

# Welcome to Rennert!

### Everything we do is about you

Take a fashion internship, become an actor, or rub shoulders with world business executives. There are so many ways to live and breathe English in New York City!

We have chosen highly qualified and trained teachers, a passionate and dedicated staff, and hand-picked a wide array of programs and partner schools so you can **live**, **learn**, **and love English** and create your own unforgettable experience.





For forty-six years I've been seeing smiles on the faces of happy students at Rennert.

Those smiles reflect your feeling of accomplishment, your happiness at making new friends and creating memories in New York City.

Join us and learn English in our friendly and nurturing schools where we truly care about you.

Come and discover Rennert International in the USA

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César Rennert Founder and CEO of Rennert International

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# Why choose Rennert?

### **QUALITY**

Founding member of the awardwinning International Association of Language Centres, Rennert provides excellence in education and specialized services in a beautifullystyled, city-center school and teacher training facilities.

#### **ACADEMICS**

Our staff and teachers receive training through out the year to ensure our academic approach is sound and based on the most effective approach to language development.

#### CITY-SAVVY

A fantastic city-center location: Midtown Manhattan in New York, just steps away from Grand Central Terminal, The Chrysler Building, and beautiful Bryant Park.

#### PLUS ENGLISH

Exclusive add-on programs including English Immersion, Dance, Music, Fashion, Photography, Acting, and more!

### SMALL CLASSES

Maximum of 12 students (average 10) in American English groups, and maximum of 6 students in our Professional English group.

# ONE-ON-ONE ATTENTION

One-on-one weekly consultations with your teacher to discuss your progress and your needs.

#### **EXECUTIVE FOCUS**

Executive and Professional English Programs with expert, experienced teachers in small group and private formats. Exclusive designated classrooms and lounge.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

Fun and interesting daily activities, many of which are free or guided by Rennert teachers Weekend excursions to nearby cities and attractions.

# CURATED EXPERIENCE

Whether your goals are to pursue a university degree, gain industry experience, or develop your artistic side, Rennert can help curate a unique learning experience through its partnerships.

# FREE LANGUAGE WORKSHOPS

Continue your learning after class in free language workshops led by our teachers. You can practice American slang and idioms, learn about U.S. culture, or meet new students by joining our guided conversation club.

# The Rennert English Experience



### Succeed!

Put your trust in our 46 years of expertise in language teaching to ensure that you succeed in your language goals. Our signature 'R.E.A.L. Method' (Rennert Experiential Approach to Languages) is constantly researched and fine-tuned by our talented and dedicated teachers. Rennert's system will ensure you progress quickly by immersing you in the English language through real-life experiences, both in the classroom and in New York City.

#### When you arrive

You will receive a warm welcome and a thorough orientation of programs and school life to make you feel at home. Next, you will take an English placement test and have a short speaking interview so we can place you in the best level for you to make optimal progress. You will meet our staff and hear all about the fun activities and events going on in the school.

#### Individual guidance

Once you get started in your course, our friendly, well-qualified teachers will coach you during class and in your scheduled one-on-one weekly meetings where they will update you on your progress and help you stay on track for language learning success. We are here to help you achieve your learning goals. At Rennert your language is assessed against the internationally recognized CEFR (Common European Framework for Language Learning).

Every four weeks, your teacher will evaluate whether you are ready to advance to the next level.

# Keep it R.E.A.L. and experience the English language

Make sure you take full advantage of the many opportunities to learn by participating in all that we offer. Join our free language workshops and teacher-led activities. Meet new people and make friends. Take a dance class, or pursue an internship in business or fashion. Immerse yourself in language and truly discover American culture. Use your time at Rennert to meet future business partners and build a network of life-long friends.

Whether you are preparing for an exam, perfecting your professional English, or learning just for fun, the Rennert Experiential Approach to Languages will lead you to success!

