

For more information or to sign up for a partner,
contact:

Intensive English Program

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(Please include "Conversation Partners" in the subject line.)

You can turn in your registration form in the **IEP Office** or fill it out **online** and send it to the above email address.



Conversation Partners



Sponsored by: the **Intensive English Program**
Torreyson Library West room 316

Do you want to learn about different cultures, meet new people, and practice a language?

Join the Conversation Partner Program!



Many international students are a long way from home for the first time in their lives. They are learning a new language and a new culture. To help make communication easier for these students, the Intensive English Program (IEP) matches them with native speakers for weekly one-on-one conversations.

Conversation partners commit to meeting for a *minimum of one hour per week* of informal conversation for one semester. They are not expected to be tutors or provide transportation, unless that is what both partners specifically want to do.

Things to Do

*Have coffee	*Study for a test	*Eat lunch
*Go to a movie or concert	*Play sports	*Volunteer

If you are an American or international student and would like to be a conversation partner, fill out the form on the next page and return it to the IEP department. Please email or call if you have questions or concerns.

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Conversation Partner Program Registration Form *(Please print clearly)*

Date: _____ Are you a native English-speaker? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: _____

Nickname: _____

Local Address or Dorm/Apartment: _____

Cell Number (US): _____

E-mail (US): _____

What is the best way to contact you? ☐ E-mail ☐ Call ☐ Text

Birth Date: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Major/Field of Study: _____

☐ IEP Student ☐ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior

☐ Graduate Student ☐ Faculty/Staff ☐ Study Abroad ☐ Other: _____

☐ **I don't mind being partnered with someone of the opposite sex.**

Hobbies/Interests/Other Information to help match you with a partner. The more information we have, the easier it is to match you with a partner:

Are you willing to meet with two (2) conversation partners at the same time?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Native Language(s): _____ Country: _____