Since I came to the U.S. I have felt that the English courses UNLV provides to international students are very helpful and important because by taking those courses, international students can improve their English. This is the most important thing why international students need English courses. Furthermore, by taking English courses, international students can meet various people who come from all around the world. Among those people, international students can make real good friends who can understand each other and be helpful. At the beginning of the last semester, the reason I took the English courses was the requirement that school wants me to take. However, as I live here longer and attend classes more and more, I started feeling my English is improving a lot. I had a roommate who is a native English speaker. At the beginning I had lots of difficulties in communicating with him but now I do not really face any difficulties. When I write essays, I can even see the improvements. I compared an essay I wrote last semester and the most recent one. I was able to see the differences very specifically.

The professors in UNLV’s English courses let international students get interests in learning English with familiar teaching style. Some of the international students think taking English courses in the university is costing money and time. However, in my opinion, English courses are worth that much money and time. Since English became the global language I realized English is an essential language. To master English, we all have to invest. Everything about the English courses is perfect but one thing. International students’ grades should not be affected. Because English is not their mother language, even though they try, difficulties always tend to come along with them. I just want to say that I hope international students do not get stressed out by the grades they get in English courses. Thank you for reading this and I hope you understand the situations international students face.