Now it's your turn to  $\boldsymbol{\text{LIVE}, \text{LEARN, AND LOVE ENGLISH!}}$ 



Rennert is located in Midtown Manhattan, a steps away from Grand Central Terminal, the Chrysler Building and the United Nations Headquarters. Times Square is a 15-minute walk or just one subway stop from the school. With the lights of Broadway, the magic of Times Square, and the many museums, skyscrapers, restaurants, and music and dance clubs, it is no wonder New York is known as the city

#### **Travel Time**

Homestays: 30-60 minutes by subway

that never sleeps.

Residences: from a 10-minute walk to 20 minutes by subway

Apartments: from a 10-minute walk to 20 minutes by subway

Eateries: typically a 2-5 minute walk, there are dozens of cafés and restaurants around the school, some offering a 10% discount to Rennert

Attractions Nearby: Fifth Avenue, MoMa, shopping, Bryant Park, Central Park, Rockefeller Center

Average Temperature (°C): Spring 16° • Summer 25°-30°• Fall 14° • Winter 2°





Ages: 17+ year-round, 16+ in summer (July-September)

**Number of Students Per Class:** 12 maximum in American English 6 maximum in Executive English

Student Lounge: lounge with microwaves and snack/drink vending machines, wireless access

Computer Access: 10 computers for student use

Free WiFi: Available throughout the school

**Nearest Subway Station:** Grand Central Terminal

Cafés and restaurants: offering discounts with student ID

Housing options within walking distance or a short subway ride away

Address: 12 East 41st Street, New York, NY 10017 at Berkeley College





# American English Programs

#### **All Courses**

All classes at Rennert are taught by qualified, certified English language teachers who are friendly, supportive, and dedicated to you and your English progress.

New York City

#### Course Duration:

1-week minimum

#### **Lesson Duration:** 50 minutes

#### **Start Dates:**

Any Monday

#### **English Levels:**

All levels

17+ (16+, July-September)

### Number of Students Per class:

Average 10 (maximum 12)

#### **Weekly Progress Reports:**

One-to-one consultation with your teacher to help you stay on track to achieving your goals

#### Certificate of Completion:

A personalized certificate with a description of your language competence

Immerse yourself in English and choose the schedule that matches your learning goals. Rennert offers lessons in Intensive, Semi Intensive and Super Intensive schedules. Classes focus on the four language skills using our signature R.E.A.L. method: Rennert Experiential Approach to Languages, that will have you speaking English-

Our small-group classes are always facilitated by our expert and friendly Rennert teachers. You will perfect your listening, speaking, grammatical and idiomatic use of English in a fast-paced learning environment. Take an Intensive course option and add more fun and interesting electives to give you even more practice in English!

#### Semi-Intensive 16

Get the most out of your free time in New York City with just 16 lessons per week.

16	American English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Thursday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Visa	Tourist visa or waiver

#### Intensive 22

Achieve progress faster while still having time to see the sights of vibrant New York City. Take advantage of long-term stays.

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20	American English lessons per week
+2	Communication workshops per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M+A	Morning and afternoon schedule
Visa	F-1 student visa

#### Intensive 20

Expand your communication skills while still having free time for Plus programs, activities, and excursions.

20	American English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Visa	Tourist visa or waiver

#### Intensive 30

Make progress even faster with our most popular program of full immersion.

20	American English lessons per week
+10	Afternoon elective lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M+A	Morning and afternoon schedule
Visa	F-1 student visa

# Add-on

#### **PRIVATE LESSONS**

Boost your English experience by adding extra one-on-one time with your teacher. Advance quickly and achieve your English learning goals. See Fees and Dates packet for packages and pricing.





### Electives

# Intensive 22/30

Enjoy extra practice, build more confidence, and experience faster progress in English with a range of interesting afternoon electives to suit your needs.

- Speaking and Pronunciation: Improve your fluency, build vocabulary, and speak more like a local in this fun and engaging course.
- English through American Films: Improve your comprehension, fluency, and knowledge of idioms and vocabulary by discussing and analyzing American films.
- American Culture and Current Events: Learn about U.S. diversity and culture, behavior, and etiquette as you analyze stories in the news and on social media in this advanced level elective.

