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**English Language Classes**

University of Michigan

[English Language Institute](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [1]*
Weiser Hall, Suite 900
500 Church Street
Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1042

Classes [2], conversation circles [3], and many other services [1].
*Open to members of the U-M community only

**Other English Language Classes and Conversation Groups**

- [Ann Arbor Public Schools](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [4]
- [Community Education and Recreation](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [5]
- [Eastern Michigan University](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [6]
- [English-ESL Classes](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [7]
- [International Neighbors](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [8] (Conversation Groups for members only)
- [Michigan Language Center](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [9]
- [Washtenaw Community College](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [10]
- [Washtenaw Literacy](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [11]
- [Ypsilanti Public Schools](https://internationalcenter.umich.edu) [12]

**Hobbies**

Topics included in this section are Arts and Crafts, Health, Nature and Gardening, Music, and Dance.

**Arts and Crafts**

Local organizations in Ann Arbor that offer a variety of courses in arts and crafts. Fees vary.
• Ann Arbor Arts Center
• Ann Arbor Potters Guild
• The Bead Gallery of Ann Arbor
• Hollander's School of Book and Paper Arts
• Mosaic Sphere Studio
• Yourist Studio Gallery (Pottery)

Health

Washtenaw County Chapter of the American Red Cross

Nature and Gardening

U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens and Nichols Arboretum
1800 North Dixboro Road
734.647.7600

Music

Below is a list of local organizations that offer music lessons. For more information or private businesses that offer lessons please see the Yellow Pages.

• Ann Arbor School for the Performing Arts (aka Community Music School of Ann Arbor)
• Faber Piano Institute

Dance

Local organizations that offer dance lessons are listed below. For more information or private businesses that offer lessons please see the local Yellow Pages.

• U-M Argentine Tango Club
• U-M Ballroom Dance Club
• U-M Salsa Rueda Club
• Ann Arbor Community for Traditional Music and Dance
• Israeli Dancing
• Swing Ann Arbor

Other Classes

The organizations below offer classes in a wide range of activities and interests ranging from fitness activities, to English classes, to children's camps, to knitting. If a particular area of interest was not mentioned above, the following sources may have more information on the activities/interests.

• U-M Health System
• Ann Arbor Public Schools
• Ann Arbor YMCA
• Life Long Learning at Washtenaw Community College
Institutions of Higher Learning

Besides the University of Michigan, the Ann Arbor area has several other colleges and universities:

- **Ave Maria College** [33] and **Ave Maria School of Law** [34] - Private university which has limited bachelor degree classes and a law program.
- **Cleary University** [35] - Private university that offers English composition and business classes.
- **Concordia University** [36] - Private university with a wide variety of academic curriculum. Also has the School of Adult and Continuing Education.
- **Eastern Michigan University** [37] - State university with extensive academic curriculum. Also offers English as a Second Language classes.
- **Washtenaw Community College** [38] - Two-year college with extensive credit and non-credit courses. Classes in more than 120 areas, including English as a Second Language.

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Links
[1] https://lsa.umich.edu/eli/
[4] https://www.a2schools.org/domain/1599
[8] https://international-neighbors.org/
[12] https://www.ycschools.us/
[14] https://www.pottersguild.net/
[16] https://hollanders.com/
[20] https://mbgna.umich.edu/
[21] https://www.yellowpages.com/
[22] https://www.cmsa2.org/
[23] https://faberinstitute.org/
[25] https://ballroomdance.club/
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