

Boston International Ministries & Conversational English



One of five English tables in a class in Cambridge at MIT. June 2007

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For over ten years a part of our ministry strategy has been to begin English classes around the Greater Boston Baptist Association (GBBA). Internationals visiting Boston express two great needs: friendship & language. Thus, we have helped our churches, church plants and campus ministries to start English classes to meet these needs. Below are some GBBA classes that meet during the school year. Some also meet in the summer.

Most classes are offered as free ministries of our local churches. Please contact those below for more information about attending a class or visiting to learn how to start your own classes. Also, in partnership with the Baptist Convention of New England there is training for those who want to start an English/ESL program. For questions on using English for ministry or cross-cultural and interfaith evangelism contact me at mdean@mit.edu.

~Michael Dean

Some classes use various ESL curriculum and other leaders write their own lesson plans or teach English & basic Christianity. Will you pray about starting a class to reach out to your community? We can help.

Monday

11:30 am-1:00 pm **Shelly Webb** leads a new English group in Cambridge this summer. After viewing a segment of the JESUS film the group discusses the basics of Christianity. Contact sawebb@mit.edu.



Shelly Webb
BIM Staff

Tuesday

12:30-2:00 pm - Class views a video to introduce Christian beliefs with discussion. Contact Elizabeth: eacfh1@juno.com.

3:00 pm - This English & Culture Class at MIT in Cambridge is led by Mary Goff.

6:30-8:30 pm - ESL Classes offered in four levels at Grace Baptist, Hudson. Classes may be full. Call church: 978-562-8550

Wednesday

9:30 am - ESL class at Hope Fellowship Church, 16 Beech Street, Cambridge. Contact Susan: suzeegee@gmail.com.

Thursday

12:00 noon—English International Seeker Bible study at MIT. W11-155. barbeever@juno.com

1:15 pm - English class offered at MIT in Cambridge. Building W11, Main Dining Room. Contact Barbara Beevers at barbeever@juno.com.

7:00 pm - ESL class at Hope Fellowship Church. Contact suzeegee@gmail.com.

Friday

TBA - Conversational English Class at Boston University. Sponsor: THE GATE & Vitanovis @ BU. Contact Trisha: trisha.chilson@gmail.com.

Saturday

10:00 am - 12 noon - Conversational English Class at 340 Dorchester Street, S. Boston. Sponsor: Iglesia Bautista Shalom. Contact Maria Flores at: flores422x@aol.com.

Sunday

9:30-10:30 am - Join a Basic English Bible Study group at Cambridgeport Baptist Church, 459 Putnam Ave, Cambridge. Contact Barbara Beevers at barbeever@juno.com.

TRAINING AVAILABLE!

TBA - English for Ministry Training in the Boston area. Cost is only \$50.00. Call 508-393-6013

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need a few believers to help lead our English tables on Tues or Thurs afternoon at MIT.