At TALK Fort Lauderdale, you will receive a full-immersion academic experience featuring interactive classroom technology and dedicated teachers who love what they do. TALK is just 11 miles from the fun, vibrant beaches and city of Fort Lauderdale and only 30 miles north of Miami.

Fort Lauderdale is known as the “Venice of America” because of the waterways winding throughout the city. The greater Fort Lauderdale area is home to more than 5.5 million permanent residents. With year-round sunshine and warm weather, there are endless outdoor activities to enjoy at any time.

- Take a boat tour of Fort Lauderdale
- Enjoy an Everglades adventure and airboat ride
- Explore the Kennedy Space Center
- Take a day trip to Miami Beach or Zoo Miami
- Watch NBA champions Miami Heat at the American Airlines Arena
- Visit Disney World, Universal Studios or Sea World
Center Facilities

CLASSROOMS
The 12 classrooms are located in one convenient, newly-renovated building, all with multimedia availability. Each classroom can comfortably accommodate up to fifteen students.

Each classroom is equipped with interactive technology, allowing students and teachers to fully engage in an exciting learning environment.

MULTIMEDIA
You will enjoy free Wi-Fi access.

LUNCH FACILITIES
There are several restaurant options within easy walking distance. Students are also welcome to enjoy the cafeteria and food court at Nova Southeastern University.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
TALK International plans action-packed, exciting activities each month. We organize trips to Disney World and Universal Studios in Orlando, Busch Gardens theme park in Tampa, overnight excursions to the Caribbean island of Grand Bahama, and day trips to the exotic Florida Keys. Local trips include beach barbeques, boat rides in the Atlantic and the Everglades, shopping at Sawgrass Mall, and much more.

GYM FACILITIES
Students can choose to join LA Fitness gym ($30-$40USD per month depending on plan) a few minutes walking distance from TALK. This gym offers workout classes and swimming pools.

WEATHER
During the summer, the weather is hot and fairly humid, with frequent rainfall. Humidity decreases throughout the spring and fall. Winters are mostly warm and mild, with occasional cold snaps.

Average yearly high temperature: 84°F (29°C)
Average yearly low temperature: 67°F (19°C)
Accommodations

HOST FAMILY

TALK works with great care to ensure we provide you with the best host family experience to fully immerse yourself in American culture.

- TALK host families are carefully selected
- Located near public transportation, making it easier for students to travel to school and explore Fort Lauderdale
- Single and shared accommodations with breakfast and dinner provided daily

TALK RESIDENCE

Conveniently located 4 miles from school, TALK Residence offers independent living arrangements with a choice of single or shared rooms at the Quality Inn hotel.

- Each room includes a bathroom, closet, dresser, desk, fridge and microwave
- Swimming pool, laundry room, small gym, business center, TALK game room and free Wi-Fi are available to TALK students
- Restaurant on site and several dining options within walking distance
- TALK staff member lives on site and arranges weekly activities
- Shuttle brings students to and from school Monday through Friday
- Complimentary daily breakfast buffet is offered

TALK APARTMENTS

TALK Apartments offer students three spacious accommodation options: studio, one bedroom suite or two bedroom suite. It is an ideal option for families!

- Fully-equipped kitchen
- Separate living and work areas
- Complimentary high-speed Internet access
- Access to a convenience store, laundry room, business center with free internet access
- Fitness center, sports court and heated outdoor pool
- Complimentary daily breakfast buffet

WHAT TO PACK

Bring beachwear, t-shirts, tank tops, shorts, jeans, and light sweaters for layering.

LIVING EXPENSES*

**Bus Tickets**
- 1 Way bus ticket $1.75
- 1 Day bus pass $4
- 7 Day bus pass $16
- 1 Month bus pass $40

**Food**
- Lunch in Fort Lauderdale costs an average of $7 per person
- Dinner in Fort Lauderdale costs an average of $20 per person

**Museums and Attractions**
Most museums/tours/attractions cost $10 to $30

**Sporting Events**
Tickets for sporting events range from $30 to $150 depending on the game and sport.

*Subject to change