

English as a Second Language (ESL)

The English as a Second Language department at Indian Hills offers a variety of English Language Learner (ELL) opportunities. Incoming students are given an ESL COMPASS test and a brief informal interview. Based on these key pieces of information, students are then placed into one of the following ESL class levels: beginning, intermediate, or advanced; in the areas of reading, writing, listening, and speaking to best suit their areas of need.

Students are encouraged to join the Indian Hills Community College Multicultural Club. Tutors are available to give students extra practice and help with their usage of English. ESL is offered on both Ottumwa and Centerville campuses.

Once the student has completed the ESL program, Indian Hills Community College offers a wide variety of options for furthering your education. With one of our degree, diploma, or certificate programs, we will find an option that is right for your needs.

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