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"It was a beautiful experience being part of the English in Action family. It's the best experience I have had in NYC, for sure."

EIA student from Italy

"Thanks to the program, now I feel confident that I will find the professional job that I am dreaming about."

ARNIC student from Colombia

"What happened here [at Oxford] was work on my soul, and I feel energized to go back into the classroom having bolstered that."

Tab scholar, University of Oxford

"I am not exaggerating when I say that taking a gap exchange year was the best decision I ever made: it opened my eyes to the world in ways that I couldn't have even imagined."

Secondary School Exchange student

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Expanding minds

Strengthening friendships



Unlocking opportunities

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Your gift allows us to employ English as a catalyst to foster global understanding and good will to students, educators and life-long learners across the country.

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National Shakespeare Competition

The competition provides teachers across the country with a performance-based program for the study of English and the timeless themes of Shakespeare. High school students read, analyze and perform Shakespearean monologues and sonnets while developing critical thinking and communications skills and increasing their self-confidence.



360,000+
high school students
participated since 1983

Secondary School Exchange

Our merit-based scholarship provides tuition, room, and board for students to spend a semester or year (gap year) between high school and college abroad. Student scholars gain independence and a global perspective that benefits them upon entering college and beginning their careers.



Middle School Debate

Designed to help young adolescents develop critical thinking and language arts skills, this educational initiative engages more than 2,000 students in weekly after-school debate activities.

English in Action 1-to-1 Conversation



Students master conversational English and learn about life in the US by pairing with volunteer tutors - fluent English speakers - for one-on-one sessions. A hallmark of the EiA program is comprehensive tutor training for volunteers, emphasizing the best practices in cross-cultural learning. Expanded tutor trainings focus on cultural competency and working with refugees.

Watch our English in Action video at www.ESU-EIA.org

684 students from
65 countries taught by
404 volunteer tutors

Andrew Romay New Immigrant Center (ARNIC)

At the Center, new immigrants improve their English to explore work and study opportunities, network, pursue citizenship, and acquire cultural fluency in order to participate fully in American society. Members receive a one-year scholarship to participate in English language classes, workshops, and cultural trips and events and participate in our 1-to-1 Conversation program.

Find ARNIC student stories at www.stories-esuus.org

270
immigrants from
60
countries



Luand Morse Scholarships

Merit scholarships up to \$25,000 are awarded to students attending historically black colleges and universities to spend a semester of study at a British university.

Teachers Learning Abroad (Tlab)



American secondary school teachers continue their education at the University of Oxford, Shakespeare's Globe and Edinburgh University through intensive academic programs. Tlab scholars from all over the US return from their studies invigorated and equipped to share their newly acquired strategies with students nationwide.

60 teachers
benefitting
annually

"As a teacher, I have to be the best human being I can be. An opportunity like this enriches me - it broadens my perspective."

Tlab Scholar, University of Oxford
Hear from Tlab scholars at youtube.com/ESUEnglishInAction



Evelyn Wrench Speakers Program

Conducted across the country, this program works in cooperation with the ESU Branches to present prominent lectures in the fields of history, politics, the arts, literature, and current events.

"It was an interesting time to be a politics student in the UK. As I prepare to return home, it is with the confidence that I can and will thrive in any space."

Luand Morse scholar, University of London