# **Business English**

### Future Professionals

Learn American business language, boost your resumé and acquire an early-career advantage.

Business English

20	lessons per week
+2*	Fluency course modules per week
Days	Monday-Friday

M/A Morning or afternoon schedule

Tourist or F-1 student visa depending on course

Ages 17-27

\* Business English can be taken in 20 and 22-lesson options. 22-lesson option is required for F-1 student visa.

Designed for future professionals, this course will help you develop your English skills for use in the workplace. You will learn business-specific vocabulary, prepare and deliver presentations, and practice skills like leading meetings and negotiations.

A combination of structured class activities, written exercises, case studies and project work is used and developed through topics such as Management, Marketing, Finance and World Economy.

# Business skills covered include:

- Giving presentations
- Writing emails
- Participating in meetings
- Networking and making small talk
- Negotiating
- Participating in teleconferences
- Handling problems

### Language skills covered include:

- How to use persuasive language in letters and presentations.
- When and how to use different levels of formality in written and spoken English.
- How to use intonation to convey confidence and empathy.
- How to formulate questions to foster dialog, agreement, resolution, or debate.



### Semester/Year English Program .....

Go full immersion with a **semester** or **year-long course** in New York City. Live like a New Yorker, experience the city in its splendor, and reach your fluency goals.

Select your course intensity of **22** or **30** lessons per week and benefit from an excellent price on tuition and accommodation.

This course is ideal for high-school grads or students planning to pursue a graduate or undergraduate degree in the U.S.



<sup>†</sup> Not all skills are covered each week

# Language Internship Experience

#### **Business English in Action** | For F-1 visa students



Add this language internship option to your Business English 22 or Intensive English 22 course. Practice all you have learned in class in a real-life business environment in New York City.

Practice your English communication skills in a variety of business fields.

#### Sample Fields Include:

- Marketing
- Public Relations
- Architecture
- Fashion
- Hospitality
- Information Technology
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22	Business English or Intensive English lessons per week (from weeks 1-16)
+2	Workshops in Resumé Building and Interview Techniques (from weeks 1-2)
+20	Hours per week of Language Immersion Experience (from weeks 3-16)
Duration	6-16 weeks including English
Visa	F-1 student visa
Requirements	Skype Interview, upper-intermediate level of English
Extras	Students will be given a letter of recommendation from the organization at the end of their internship experience.

For the first two weeks, you'll attend English classes and participate in two workshops to prepare your American-style resumé, and practice for your interview with a sponsor company. Once accepted, you will volunteer part-time for the next 4-14 weeks and practice your English communication skills alongside local professionals.

Rennert's placement team will have weekly check-ins with you, and after successful completion, you'll receive a letter of recommendation that will be a valuable asset in your future.

Make the most of your experience in the U.S. with this once-in-a-lifetime program that will boost your chances of a successful career.



"I really felt a part of something here. I learned how an American business works and improved my Business English."

— Gianluca, Germany

### Add-on

### Language Immersion Placement Service | For non-visa students



Make the most of your vacation in the U.S. by adding this once-in-a-lifetime volunteer experience. This service is in addition to your English classes at Rennert.

During your 4-week Semi-intensive course, you will attend two workshops that will guide you on how to prepare an American-style resume and interview skills. Rennert will then arrange an interview for you at a U.S. company. Once accepted, you will volunteer for 4–8 weeks and experience the language and culture of the American workplace.

Rennert's placement team will check in with your weekly and after successful completion of your placement you will receive a letter of recommendation that will be a valuable asset in your future.

16 or 20	English lessons per week (from weeks 1-4)
+2	Workshops in Resumé Building and Interview Techniques, followed by an interview (weeks 1-4)
20-40	Hours per week of Language Internship Experience (from weeks 5–8+)
Duration	8–12 weeks including English
Visa	Tourist visa or waiver
Level	Skype interview, upper-intermediate level of English
Extras	Letter of recommendation from the organization at the end of their volunteer experience.

