

English Studies Institute

2016 Housing Options

For photos, go to www.esi.edu or websites listed below providers.

airbnb.com is another option for short term stays

	4-week Spring Price	3-week Summer Price	4-week Fall Price	Payment	Deposit	Meals	Kitchen	Bathrm	To Class	BART
UC Residence Hall housing.berkeley.edu	Not available.	Double: \$1310 Single: \$1730	Not available.	Credit card or check	Total fee due before arrival.	10 meals per week included in rate	micro-wave only	Shared	5-minute walk	15-minute walk
	Extras: free wireless, telephone in room (local calls free), linens, and coin-operated laundry.									
I-House ihouse.berkeley.edu	Not available.	7/3-8/13 only Double: \$2501 Single: \$3157	Not available.	Credit card or check	\$35 app fee plus \$1000 damage deposit	60 meals included	None	Shared	5-minute walk	15-minute walk
	Extras: Cafe, common room, many optional activities.									
YMCA ymca-cba.org	Single: \$1650	Single: \$1220	Single: \$TBA	Credit card or check	Not required	None	Yes	Shared	15-minute walk	2-minute walk
	Extras: Kitchens with refrigerators and dining area, 3 computers, free wireless, pools, gym, yoga and dance lessons, linens, and coin-operated laundry.									
Durant Hall	Double: \$930	Double: \$825	Double: \$930	Credit card or check	\$200 damage deposit	None	Yes	Shared	5-minute walk	15-minute walk
	Extras: 2 kitchens with refrigerators and dining areas, free wireless, linens, and coin-operated laundry.									
Orinda Homestay Program	Placement fee of \$225 + \$41 per night (double) or \$45 per night (single)	Placement fee of \$225 + \$43 per night (double) or \$47 per night (single)	Placement fee of \$225 + \$41 per night (double) or \$45 per night (single)	Credit card or check	Total fee due 14 days before arrival	14 meals per week; breakfast and dinner daily	Use of kitchen varies from home to home	Varies	Average 30 to 60 minutes by bus and BART	Varies
	Extras: vary by family									

Applying and Paying for Housing

Fill out #4 on the Application for Enrollment.

ESI will forward your request to the housing provider.

ESI will send you further information with your acceptance documents.

Housing providers will contact you directly for more information or for deposit or full payment if it is due before arrival.

UC Residence Hall is the ONLY case where you should make a housing payment to ESI.

If for any reason you do not receive housing confirmation within three days of your request or if you have further questions, please contact ESI immediately at info@esi.edu