The CUNY Language Immersion Program (CLIP) offers college students the opportunity to study English intensively for up to 900 hours (approximately one year) before enrolling in college-level courses.

This program includes advisement, instruction, technology assistance, tutoring, college orientation workshops and more. Because of the intensity of the Language instruction (25 hours a week), students do not take additional college course work while they are attending the program.

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QUALIFICATIONS
The Hostos CLIP program is recommended for entering freshmen who have already been admitted to a CUNY college, who have taken the CUNY placement exam and who need additional English as a Second Language (ESL) classes prior to entering college.

CLIP is also for students who have not been successful in their college ESL courses (failed one semester of ESL at a community college or failed the same ESL course two times at a senior college).

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES
Classes meet 5 hours a day, Monday to Friday.

Day: 9:00 am – 2:30 pm
Evening: 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm

First day of class:
Tuesday, June 20, 2023
Last day of class:
Tuesday, August 1, 2023

PROGRAM COSTS
Cost for the Summer 2023 term is as follows:

$75* for those who meet the one-year NY State residency requirement.
$180* for those who do not meet the one year residency requirement.
$18* for College Discovery/SEEK students and public assistance recipients.

* Prices are subject to change

Payable by cash, money order and credit card. During your time in the program, you will not use your financial aid grants.

CLIP ENROLLMENT
You have the choice to enroll in the program for up to one year or for one cycle only. This is a decision made jointly by you and the instructor. There are three cycles at CLIP each year: fall (15 weeks), spring (18 weeks) and summer (6 weeks). You are given the Freshman Skills Assessment exams before leaving CLIP so that you will be placed at the appropriate level when you return to college.

RETURNING TO COLLEGE
You will receive assistance and advisement when you are ready to return to your college.