# TOEFL Preparation and EAP

#### **TOEFL Success**

Train in strategy and high-level language skills to achieve the score you need to succeed in the TOEFL iBT.

20	TOEFL Success lessons per week
+2*	Elective lessons per week
Duration	4-12 weeks
Days	Monday-Friday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Visa	Tourist/Waiver or F-1 student visa depending on course

\* TOEFL Success can be taken in 20 and 22-lesson options. 22-lesson option completes elegibility for F-1 student visa.

Rennert's TOEFL Success program will help you achieve the score you need to enter university. Students learn key strategies for success in all areas of the internet-based test including reading, writing, speaking and listening. Weekly practice tests and student progress reports will keep you on track for success. The course meets for 4 lessons per day with only 12 students per class to allow for maximum progress.

Rennert can assist in registering for the TOEFL exam on the ETS website: www.ets.org

"Dear Teacher, I took my TOEFL exam in Italy on July 23rd and I GOT 101! So I made it. I can objectively say that you've been one of my best teachers ever."

— Francesca, Italy.

#### English for Academic Purposes (EAP)



20	EAP lessons per week
+2	Communication workshops per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Level	Intermediate level required
Visa	F-1 student visa

Rennert offers English for Academic Purposes to help you learn the skills you will need to succeed in academic life in universities here or abroad. This intensive Academic English course focuses on critical thinking skills and strategies, research techniques, and academic writing, reading, listening, and note-taking skills, which are essential for academic success.

#### Focus on developing:

- Critical thinking
- Research techniques
- Academic writing
- Analytical reading skills
- Strategic listening and note-taking
- Presentation skills
- Discussion strategies
- Teamwork skills

This course is a great option for students who are currently or will soon be enrolled in undergraduate or graduate university programs.

EAP students can add to their course **Language Internship Experience** or any of our **Plus English** courses.



# English for Executives and Professionals

#### **All Courses**

Modern facilities and a separate suite for professionals including student computers as well as a lounge with complimentary tea, coffee, and periodicals.

#### Location:

New York City

#### Classes:

Small, international group classes (6 clients maximum)

#### Lesson Duration:

60 minutes

#### Teachers:

Teachers create tailor-made classes to suit students' learning goals

#### Extras:

Complimentary lunch on Monday; Thursday evening wine and cheese social events for cross-cultural networking

#### **Course Duration:**

1 week minimum

#### **Start Dates:**

Any Monday

#### English Levels:

Intermediate and above

#### Recommended Minimum Age:

26

#### **Professional Group**

#### Full-time/Part-time

Focus on in-depth analysis of case studies, negotiating, management styles, relationship building, and more.

#### **Full-time**

30	Professional English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M+A	Morning and afternoon schedule
Visa	F-1 student visa

#### **Part-time**

15	Professional English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Visa	Tourist or waiver

#### **Professional Private**

#### Full-time/Part-time

Focus on your specific language needs and goals with a personalized course with your private teacher. The program is tailormade by your teachers using the needs analysis survey you complete before your program.

#### **Full-time**

30	Private Professional English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M+A	Morning and afternoon schedule
Visa	F-1 student visa

#### Part-time

15	Private Professional English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M/A	Morning or afternoon schedule
Visa	Tourist or waiver

# Professional Combination

#### Group + Private

Get the best of both worlds with a combination of dynamic group classes and customized private

15	Professional <b>Group</b> English lessons per week
15	Professional <b>Private</b> English lessons per week
Days	Monday-Friday
M+A	Morning and afternoon schedule
Visa	F-1 student visa

### Add-on

# 3-HOUR LESSON IN BUSINESS WRITING

Join other professionals and your teacher in this add-on class. Get hands-on practice in professional writing skills, editing, style, and sentence and paragraph structures.







### **Professional English for** Specific Purposes

These specialized, one-week workshops are created for professionals who want to focus on industry-specific language skills.

Duration	1 week total
15	Hours per week
Days	Monday-Friday
Schedule	Morning, afternoon, or evening schedule
Add-on	To any part-time Professional English program
Dates	Specific dates apply. Please see Fees and Dates for details.

