

## ELS HOUSTON: Session 7 June 16, 2025 — July 11, 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
15  Welcome to <b>HOUSTON</b>	16 <b>New Student Orientation</b>  8:15am—12pm Orientation & Placement Testing	17 <b>FIRST DAY OF CLASS</b> All students check your ELS App for your schedule. <b>Center Location Address:</b> 2990 Richmond Ave., Suite 600 (6th floor), Houston, TX 77098	18  <b>ACADEMIC ORIENTATION</b> TODAY during your LTC class  	19 <b>JUNETEENTH HOLIDAY</b>  ELS Closed No classes	20  See the schedule for <b>FREE</b> events at <b>Miller Outdoor Theatre</b> by going to:  www.milleroutdoortheatre.com	21 <b>IELTS</b>  English for International Opportunity <b>IELTS Testing Days*</b> Interested in taking the IELTS? Future test dates include: 6/21, 6/22, 6/28
22 Did you know Houston has more than <b>128 miles</b> of trails for hiking and biking? Enjoy the outdoors by visiting one of Houston's many public parks. Ask any ELS staff about their favorite park.	23 <b>Check out Houston's food trucks!</b>  <a href="http://roominghunger.com">roominghunger.com</a>	24 <b>Are you a nature lover?</b> Visit the Houston Arboretum nature center and hiking trails. Located in Memorial Park 4501 Woodway Drive Open daily. Free admission.	25 <b>Suggested Activity</b> Check out the shops along 19th Street in Houston's historic neighborhood, the Heights. You'll find antiques, vintage clothing, art  Last day to sign up for Astro vs. Cubs	26 <b>Did you know that some museums are free on Thursdays?</b> Museum of Fine Arts: All Day Natural Science Museum: 5pm-8pm Health Museum: 2pm-7pm Ask Ray for more information!	27 <b>Enjoy your lunch outside today! Levy Park is located across the street! Ask any ELS staff for directions.</b> 	28 <b>Special Activity!</b> Astros vs Cubs \$40 includes admission and transportation Meet at ELS at 4:30pm
29 <b>Suggested Activity</b> Check out Kemah Boardwalk! Enjoy waterfront restaurants, rides, shopping, and seaside shows every day!	30 <b>Suggested Activity</b> The <b>Menil Collection</b> is one of Houston's most loved art museums. It is completely <b>free</b> and features a wide range of art in terms of style and time period. Open Wednesdays—Sundays 11am-7pm 1533 Sul Ross St. 	1 <b>Happy Birthday!</b> Come celebrate in the Houston room today at <b>11:20 a.m.</b> <b>Ice cream will be served!</b> 	2 Have you seen the <b>Water Wall</b> yet? It's Houston's most photographed site! A great place for families, friends, and couples out for a stroll, a picnic, or to take memorable photos with friends!	3 Go grab a slice of pecan pie at House of Pies! Last day to sign up for Splat Zone	4 <b>HAPPY 4th of July</b> <b>ELS WILL BE CLOSED TODAY</b>	5 <b>Special Activity</b> <b>SPLAT ZONE</b> INDOOR PAINTBALL Join your classmates for a game of paintball. \$30 includes admission & transportation. Meet at ELS at 11am.
6 <b>Suggested Activity</b> Galveston is a Texas gem, with plenty of things to do, places to see, and food to try. Check out the Pleasure Pier and Moody Gardens, or spend the day at the beach! Ask Ray for a map & directions. 	7 <b>Study 'til you drop!</b> 	8 <b>UNIVERSITY ST. THOMAS HOUSTON</b> Have you been to the gym at UST yet? It is <b>free</b> with an ELS/UST ID! 	9 Have you registered for session 8? Will you study next session? Make sure to finalize payment to secure your schedule. Talk to any ELS Staff for help or email us at <a href="mailto:houston@els.edu">houston@els.edu</a> 	10 <b>SSD FINALS 8:30am</b> 	11 <b>GRADUATION DAY!</b> at 9:30am Meet with teacher 	12 For <b>returning students</b> , we will see you on Tuesday, July 15, at 8:15am to pick up your schedule! For departing students, we wish you safe travel back home!