	12368	None
ESL 056 - Intermediate ESL: Words I	TuTh	10:10-12:00	Patel, Beth	12370	None
ESL 063 - High Int. ESL: Writing/Grammar	MW	08:10-10:00	Lee, Paula	12592	13008
ESL 066 - High Intermediate ESL: Words II	MW	10:10-12:00	Walsh, Wendy	12594	13011
ESL 074 - Low Advanced Grammar	TuTh	10:10-11:30	Walsh, Wendy	12600	11219
ESL 076 - Low Advanced ESL: Words III	TuTh	08:10-10:00	Oropeza, Miguel	12598	10274
ESL 083 - Adv ESL: Writing/Grammar	MW	08:10-10:00	Humphreys, Richard	13105	10278
ESL 086 - Adv ESL: Vocabulary & Reading	MW	10:10-12:00	Patel, Beth	12864	10280
ENGL 98SL – College Reading I	MW	11:10-12:30	Humphreys, Richard	None	10282
ENGL 120SL – Intro to College Write/Read	MW	10:10 – 12:00	Woodlief, Blaze	None	10283
ESL 058A - Pronunciation (1/21/23-3/18/23)	TuTh	12:40 -02:30	Walsh, Wendy	12606	None
ESL 058B – Pronunciation (3/27 /23- 5/19/23)	TuTh	12:40 -02:30	Walsh, Wendy	12607	None
ESL 080 - Intermediate ESL: Listening	TuTh	12:40-02:00	Oropeza, Miguel	12601	10276
ESL 073 - Low Adv ESL: Writing/Grammar	TuTh	12:40-02:30	Beal, Rebecca	12596	13013
Evening Courses				CRN Codes	
Course	Days	Time	Instructor	Noncredit	Credit
ESL 053 - Int ESL: Writing/Grammar	MW	06:40-08:30	Beal, Rebecca	12371	None
ESL 056 - Intermediate ESL: Words I	TuTh	06:40-08:30	Cady, Jeff	12369	None
ESL 058B - Pronunciation	MW	08:40-09:30	Hunter, Carrie	13280	None
ESL 058B - Pronunciation	TuTh	08:40-09:30	Cady, Jeff	12605	None
ESL 063 - High Int. ESL: Writing/Grammar	MW	06:40-08:30	Hunter, Carrie	12593	13009
ESL 064 – Advanced ESL: Grammar	TuTh	05:10-06:30	Rolston, Caitlin	13015	13010
ESL 066 – High Intermediate ESL: Words II	TuTh	06:40-08:30	McConnel, John	12595	13012
ESL 073 – Low Adv ESL: Writing/Grammar	TuTh	06:40-08:30	Hunter, Carrie	12597	13014
ESL 076 – Low Advanced ESL	MW	06:40-08:30	Bertuol-Okun, Sueli	12599	10275
ESL 083 – Adv ESL: Writing/Grammar	TuTh	06:40-08:30	Staff	13106	10277
ESL 086 – Advanced ESL	MW	06:40-08:30	Staff	12865	11785
ENGL 98SL – College Reading I	M	06:10-09:00	Atilgan Relyea, Aylin	None	11997
ENGL 120SL – Intro to College Write/Read	Online	Asynchronous	Loewen, Amy	None	13107