#### **Finance**

Learn the language of finance with your qualified teacher and analyze the financial performance of companies, trends, regulations, and more.

#### Sales and Marketing

Explore sales and marketing trends in the U.S. and abroad while learning specific vocabulary through analysis of case studies and current events in the industry.

Learn about the structure and history of U.S. law, looking at specific language of contracts, regulations, constitutional laws, and statutes.

#### **Aviation English**

Offered anytime during the year, on request. For aviation professionals, particularly pilots and air traffic controllers, this specialized course will help prepare you to pass the ICAO Language Profile. This course can be added to any part-time Professional English program or American English program.





for more than four decades.

Build your confidence and enhance your presentation skills, share business best practices, and hone email and phone communication skills. Learn the most up-to-date business and professional concepts and terminology to stay competitive.

Network with fellow professionals at our complimentary lunches as well as evening wine and cheese mixers.

"Studying English at Rennert was not just about learning a language; it was also about having a fabulous human experience with the diversity of the students and the convivial atmosphere created by the staff of the school."

Bruno L. Financial Comptroller, Paris, France



### Add-on

#### PRONUNCIATION AND ACCENT **REDUCTION CLASSES**

Join our Evening English program from 6:25-8:30 p.m. once a week to master English pronunciation. Learn to pronounce difficult English sounds more clearly, use natural rhythm and stress, and become more expressive using appropriate pitch and intonation.



# Plus English Programs

For many years, Rennert has been curating a collection of enriching Plus English Programs that allow you to explore English language learning beyond the classroom, getting the most and the best of New York City. **These programs can be added on to nearly any Rennert English program.** 

Whether you want to study an art form for the first time, or want to deepen your skills and talents, Rennert has the Plus program for you.

Pursue your passion while practicing English at partner schools attended by American students, so your language immersion continues while you make new international friends.



Earn 4 credits recommended for transfer from New York Film Academy in their intensive Filmmaking workshop. First, spend 4 weeks in Intensive 30, and then attend New York Film Academy for 4 weeks where you will gain hands-on experience writing, shooting, directing and editing three short film projects, or acting for film. No previous experience is necessary

#### Course Length:

Dates packet

8 weeks total. 4 weeks of English + 4 weeks of Super-intensive Filmmaking Add-on To: Intensive English 30 Requirements: Intermediate English level, Skype Interview, high school diploma and transcripts

Specific Start Dates: See Fees and

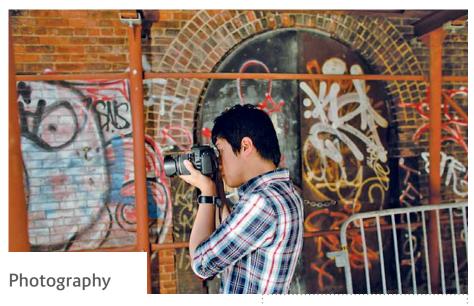


If you have a passion for fashion, Rennert and Berkeley College offer an exciting 4-week, intensive program for you!

Get a hands-on look at the fashion business industry, and learn from professionals in fashion buying, merchandising, fashion forecasting, trendspotting, and more.

Course Length: 4 weeks total Plus Lessons: 15 lessons per week Add-on To: Semi-intensive English and Intensive English 20/22 Requirements: Upper-intermediate English level

**Specific Start Dates:** See Fees and Dates packet



Enjoy amateur photography courses taught by experienced professionals at a boutique photography studio. PhotoUno Studio offers crash courses in Digital Photography and Photographing New York City.

Pick your course of 1 day, 3 or 6 weeks **Add-on To:** Any American English Program

**Requirements:** Intermediate English level and a digital camera **Specific Start Dates:** See Fees and

Dates packet



Experience New York City's hot dance scene with Rennert's English Plus Dance at Steps on Broadway. Take classes with New York City's top teachers in Hip-Hop, Jazz, Street Dance, Musical Theater, Ballet, and more.

