



Thank you for your interest in Auburn University at Montgomery (AUM) and the English as a Second Language Program (ESL). We are excited that you are considering studying with us. I have attached an ESL application form that will assist you with any questions you might have regarding the ESL program and its enrollment requirements. You may also review the information below.

### **ESL Classes:**

AUM ESL offers three English courses that will help prepare you for academic study in the United States. The three courses will meet at the following times:

- Reading and Discussion
  - 9:00 am – 10:30 am on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
- Grammar and Writing
  - 10:45 am – 12:15 pm on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
- Listening and Speaking
  - 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

Each of these classes have five difficulty levels: beginner, low-intermediate, intermediate, high-intermediate, and advanced. In order to determine your level, you must come to our office and take a placement test.

### **Class Prices Per Term:**

- One term is 8 weeks long, and there are 5 terms per year.
  - For a list of the dates of our terms, please visit [www.aum.edu/esl](http://www.aum.edu/esl)
- Each ESL class costs \$630.00 USD.
- The total price for all three ESL classes are \$1,890.00 USD.
- In addition to class fees, F-1 students must pay a Student Acculturation Education Fee of \$50.00 USD.
  - This fee is used to cover transportation and ticket costs for various cultural and extracurricular events that will be provided to you during your time in the ESL Program.
- Students will also have to purchase the required textbooks for each class they enroll in.

### **How to Begin the Application Process:**

Should you desire to study in the AUM ESL Program, please email the following items to [esl@aum.edu](mailto:esl@aum.edu):

- A completed ESL Application
- Copy of your Passport
- Bank statement showing that you have a minimum of \$17,720.00 USD in your account at the time of application. (Please add \$4,000 for each dependent that applies for F2 Dependent Visa)

If you have any further questions regarding AUM's ESL Program, please contact the ESL office at 334-244-3131 or [esl@aum.edu](mailto:esl@aum.edu). If you prefer to read online about our program, please visit our website at <http://www.outreach.aum.edu/english-second-language>.

Again, thank you for your interest in the ESL Program in Auburn University at Montgomery. I look forward to hearing from you soon and assisting you with your admission to the ESL Program.