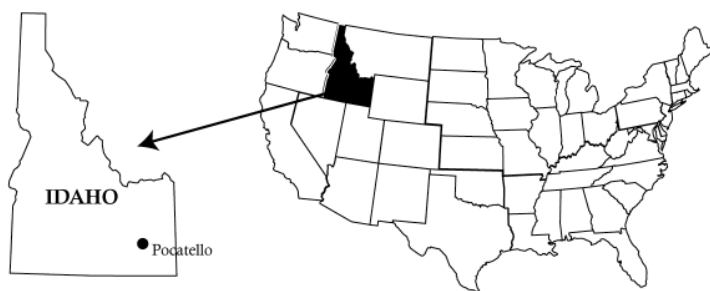


Pocatello

Center Profile



ELS Language Centers
Idaho State University
Continuing Education Building
1001 North 7th Avenue, 1st Floor
Pocatello, Idaho 83201

Center Hours

8:00 am to 5:00 pm (Monday – Friday)
 Closed on weekends and holidays

Key Location Features

- Public University campus location (major research university with 100+ buildings in safe, mountain-surrounded small city)
- On campus dormitory and apartment housing
- Ideal for many types of all-season outdoor recreation easily accessible and inexpensive through ISU's Outdoor Adventure Center.
- Credit for ELS completion available at ISU for qualified students
- Concurrent Enrollment available at ISU for qualified students
- TOEFL® iBT testing center

Area Attractions

- Skiing / Snowboarding in Sun Valley, Jackson Hole or Park City (major US ski resorts) or locally at Pebble Creek and many others
- Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks...and many others within a 2½ hour drive
- Lava Hot Springs thermal pools and Olympic swimming complex are available by local bus.
- American Indian arts, music and culture
- Lakes & rivers offer swimming, rafting, fishing and boating; mountains offer hiking, biking, horseback riding, camping, and rock climbing
- The city offers shopping, museums, and the arts
- NCAA Division I Sports free with your student ID!

Climate

Southern Idaho in general has mild, sunny weather. Summers are warm during the day with cool evenings. Winters are cold, but sunny, while fall and spring are nicely comfortable.

Average Temperatures (Celsius)

	Minimum	Maximum
Winter	-5	1
Spring	1	15
Summer	11	30
Autumn	1	17

Host University Information

Visit www.isu.edu to learn more about Idaho State University and their 270+ Ph. D., Masters, Professional, Undergraduate, and Associate degree programs.

Surrounding Area Information

Average travel time (in minutes) from ELS Center:

Housing Options	Minutes	Method
On Campus Dorm:	5	By shuttle bus
Homestays:	5 to 20	By bus/bike/foot
Apartments:	10	By shuttle bus

Local Places

Airport:	15	By taxi
Bank:	5	By foot
Downtown:	5	By bus/bike/foot
Post Office:	5	By foot
Restaurant(s):	1	By foot
Shopping Mall:	10	By bus
Sports Center:	5	By foot
Supermarket:	5	By foot
Bus Stop/Subway:	1	By foot

Nearby Attractions

Pebble Creek Ski Area	20	By shuttle / car
Lava Hot Springs	30	By bus
Salt Lake City, UT	2 hours	By shuttle / car
Sun Valley, ID (skiing)	2½ hours	By car
Yellowstone Nat'l Park	2½ hours	By car
Grand Tetons Nat'l Park	2½ hours	By car

Local Transportation

Students can easily walk or bicycle around town. ELS students receive a bus pass for use on all Pocatello city buses. Idaho State University also operates free shuttle buses on-campus.

Driving in Idaho:

F1 students are able to obtain a drivers license, however, this is a complicated, time-consuming procedure. Students are recommended to bring their valid foreign license together with an International Driving Permit.

Smoking Policy

Smoking is not permitted in the ELS Center or any buildings on campus, but students may smoke outdoors in designated smoking areas.

Housing Check-in and Departure

Students with confirmed ELS housing reservations should go directly to their assigned housing upon arrival (not to the ELS Center) on the Sunday before their course begins. Checkout is the Saturday after the program ends. Arrivals and departures on dates/times other than those listed require special approval. Check-in instructions appear on the next page.

