

Cleveland

Center Profile



ELS Language Centers
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Center Hours
 8:00 am to 5:00 pm (Monday – Friday)
 Closed on weekends and holidays

Key Location Features

- Prestigious private university urban campus
- On campus dormitory housing
- Convenient to downtown Cleveland's downtown and numerous attractions
- Concurrent Enrollment available at CWRU for qualified students
- TOEFL® iBT and IELTS™ testing center

Area Attractions

- The Warehouse District of Cleveland (restaurants, cafes, nightclubs)
- Museums, including the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and Cleveland Museum of Art
- Cedar Point, one of the largest amusement parks in the U.S. and number one rollercoaster park in the world.
- The Theatre District, the second largest concentration of performing arts theaters in the U.S.

Climate

Cleveland has four distinct seasons. Winters are often cold and snowy. Warm clothing and waterproof shoes are necessary. Spring is rainy and milder, while summers are warm and sunny with a few weeks of hot, humid weather. The lake breeze keeps Cleveland comfortable most of the time.

Average Temperatures (Celsius)

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Winter	-6	2
Spring	4	14
Summer	16	26
Autumn	7	16

Host University Information

Visit www.cwru.edu to learn more about Case Western Reserve University and their degree programs. Visit the ELS University directory at www.usauniversityguide.org to learn about other local colleges & universities that accept ELS completion in place of the TOEFL®.

Surrounding Area Information

Average travel time (in minutes) from the ELS Center:

<u>Housing Options</u>	<u>Minutes</u>	<u>Method</u>
On Campus Dorm:	3	By foot
Homestays:	25 to 35	By bus or train

Local Places

Airport:	35	By car
Bank:	12	By foot
Downtown:	15	By bus
Post Office:	12	By foot
Restaurant(s):	10	By foot
Shopping Mall:	15	By bus
Sports Center:	15	By foot
Supermarket:	15	By foot
Bus Stop/Subway:	10	By foot

Nearby Cities/Attractions

Niagara Falls, NY	3.5 hours	By car
Toronto, Canada	5 hours	By car
Chicago, IL	5.5 hours	By car

Local Transportation

Public transportation is good in Cleveland, with both buses and trains. A free campus shuttle bus stops in front of the center and at the dormitory. Like most cities, service is more limited at night and on weekends. Approximate prices are as follows:

Per ride:	\$2.25
Per day:	\$5.00
Per week:	\$22.50
Per month:	\$85

Smoking Policy

Smoking is not permitted in or near the ELS center, or in or near the campus residence halls. The university designated smoking areas will be pointed out during the welcome orientation.

✓Housing Check-in and Departure

Students with confirmed ELS housing reservations should go directly to their assigned housing upon arrival (not to the ELS center) on the Sunday before their course begins. Checkout is the Saturday after the program ends. Arrivals and departures on dates/times other than those listed require special approval.

Student Residence / Dorm **Case Western Reserve University** **Cutler House, 1616 East 115th Street** **Cleveland, OH**

Rooms (standard option):

Rooms are arranged in suites of 4 double rooms and one single sharing a bathroom facility. Rooms include a bed, chair, desk, dresser and closet. Linens are also included. Students clean their own room during the stay. Full kitchen is available one floor down.

Meals Included: **None** - Can purchase meal card or prepare meals in the shared kitchen.

Age Minimum: **18+ years old**

Laundry Facilities: Self-service machines are available in the dorm building for a small fee.

Security/Resident Assistant: Students gain access to their dormitory building using their university ID card. The campus has its own security force that patrols the campus. A campus escort service is available for extra security if the student is walking across the campus late at night.

Check-In: **10:00 am to 10:00 pm (Sunday) check-in**

Report directly to Cutler House at 1616 East 115th Street (north of Euclid Avenue). Go to the phone at the front of the building and dial 2718 to contact the resident director. The resident director takes the student to their room and provides keys, linens and towels. Students arriving later should call the Sunday arrival toll free number noted further below.

Damage/Key Deposit: None

Checkout Time: 11:00 am (Saturday)

 Homestays

Rooms: **Single (1-person)**

Meals Included: **15 per week** (daily continental breakfast & dinners with 1 additional meal on weekends)

Age Minimum: **15+ years old**

Flight Information: Homestay students should notify their Host Families or ELS of their arrival times so that families will know to be home when they arrive.

Transportation to ELS: Host family students are responsible for their personal transportation. Most students use the bus and train to come to campus.

Check-In: **10:00 am to 10:00 pm (Sunday) check-in**

Students go directly to homestay address.

Checkout Time: 10:00 am (Saturday)

→ Airport Arrival Information

ELS Language Centers recommends that students choose the ELS Airport Pickup Service for arrivals

(booked through ELS Central Admissions); however, other transportation options are also available.

Area Airport: Cleveland Hopkins International (CLE)

ELS Airport Pickup Service Provider Information:

Cleveland Auto Livery

Tel: 1(800) 715-5466 toll free / 1(216) 421-1101

Fax: 1(216) 421-1108

The driver will hold a sign with the student's name on it. Airport Pickup Meeting Locations are as follows:

International: After security check point

Domestic: After security check point

Other Transportation Options From the Airport:

Taxis from the airport to the campus will cost approximately \$52 plus tip, with a travel time of 35 minutes.

 Toll-free Emergency Phone Numbers

1(888) 475-1365 for Arrival Weekend emergencies.

For other emergencies requiring immediate attention outside of business hours, call the ELS Help Line 1(800) 435-7357 (1-800-HELP-ELS).

 Recommended Hotels

If hotel accommodations are needed before the housing check-in date, we recommend the following hotels. Advance reservations are recommended. Prices (tax not included) are subject to change.

Holiday Inn Express-Airport 16330 Snow Road	\$91-127 per night Tel: 1(216) 433-0004
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Cleveland Airport Marriott 4277 West 150th Street	\$149-169 per night Tel: 1(866) 244-9330
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La Quinta Inn-Cleveland Airport 4222 West 150th Street	\$65-90 per night Tel: 1(216) 251-8500
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Hampton Inn Cleveland Airport 10305 Cascade Crossing (off Tiedeman Road)	\$130 per night Tel: 1(216) 929-8400
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University Hotel & Suites Cleveland Downtown 3614 Euclid Avenue (available shuttle service to center)	\$60-80 per night (student rate) Tel: 1(216) 361-8969 – fee required)
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Glidden House 1901 Ford Drive (walking distance to ELS Center)	\$129-149 per night Tel: 1(866) 812-4537
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Center Arrival Information

New Students should report to ELS at **8:00 am on the first Monday** of their program for registration, the ELS placement test and orientation. New students should bring the following:

- Passport (& I-94 card and I-20 form - if applicable)
- Funds to pay tuition and housing and other relevant fees (or receipt showing pre-payment)
- Proof of medical insurance (or funds to purchase)
- Materials contained in the acceptance package