

**Haitian Creole Programs and Courses
Summer 2025**

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Florida International University
Kimberly Green Latin American and Caribbean Center

Dates: Summer B Term: June 16 - July 25, 2025. Classes are held in-person on-campus 5 days/week for 5 hours per day for 6 weeks=150 hours

Location: Florida International University

Program Summary:

Now entering its 28th year, the Haitian Summer Institute is a six-week program designed for anyone interested in acquiring basic conversational proficiency in Haitian Creole and for those students who wish to continue their Haitian Creole Language training at the intermediate and advanced levels. The 2025 Summer program will be conducted in person at FIU in Miami. The program features intensive Haitian Creole language training divided into two tracks. Students will have two enrollment options: Accelerated Beginning Haitian Creole for the first half of the program and Accelerated Intermediate Haitian Creole for the final half *or* Accelerated Intermediate Haitian Creole for the first half of the program and Accelerated Advanced Haitian Creole for the final half.

In addition to the Institute's intensive language courses, participants are introduced to Haitian history and culture through lectures in English and Haitian Creole presented by internationally recognized Haitianists and Diasporic leaders. Classes are held five days a week (Monday through Friday) for five hours per day and include a morning and afternoon session.

Application & Deadline:

All applicants are encouraged to submit the application packet, along with the required supporting materials to Carlos Tinoco at ctinoco@fiu.edu by **5:00pm on May 1, 2025** (Applications may be accepted after May 1, 2025, but space is not guaranteed). FIU also offers K-12, Community College, and HBCU Educator Grants. Please consult the application website for more information.

Tuition & Program Fees: TBA

FLAS Budget Breakdown: TBA

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Elementary Haitian Kreol I

The University of Kansas

Program Location: Virtual

Dates: June 2 - 30, 2025

Program Description: Beginning course in the vernacular language of Haiti, Martinique, Guadeloupe and other areas of the Caribbean and the Indian Ocean. Conversational approach, with essentials of grammar. Reading of basic texts. Special attention to folk culture as expressed by language. No previous knowledge of another foreign language is required. The instructor is a native speaker of Haitian Kreol (Kreyol).

Program Cost: FREE (with fees <\$100)

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