

A Proven Program for English Language Development

A distinctive approach

Sacred Heart School of Theology offers an English as a Second Language Program



as a service to priests, seminarians, brothers, sisters, missionaries, and lay ministers who wish to acquire language proficiency.

The ESL Program emphasizes:

- Appropriate grammar usage
- Effective writing and reading skills
- Accurate pronunciation in daily conversations, preaching, liturgical presiding, and pastoral situations
- Strong listening and speaking skills
- Multicultural awareness and assimilation
- TOEFL coaching upon request

The ESL program offers:

- Small, personal classes designed for the mature learner
- Individualized instructor attention
- Opportunities to interact with the seminary and Priests of the Sacred Heart community

- Use of computers and software in the classroom
- Quiet academic atmosphere, including Dehon Library
- Cultural field trips
- Participation in the liturgical life of the school with Mass, adoration, and liturgy of the hours
- Preparation for seminarians to enter the Sacred Heart Master of Divinity Program and affiliated programs
- Assistance with research papers for ESL students enrolled in SHST affiliated programs

Admission

- Extensive diagnostics by SHST instructors for appropriate placement in one of four entry programs
- Sessions begin in July, October, January, March, and May. Efforts can be made to accommodate the sponsor's calendar. Contact the ESL director for details.
- Fees are based on a semester rate and per-session basis
- This school is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students



“The instruction is very good — a precision system — yet the instructors are patient and kind. When I teach at university in Rome, the relationship is different. I have only an intellectual, student-professor relationship. Sacred Heart is different. Here, everyone is learning together.

- Dr. Silvonei Protz
2010 ESL Student

Instructors

Experienced teachers have degrees in English and English as a Second Language.

Students

Students in the program have come from Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Cameroon, Chile, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Guatemala, Indonesia, Italy, Madagascar, Mexico, Mozambique, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Spain, Taiwan, Venezuela, Vietnam and other countries.

“The sharing of our cultural experiences, of the Gospels, the Eucharist celebrations, and the trips, permitted us every time not only to verify our level of advancement in English, but also to live moments of intense fraternity.”

- Fr. Jean Marie Ngombou, SCJ
2010 ESL Student



We encourage you to seriously consider the opportunities available to you in the ESL Program. For more information, please contact the ESL director at:



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Sacred Heart School of Theology

We are North America's largest seminary specializing in Roman Catholic priestly formation for men over 30, awarding Master of Divinity and Master of Arts degrees.

The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools,* as well as the Association of Theological Schools Commission on Accrediting, accredit Sacred Heart.

Our faculty is experienced in working with adult students.

We are an Apostolate of the U.S. Province of the Priests of the Sacred Heart.

The school is located in the greater Milwaukee area, just 90 miles north of Chicago.

*The Higher Learning Commission requires accredited schools to include its address: 230 South LaSalle St., Suite 7-500, Chicago, IL 60604



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