



GRADUATE PATHWAYS OR GRADUATE CAP



Graduate CAP and Pathways are both programs for international students who have not met their graduate program's English language proficiency requirement (i.e., TOEFL iBT or IELTS score)

Graduate Pathways

Graduate CAP

What is your most recent TOEFL or IELTS score?

Your score is within 15 points (iBT) or 0.5 band (IELTS) of your program's language proficiency requirement

TOEFL/IELTS not required; no minimum score (you will be placed in the best level for you)

How long does the ELI program last?

One semester (4 months)

2 months per level on average; the total duration depends on your initial level

When can you start?

Fall

6 starting dates every year

Which UD graduate programs participate?

MBA, MS in International Business, Master in Fine Arts, Masters of Public Health in Epidemiology. Other programs to be added.

Over 30 UD graduate programs

Can you meet other universities' English language requirement?

No

Yes: Delaware Law School (and others)

Will you take a graduate course?

One 3-credit graduate or pre-requisite course with language support

No

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In both programs, you will develop your academic language skills in preparation for graduate school. In Pathways, you will also take one 3-credit graduate course. Your graduate academic program will select which conditional admissions program best suits your application.

| | Graduate Pathways | Graduate CAP |
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| What ESL classes will you take? | Advanced Reading/Writing and Listening/Speaking for Graduate Students | Levels 1-5 as needed, and then Advanced Reading/Writing and Listening/Speaking for Graduate Students |
| What grades do you need to start your UD degree? | B in Level 6 Reading/Writing B in Level 6 Listening/Speaking B in Cohort B in the graduate course | B in Level 6 Reading/Writing B in Level 6 Listening/Speaking B in Cohort |
| What does the program cost? | See Pathways page | See CAP page |

Both CAP and Pathways include:

- The Graduate Cohort program
- Individual tutoring
- Academic advising
- Optional GRE class or tutoring (may incur an additional cost)
- ELI cultural programming and trips (costs may apply)

How to Apply



[Graduate App website](#)



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