Course Length: 2 weeks minimum Dance Lessons: 5 classes per week All levels of English welcome Add-on To: Any American English Program Start any Monday



Serious actors improve their acting skills at the prestigious Tom Todoroff Studio in NYC. Tom Todoroff has done acting, voice coaching and producing with actors including Liam Neeson, Samuel L. Jackson and Christina Ricci. Take Tom's weekly Studio Class which focuses on scene study, monologue, and audition techniques.

2-week intensive courses and 2-year conservatory programs available.

**Course Length:** 4 weeks (more class options available)

**Plus Lessons:** Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

**Add-on To:** Any American English Program

**Requirements:** Upper-intermediate English level and previous acting experience

**Start** on the first Monday of every month



Develop your musical talent at the prestigious Kaufman Music Center, one of the finest community performing arts schools in the U.S. Take private instruction from professional musicians in voice training and nearly all instruments.

2 hours per week Duration: 2 weeks minimum Add-on To: Any American English Program All levels of English welcome Start any Monday

# University Experience Programs

#### **Gap Year University Combination**



22 or 30	American English lessons per week
+12	Credits at Berkeley College
Duration	Your English program (12 weeks minimum) + One college semester (14-18 weeks)
College Sessions	Winter Semester Spring Semester Fall Semester
Visa	F-1 student visa
Requirements	Intermediate level of English, immunization record, high school diploma and transcripts

Since 1931, thousands of international students have chosen Berkeley College in midtown Manhattan to prepare for successful careers.

First, take a minimum of 12 weeks of English to prepare for university life. Then, transfer to Berkeley College where you will choose credit-

bearing courses in Business, Fashion Business, Principles of Marketing and Management, or Business Law.

#### Business (3.0 credits)

Business classes carry three credits each and cover subjects that include Business Organization and Management, Principles of Management, and Principles of Marketing. Learn how businesses are organized and managed alongside American and international students.

#### Fashion Business (3.0 credits)

Fashion classes carry three credits each and cover an introduction to the fashion business, an overview of the textile industry for both apparel and home as well as visual merchandising, color theory and inventory control and pricing.

#### Law (3.0 credits)

Law classes carry three credits each and take you through an introduction to the U.S. legal system, trial and appellate courts, contracts, and more. Business Law focuses on contracts, commerce, property, and sales.

#### Courses for International Graduate Students



Join our International graduate-level support program **Skills For Greater Success: From College to The Workplace** and ensure your success gaining a top internship placement in the field of your studies.

Your academic and career success relies on your ability to clearly and confidently communicate and present your ideas.

If you are currently enrolled or thinking about pursuing a graduate degree, these special elective courses will provide the support you need to excel in the classroom and the workplace.

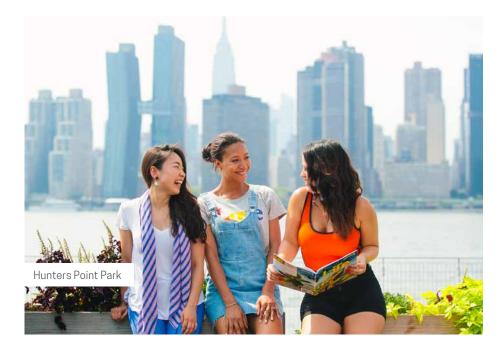
- Critical Academic Skills: How to Achieve Grade A Status
- Steps to Real Life Experience: How to Get a Great Internship
- Professional Skills for Future Leaders:
   Ensuring Success in your Internship

Classes follow our Electives schedule for Fall and Spring semesters. Summer sessions are Monday-Friday from  $6-8~\mathrm{p.m.}$ 

- 10 lessons per week
- Ongoing enrollment

# Explore New York City

### Year-round activities for everyone!



Practice English, experience New York City and have fun hanging out with international friends. Join daily activities or free workshops and discover the city with the locals.

