

Founded in 1960, Grand Valley State University (GVSU) is a liberal arts university in Allendale, Michigan. Situated on 1,237 acres, just 12 miles west of Grand Rapids, GVSU is recognized by "US News & World Report" as the number one most up-and-coming masters university in the Midwest. Recognized as one of "America's 100 Best College Buys" GVSU, which enrolls approximately 24,000 students, offers degrees in over 200 areas of study, including 71 undergraduate and 27 graduate programs.

Some of the study programs at GVSU include:

Undergraduate Programs:

- Accounting
- Biology
- Broadcasting
- Chemistry
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Earth Science
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Film and Video
- Health Communications
- History
- Hospitality and Tourism Management
- International Business
- International Relations
- Marketing
- Nursing
- Physics
- Political Science
- Public Administration
- Radiation Science
- Sociology
- Theater
- and more...

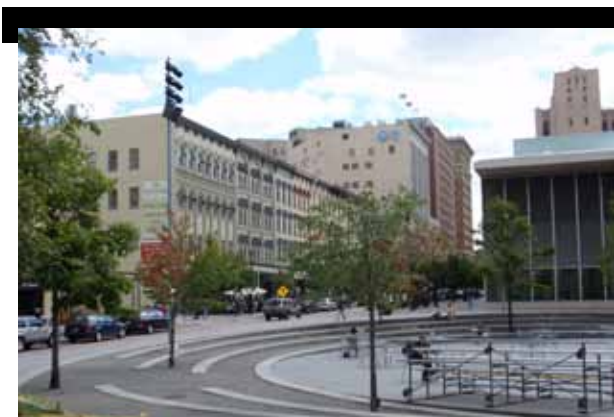
Graduate Programs:

- Accounting
- Biology
- Business
- Computer Information Systems
- Criminal Justice
- Education
- Engineering
- Health Administration
- Nursing
- Physical Therapy
- and more...



Grand Valley State University offers the following advantages to ELS students:

- Acceptance of ELS Level 112 (Intensive English Program) as fulfillment of their English requirement
- Conditional acceptance to qualified students for selected undergraduate and graduate programs
- Opportunities for visitation of GVSU graduate and undergraduate classes by ELS students
- Free use of campus recreational facilities
- Able to participate in 300 student organizations



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Grand Valley State
University with ELS
Language Centers/
Grand Rapids!**



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www.els.edu/grandrapids



Study English at ELS Language Centers on the campus of Grand Valley State University

Whether you are planning to attend college or university in the US, need English to advance in your career, or simply want to improve your English, ELS can help you reach your English study goals.

ELS/Grand Rapids offers the following English programs:

Intensive English Program

- Fulfills the English language requirement for admission to over 600 universities and colleges, including Grand Valley State University
- 30 group lessons per week

Semi-Intensive English Program

- Suitable for students not planning to attend university in the United States
- 20 group lessons per week

American Explorer Program

- Designed for tourists who would like part-time English study
- 15 group lessons per week

Program features:

- 12 proficiency levels from Beginner to Masters levels
- Classes Monday to Friday
- 4-week sessions, with each session the equivalent of 1 ELS proficiency level
- 13 start dates annually

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Choose ELS Language Centers!

Experience: For over 45 years ELS Language Centers (ELS) has helped over one million international students from over 140 countries around the world learn English.

Location: ELS/Grand Rapids is located next to the Allendale campus of Grand Valley State University. Grand Rapids, the second largest city in Michigan, is 20 minutes away. Allendale is located within 30 minutes of the beautiful beaches of Lake Michigan and a little more than two hours from Chicago. The Grand Rapids area is big enough to provide many ways to practice English, yet small enough to help students feel safe and comfortable meeting new, friendly people.

Housing: ELS students are housed in on-campus student residences. Students may also choose to live with American families close to the university.

Facility Use: ELS students have free access to all university recreational facilities, including sports facilities, the library, swimming pool, fitness center, fitness classes, and more.

Activities: ELS plans a wide range of activities for students, from sightseeing to visits to local attractions, center parties, and more. Area attractions include the Monroe Center- a downtown shopping area with museums, and The BOB with exciting nightlife and restaurants, Lake Michigan beaches and boardwalk, Van Andel Museum. Detroit, Chicago, Toronto, Cedar Point Amusement Park, Niagara Falls and other nearby beaches are great for weekend trips.

Testing Services: ELS/Grand Rapids is an authorized TOEFL® iBT and IELTS™ testing center.

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