

BU Center for English Language & Orientation Programs

FALL SEMESTER 2025

	Programs	Dates	Length	Hours	Tuition	CELOP Application Fee	University Fees	Student Health Insurance*	Room/Meal Plan**	Personal Expenses***	Total Estimated Expenses for I-20 Purposes
Full-time programs	Eligible for On-Campus Housing										
	Intensive 12-Week 20 Hours	September 22 - December 12	12 weeks	20 hours/week	\$7,690	\$120	\$135	\$3,538	\$9,985	\$1,872	\$23,340
	Intensive 12-Week 25 Hours	September 22 - December 12	12 weeks	25 hours/week	\$8,480	\$120	\$135	\$3,538	\$9,985	\$1,872	\$24,130
	English Plus Credit	September 3 - December 19	16 weeks	18 hours/week	\$7060 + \$2,140	\$120	\$135	\$3,538	\$9,985	\$2,496	\$25,474
	Not Eligible for On-Campus Housing										
	Intensive 6-week (Session 1)	September 22- October 31	6 weeks	20 hours/week	\$4,165	\$120	\$135	\$769	\$4,993	\$936	\$11,118
	Intensive 6-week (Session 2)	November 3 - December 12	6 weeks	20 hours/week	\$4,165	\$120	\$135	\$590	\$4,993	\$936	\$10,939
	All short-term programs (less than 12-week) are not eligible for BU Room/Meal during the academic year (Fall/Spring). A Room/Meal Plan fee is shown for these programs to estimate Total Estimated Expenses for I-20 Purposes only.										

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Part-time programs	Part-Time 12-Week 5 Hours	September 22 - December 11	12 weeks	5 hours/week	\$1,510	\$70	\$135	\$3,538	N/A	N/A	\$5,253
	Part-Time 12-Week 10 Hours	September 22 - December 11	12 weeks	10 hours/week	\$3,015	\$70	\$135	\$3,538	N/A	N/A	\$6,758
	Part-Time 12-Week 15 Hours	September 22 - December 12	12 weeks	15 hours/week	\$5,610	\$70	\$135	\$3,538	N/A	N/A	\$9,353
	Part-Time 6-Week (Session 1)	September 22 - October 31	6 weeks	15 hours/week	\$3,670	\$70	\$135	\$769	N/A	N/A	\$4,644
	Part-Time 6-Week (Session 2)	November 3 - December 12	6 weeks	15 hours/week	\$3,670	\$70	\$135	\$590	N/A	N/A	\$4,465
	All Part Time programs are not eligible for BU Room/Meal during the academic year (Fall/Spring).										

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DESCRIPTION OF FEES

Application Fee: This amount is required to process applications. For Full-Time programs, the application fee is \$120. For Part-Time programs, the application fee is \$70. The application fee is non-refundable.

University Fees: This amount consists of a \$60 Community Services/Program Fee and \$75 Student Services Fee charged to all students.

Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP)*: All students are required to have health insurance that meets certain requirements and is compliant with the Affordable Care Act (ACA). For fall semester 12- and 15-week students, this amount provides BU's Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) coverage for the fall, spring, and summer semesters. Fall 12- and 15-week students can choose to adjust their BU's Student Health Insurance Plan to cover Fall Semester ONLY. For the spring semester 12- and 15-week students, this amount provides Student Health Insurance Plan coverage for the spring and summer semesters. Students enrolled in short term programs (six weeks or less) are enrolled in BU's Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) for the duration of that program only. Students may be able to waive their BU's Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) only if they already have comparable health insurance coverage. For details, view here:https://www.bu.edu/shs/getting-started/student-health-insurance-plan/.

Room/Meal Plan**: CELOP students ages 17-25 can choose to live in BU Housing for eligible programs in the fall and spring semesters. Students of any age can live oncampus in the summer semester for eligible programs. The amount quoted here is based on costs for a shared room (two or more students) in a dormitory-style residence. Depending on availability, some students may be assigned other accommodations, which may cost more. All students living in dormitory-style housing are required to have a meal plan. Several meal plans are offered and the amount for Full-Time programs is based on Open Access Meal Plan, Unlimited Access to BU's all-you-care-to-enjoy dining halls with \$280 dining points plan per semester. See other dining plan options online: https://www.bu.edu/dining/plans-points/. Students may purchase Convenience Points and use them at various on-campus locations at an additional cost. For more details about Convenience Points, please refer to the BU Housing website: https://www.bu.edu/housing/living/dining/convenience/. Students are not required to live on-campus, but students that decide to live on campus sign a binding, non-refundable contract. Room/Meal Plan is an estimated expense that is used for immigration (I-20) purposes.

Personal Expenses***: This estimated amount includes costs for books, supplies, and other miscellaneous expenses. Your actual expenses may differ. This is an estimated expense that is used for immigration (I-20) purposes.

Total Estimated Expenses for I-20 Purposes: Students applying to a full-time program must provide financial documents that match or exceed the total estimated expenses of the program they are applying for to receive an I-20 Certificate of Eligibility.