



USA: DIPLOMA FOR UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE

This flexible six or nine-month transition course has been designed in association with leading American university partners to guarantee you admission into the degree programme of your choice. On successful completion, you will receive three course credits towards a degree course at Long Island University, giving you the advantage of having already earned part of your degree when you start.

Locations: New York and San Diego	
PARTNER UNIVERSITIES	
30 universities including:	
Long Island University	
Pacific Lutheran University	
Woodbury University	
Lasell College	
Albright College	
Dean College	
New England College	

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Start dates: 2 Jan, 2 Apr, 2 Jul and 25 Sep 2007
Two lessons per week of guided self-study, project based assignments and assessments in classes of up to 32 students
Classes can be scheduled in the morning and/or afternoon
Minimum entry level: 3
Required pass rate: Equivalent to TOEFL IBT 79

Notes:
Some electives require a higher level of English than others. Most schools offer a choice of three to four electives per term. Elective class sizes may vary from subject to subject.

SAMPLE COURSE STRUCTURE

FIRST TERM (11 WEEKS)	
You will quickly build essential language skills	
CORE CONTENT (ALL STUDENTS)	
Unit	20 lessons per week
Grammar and Vocabulary	8
Listening and Speaking	6
Reading Comprehension	1
Practical Writing Skills	2
University Study Skills	3
SAMPLE ELECTIVES	
8 lessons per week	
Culture and Society	
Pronunciation and Conversation	
Grammar Workshop	
Vocabulary and Idioms	
Introduction to American Education	

SECOND TERM (11 WEEKS)	
You will develop your language skills further and also begin to choose academic electives that are compatible with your intended areas of degree level study. You will begin to organize and refine your academic writing style in preparation for future study.	
CORE CONTENT (ALL STUDENTS)	
Unit	20 lessons per week
Academic Reading & Writing	4
Structure and Vocabulary	5
Listening and Speaking	4
Practical Writing Skills	3
University Study Skills	2
American Culture and Society 2	2

SECOND TERM SAMPLE ELECTIVES	
8 lessons per week	
English for Academic Purposes	
Current Affairs	
Film Studies	
Introduction to Information Technology	
Culture and Society	
Business Communication	
Presentation and Research Skills	
Critical Thinking	
American History	

THIRD TERM (11 WEEKS)	
You will concentrate on preparing for the TOEFL exam aiming to achieve the highest score and extend your range of university opportunities	
CORE CONTENT (ALL STUDENTS)	
Unit	20 lessons per week
Exam Preparation	
SAMPLE ELECTIVES	
8 lessons per week	
University Studies	
Introduction to Information Technology	
Advanced English for Academic Study	
Media Studies	
US Constitution	
History of English	
Advanced Critical Thinking	
Advanced Business Communication	
American History	