**Session Duration**
The ELI offers six (6) sessions per year. Each session lasts approximately two (2) months. A calendar of sessions is available on our website.

**Calendar**

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**Estimated cost of attendance**
(for one session, approximately 2 months)

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Prices are in US dollars and are valid until August 12, 2016.
* Prices listed for room, food, and books are estimated.

The University of Delaware is located in Newark, Delaware, a friendly, safe town with a population of approximately 30,000 people.

Newark is 2 hours by car or train from Washington, D.C. and New York (170 km), and 1 hour from Philadelphia and Baltimore (80 km).
The Intensive English Program (IEP) is our core program that helps students to improve their knowledge of English while developing their listening, speaking, reading, writing, and grammar skills.

Levels of Instruction

The ELI offers seven (7) levels of instruction:

- Basic
  - Level I: Beginner
  - Level II: High Beginner
  - Level III: Intermediate
  - Level IV: High Intermediate
  - Level V: Advanced
  - Level VI: High Advanced

On their first day at the ELI, all students take a placement exam in order to determine their English level. Students are expected to complete one level per session.

Instructional Methods

ELI students attend two courses each day:

- **Listening/Speaking.** Develop oral grammar, pronunciation, intonation, accent, and listening comprehension skills.
- **Reading/Writing.** Develop reading, writing, vocabulary, and research skills.

Each class meets for two hours each day, from Monday to Friday, for a total of 20 hours per week.

In addition to courses, ELI students benefit from private tutoring, computer-assisted instruction, and our listening laboratory.

Number of hours per week

With courses, private tutoring, and language laboratories, ELI students in our full program receive at least **28 hours of instruction per week.**

Areas of Study

**Beginner and Intermediate levels:** At the beginner and intermediate levels (I, II, III), students study General English in their Listening/Speaking and Reading/Writing courses.

**High Intermediate and Advanced Levels:** At the high intermediate and advanced levels (IV, V, VI), students choose courses in one of the following four (4) areas of study:

- General English
- Academic English
- Business English
- American Culture

Housing Options

Several housing options are available:

- **Homestay.** Live with an American family.
- **Apartments.** Rent an off-campus apartment that is walking distance from classes.
- **INNternationale.** "Inn-style" residence next to campus with an international focus, where ELI students live with international graduate students and visiting scholars from around the world.