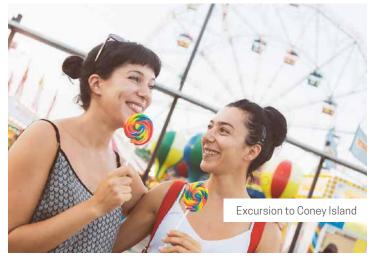
- Broadway
- Harlem gospel or jazz
- The Top of The Rock
- New York baseball
- The Empire State Building
- Rockefeller Center
- The Statue of Liberty
- Boat tours
- Fifth Avenue shopping
- Nightclubs
- Art gallery-hopping
- The United Nations
- The Brooklyn Bridge
- Famous bars and eateries











# Housing in New York

#### **Family Homestays**

Live with a New Yorker! Immerse yourself in the language and culture of the city by staying with a host family during your English program.

Location	Manhattan/Brooklyn/Queens
Travel Time:	30–60 min. by subway
Room Type	Single or double*
Bathroom	Shared
Amenities	Internet access
Meals	Breakfast 7 days a week Optional: Dinner 5 days or 7 days a week



#### **Apartments**

#### **Midtown East Executive Apartments**

Fabulously located executive-style apartments suitable for professionals and mature students seeking convenience and privacy, just minutes from Rennert and from Grand Central Terminal.

#### **Midtown East Luxury Apartments**

Independent luxury apartments in the Grand Central Business district. Amenities include a dedicated 24/7 doorman and Resident Service team, fitness center with top-knotch equipment, in-suite dining, courtyard garden, and much more.

Travel Time:	5-minute walk
Apt Type	Two-bedroom
Room Type	Single
Bathroom	Shared
Amenities	WiFi, Smart TV with Netflix, modern kitchen, and weekly cleaning

Travel Time:	5-minute walk
Apt Type	Spacious one-bedroom
Bathroom	Carrara marble baths with Bulgari bath amenities
Amenities	WiFi, full kitchen, weekly cleaning and linen service, flat screen TV with premium cable + HBO, and individual thermostat







#### **Student Residences**

**Economy Residence-Vanderbilt** YMCA Manhattan: The Vanderbilt YMCA is walking distance to the school in the heart of Manhattan. Rooms are small and simple in single and double format.

**Standard Residences DeHirsch** 92nd Street YMCA: Located on the illustrious Upper East Side of Manhattan, a short subway ride from the school, this residence is perfect for long-term students (4-week minimum).

#### Summer 1760 Residence:

Located on the Upper East Side of Manhattan. This modern, newly renovated residence features double rooms with private, ensuite bathrooms. Available July through mid-August.

Travel Time:	10-minute walk
Room Type	Single or double*
Bathroom	Shared on every floor
Amenities	WiFi, kitchen, gym, pool, and laundry
Travel Time:	15 minutes by subway
Room Type	Single
Bathroom	Shared on every floor
Amenities	WiFi, Kosher kitchen, gym,

Travel Time:	15 minutes by subway
Room Type	Double
Bathroom	Private ensuite
Amenities	Gym, kitchen, library, study room, game room, and laundry

pool, and laundry







<sup>\*</sup>Doubles, in this case, are for students traveling together only.

# Your Next Step

**Contact us at apply@rennert.com** to speak with your Rennert Admissions Coordinator to ensure that all visa-related details for your study are arranged. If you are studying for:

- More than 18 hours per week you will need an F-1 student visa.
- Less than 18 hours per week you will need a B-2 tourist visa/ESTA visa waiver.

#### **Book Now**

To book your course, you can:

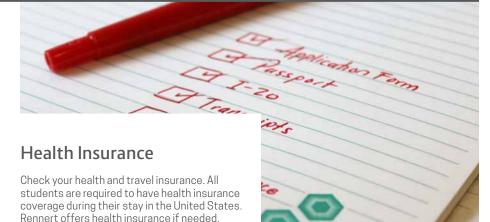
- Register online or download a PDF registration form at http://rennert.com/english/registration.htm
- Contact your local Rennert partner agency

#### Visa

If you require an F-1 student visa, please contact us. If you are traveling from an ESTA country, you can apply for your ESTA visa waiver online (www.esta.us).

