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# CRITICAL LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP



The Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) Program is a funded summer opportunity for American college and university students to learn languages essential to America's engagement with the world.

The CLS Program offers both study abroad and virtual learning opportunities:

- Study abroad and learn one of thirteen critical languages at a variety of levels
- Or take virtual classes to start your language journey in Arabic, Chinese or Russian through CLS Spark.

Either way, the program can develop your language skills and provide credit towards graduation.

Languages include Arabic, Azerbaijani, Chinese, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Swahili, Turkish and Urdu.

For more information and for assistance with your application, talk with the representative on your campus:

**Name:**

**Contact:**

**Location:**

Applications are due each fall for the following summer.

Learn more and apply at:

[www.clscholarship.org](http://www.clscholarship.org)



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