



## To our wonderful languages and cultures community,

Happy New Year and Happy Spring Term to you all! Despite the winter weather, we are buzzing with energy here in the CSLC and can't wait to share the many events with you we have planned this semester.

We are especially excited for this year's [Language & Culture Week \(LCW\)](#), so mark your calendars from **February 12th to 16th**. There will be dozens of incredible events all over campus throughout the week and we know you'll find something you love. Come celebrate and learn with us as we explore the many languages and cultures of our diverse ND community. We'll give you a little preview of some of the events to look forward to:

**Tuesday, Feb. 13 - Culture Fair:** crafts and demonstrations from our ND languages and cultures community-- make Italian Carnevale masks, decorate Russian nesting dolls, try your *hand* at Indian mehndi, fold Japanese origami, and much more.

**Thursday, Feb. 15 - World Music & Dance Fest:** performances from our student groups and faculty in dance styles from all over the globe-- Irish Jigs, K-Pop routines, classic Latin bachata, and more.

**Throughout the week (Feb. 12 - 16):** all over campus there will be Holy Masses in multiple languages, movie nights, workshops, and events for all to enjoy.

All LCW events can be found on the main CSLC events calendar, advertised on our social media, and detailed in the **ND mobile app** module for Languages and Cultures. Bookmark our calendar below and check often. We are always adding new cool events!

[CSLC Events Calendar](#)

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**SAVE THE DATE for LCW:**  
**2024 Language & Culture Week!**

# Notre Dame LANGUAGE & CULTURE WEEK

## Feb. 12-16

*Travel the world without leaving campus!*



***A week full of exciting events presented by Notre Dame language departments and the CSLC.***

### **Culture Fair** **Tuesday, Feb. 13**

**4-6 p.m.** | Hesburgh Scholars Lounge

- Crafts
- Cultural Demonstrations
- International Food

### **World Music & Dance Fest** **Thursday, Feb. 15**

**4-6 p.m.** | O'Neill Hall of Music, LaBar Performance Hall

- Instruments from around the world
- Chinese Song • K-pop • Bollywood Dancing
- Dance workshops



Visit [cslc.nd.edu](https://cslc.nd.edu) to see the full calendar of events and experiences!

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## **Summer Language Abroad (SLA) grant application is closing SOON!**

Don't miss out on an incredible opportunity to study your favorite language abroad this summer. Deadline to apply is **January 31, 2024.**

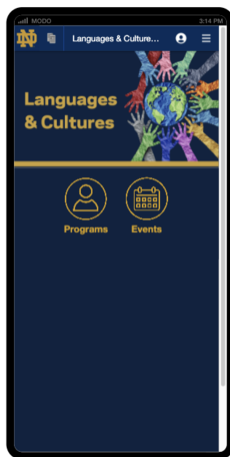


## Peer Tutoring for Languages

Language tutoring is **free** to everyone in the ND community and resumes today (the second week of classes)!

Meet with a native speaker or advanced language student to practice, review, and enhance your language skills. Make your appointment now by clicking below.

[Book a Tutor](#)



## Languages and Cultures Module in the ND Mobile App

Keep all the languages and cultures events at your fingertips! If you have not downloaded the app to your phone yet, **don't miss out, download it today!**

You will be able to save events to your Google Calendar and learn more about the departments and units on campus who host these interesting events. If you have questions or want your unit to participate, please [contact Eva Hoeckner](#).



## English for Academic Purposes

The [English for Academic Purposes \(EAP\) Program](#) offers support for the linguistic, academic, and cultural needs of the international community at Notre Dame. See what we have in store for you this month:

### Tutoring

Free individual tutoring services are provided to assist Notre Dame students with English, including pronunciation, grammar, presentation, conversation skills, and any other linguistic or cultural needs a person might have. Tutoring begins on January 22nd. You can sign up [here](#).

### January Workshop: **U.S. Classroom Culture: Dealing with Difficult Situations as an International TA**

*Wednesday, January 31st, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.*

[Register Here](#)

As a teaching assistant, you may find yourself in challenging situations that may be made more difficult if you are not familiar with cultural norms in US universities. In this workshop, we will discuss common challenges you may have with your students, how to handle them, and how to potentially avoid them in the future.

## English Conversation Tables

The English Conversation Table (ECT) is a great chance to practice English and make new friends. It is free and open to anyone at Notre Dame. ECT meets on Friday evenings at 5:00-6:00 pm. The location is 220E Bond Hall. Snacks are provided.

Next meetings: Friday, January 26 and Friday, February 9

Questions? Contact Josh Barthuly.

For questions about EAP services, contact [eap@nd.edu](mailto:eap@nd.edu).



## Globally Engaged Citizens (GEC) Program

The GEC recognizes what you already do to engage with other languages and cultures. The CSLC launched the GEC program in Fall 2021 and currently has 185+ students applying for this recognition. The program is open to every student at Notre Dame, regardless of major, college, or language study background. You can register at any time. Curious? Click below to learn more and to register. If you have any questions about the award, you can contact Eva Hoeckner ([ehoeckn2@nd.edu](mailto:ehoeckn2@nd.edu)).

[Learn More about GEC](#)



## Media Team at your Service!

The CSLC media team is a resource for language departments, language and culture student groups, and our language learning community. We can help spread the word about your meetings, events, and more, just let us know!

[Submit a Media Request](#)



## Your Support Matters.

Thanks to you, the CSLC is able to continue fulfilling its mission to support the advancement of linguistic proficiency and cultural awareness for students in all languages across the Notre Dame community. All funds received from donors are used to support student language and culture programs.

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