#### Housing

If you require housing, Rennert offers a wide range of options. Please inquire with us for more information



Flights and Transfers

Once you arrange your flight to the U.S., please send the flight details to your Rennert Admissions Coordinator. If you would like to arrange an airport transfer (pick-up) service prior to departure, we can assist you.

Before leaving for your flight, please be sure that you have all the necessary documents (listed below).

- Your passport (with visa)
- Your I-20 (if applicable)
- Proof of payment and health insurance
- Housing information

**Follow us** on social media—Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, and LinkedIn—for up-to-date information on what kinds of activities and excursions we will offer during the period of your stay.



# After You Land

- You will pass through U.S. Customs and Border Patrol (CBP). This may take some time.
- You will be asked by a CBP officer to describe the purpose of your visit to the United States:

If you are traveling on an **F-1 student visa**, show your visa and I-20 and explain that you will be studying full-time. Otherwise you are traveling on a **Tourist/B-2 visa** or on an ESTA visa waiver as a tourist.

If you have arranged an airport transfer through Rennert, a greeter holding a Rennert sign will be waiting by the Welcome Center. You will receive more in-depth details about the transfer prior to your departure. If you did not arrange a transfer service through Rennert, you can travel to your accommodation by taxi, public transportation, or car service. Most students arrive the day

before their Rennert study begins, so we recommend that you get plenty of rest after arriving at your accommodations.

For your first day at Rennert, you can commute to the school from your accommodations via public transportation, taxi, or by walking if you are staying nearby. Detailed commuting instructions can be provided upon request.

Please make sure to bring the following documents with you for your first day:

- Your passport (with visa/entry stamp)
- Your I-20 (if applicable)
- Proof of health insurance
- Proof of payment

Your first day at Rennert will consist of new student orientation and testing. At orientation

you will meet members of the Rennert team and experience a presentation about Rennert, the city, and the activities and excursions available during your stay with us.

**Our placement test** measures your English reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. Every student will interview with a Rennert team member to close their placement test.

After testing and orientation are over, you will receive information about your class placement level and your books. Don't miss the welcome mixer for new students that evening and don't be late for class the following day!

We are all looking forward to seeing you soon in the USA!



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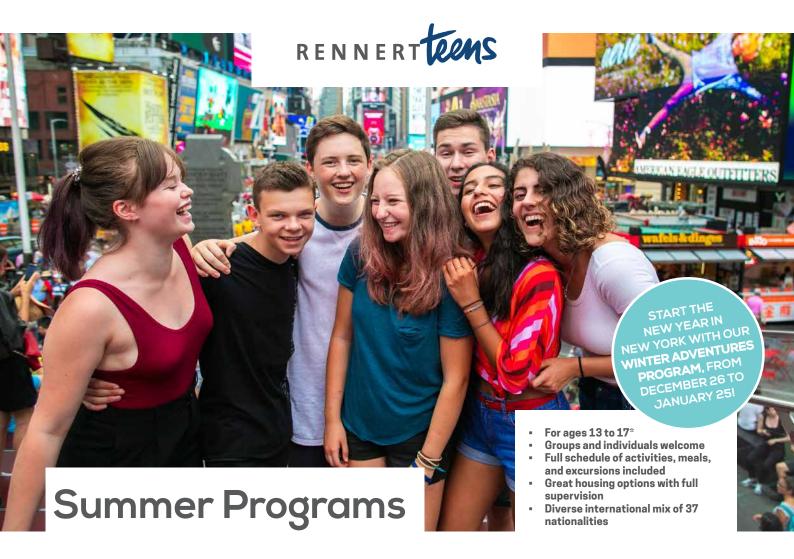
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 Rennert New York TESOL Center works in partnership with the World Learning SIT Graduate Institute, an accredited American graduate university, to offer its internationally recognized TESOL certificate programs.

# Rennert New York TESOL Center provides:

- Top-quality teacher education grounded in Rennert's 46 years of language teaching expertise.
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- Up-to-date course curricula based on the latest research and best practices in the field of English language education.
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#### QUESTIONS?

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