

# West Los Angeles College West Language Academy Student Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Name, First Name Middle (as it appears on your passport)

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female  Native (First) Language \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month / Day / Year)

Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

### Home Country Address

### Local Address *(of relative or if currently in U.S.)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Street and House/Apartment Number  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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 Street and House/Apartment Number  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have dependents (spouse and/or child)? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ If yes, list: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently in the United States? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ If yes, what date did you enter the U.S.? \_\_\_\_\_

Visa Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address where the acceptance letter & I-20 form should be mailed? \_\_\_ Foreign (outside the U.S.) \_\_\_ Local (U.S.)

Optional I hereby authorize \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ to pick up my I-20 form on my behalf.  
Person's Name local phone number

Send 1-20 via Express Mail outside the U.S. (\$100)  Send 1-20 via Express Mail within the U.S. (\$30)

Your Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### Educational Goals and Plans

I plan to enroll in the West Language Academy starting with this session: Year \_\_\_\_\_

Winter (Jan)  Spring 1 (March)  Spring 2 (April)  Summer (June)  Fall 1 (Aug.)  Fall 2 (Oct.)

After studying at the Academy, I plan to get a college degree in the U.S.?  Yes  No Degree \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, school you wish to attend  WLAC  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
College or University Major/Subject you wish to study

### Education Information *(Required)*

List **all** the language and schools, colleges and universities attended: Begin with secondary/high school and end with your current or most recent school.

Name of School	City, Country	Dates Attended		Language of Instruction	Graduation, Certificates, Diplomas, Exams	Date Received
		From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)			
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

How did you hear about the West Language Academy? *(check all that apply)*  Friend  Relative  School/Teacher

West/WLAC brochure or website  Online Search  Facebook  Study in the USA  Consulate/Embassy

Student Fair *(name)* \_\_\_\_\_  Educational Agency *(name)* \_\_\_\_\_

Other *(specify)* \_\_\_\_\_ Agency Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

## Student Expenses

Your living expenses in Southern California will depend on where you choose to live, the type of housing you get, your transportation and food needs and your lifestyle and spending habits. West Los Angeles College does not have living accommodations on campus. It is estimated that you will need a minimum of \$8,500 USD for four months, or \$25,500 USD for a year. An additional \$2,000 USD is required each dependent (spouse or child) for four months. Excluding transportation to and from the U.S., we estimate your current tuition and fees and living expenses to be:

### *Estimated West Language Academy Expenses for Two Sessions (4 Months)*

Tuition for Two Sessions (includes medical insurance, books & supplies)	\$3,900
Housing/Apartment Rent	\$2,400 to \$4,000
Food, Transportation & Personal Expenses	<u>\$2,200 to \$3,500</u>
<b>Total Estimate</b>	<b>\$8,500 to \$11,400</b>

### Confidential Financial Statement *(Required)*

All students who want to study under an F-1 Visa at West Language Academy must complete the statement below. To issue an I-20 to prospective students, the college must be assured that sufficient funds are available to meet all tuition and living expenses for the duration of their studies. **The minimum requirement for West Language Academy is \$8,500 USD. If you plan to transfer to West's credit program after, you must have a minimum of \$17,000 USD.**

Source of financial support while studying at the West Language Academy (list all that apply):

	Amount (USD)	Name/Source of Funds	Relationship to Student
My own funds	_____	_____	_____
Funds from sponsor <i>(also sign below)</i>	_____	_____	_____
Government or private scholarship	_____	_____	_____

***Submit the following required documents:***

- A bank statement, not older than 4 months for each account that will be used to verify funds.
- For a government or private scholarship, submit the scholarship award letter.
- If the funds are in a foreign bank, also include an official bank letter verifying the average account balance for the last 6 months. A certified English translation of the bank letter is required.
- If the funds are in a U.S. bank, also include a notarized Affidavit of Support Form I-134 (printable form available at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov). Click on Forms.)

Does your government have restrictions regarding the release of funds outside of your country? Yes  No

"I fully understand that I have agreed to provide verification of funds in the amount of \$8,500 USD and I agree to pay fees upon registration. I understand that an additional \$8,500 is required to attend West after and \$2,000 is required for each dependent (spouse or child). I understand that I am not permitted to be employed without USCIS and WLAC approval and I understand that I must maintain full time status of 20 hours per week in West Language Academy. I agree to comply with rules and regulations pertaining to my F-1 visa. I certify that the statements on this form are correct and complete. I understand that the falsification of information can lead to immediate dismissal from West Los Angeles College and the West Language Academy."

**Signature of Sponsor** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Admissions checklist for West Language Academy**

- 1. Completed application
- 2. A \$100 USD non-refundable application fee
- 3. Bank statement and/or bank letter demonstrating student or sponsor commitment
- 4. One passport-sized photograph
- 5. A photocopy of the inside of your passport
- 6. A copy of your diploma and transcripts with English translation *(optional)*
- 7. Payment for express mail delivery (\$30 within U.S., \$100 outside the U.S.) *(optional)*

*Deliver your completed and signed application (items 1-6) to:*

**West Los Angeles College  
West Language Academy  
Westside Extension  
9000 Overland Ave.  
Culver City, CA 90230 USA**