

Help Centres – English Support



English Online Resources

Listening and Reading

Randall's ESL Cyber Listening Lab: <https://www.esl-lab.com/>

Leveled listening selections that focus on everyday conversations. These materials focus on listening comprehension and vocabulary building.



The English Club: <https://www.englishclub.com/listening/>

Activities to help beginner to advanced English language learners develop their English skills. The site includes audio tracks, videos with subtitles, interactive quizzes, and forums where learners can chat with other English learners from around the world.

Storybooks Canada: <https://storybookscanada.ca>

Storybooks Canada is a free open educational resource that promotes literacy and language learning in homes, schools, and communities. The stories come in many different languages and are great for beginner levels.

elllo: English Listening Lesson Library Online: <https://www.elllo.org/index.htm>

The purpose of this site is to help students improve their listening skills for English language learning. You can choose audio or video lessons with vocabulary and quizzes included.

Breaking English News: <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/>

Current news and events in a variety of different levels. Exercises are a mix of discussion, gap-fill, and vocabulary matching questions.

Speaking and Pronunciation

BBC Learning English: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/english/>

Listening practice with videos that come with supporting English learning materials to help you learn the latest phrases to use in your everyday conversations and improve your grammar and pronunciation.



English Club: <https://www.englishclub.com/pronunciation> A detailed source of information about English pronunciation, with recorded examples for listening practice.

Rachel's English: rachelsenglish.com

Rachel's English has nearly 400 videos to help you improve your spoken English and pronunciation.

Grammar and Writing

Grammar Bytes: <https://chompchomp.com/terms.htm>

This site has a lot of useful interactive grammar exercises and printable handouts

Perfect English Grammar: <https://www.perfect-english-grammar.com/grammar-explanations.html>

A very good resource for verb tense review, grammar explanations and exercises.

The University of Victoria: <https://continuingstudies.uvic.ca/elc/studyzone>

English Study Zone including grammar, reading, and vocabulary from upper beginner to advanced levels.

Owl Purdue: https://owl.purdue.edu/owl_exercises/esl_exercises/index.html

A great collection of writing resources for English language learners with grammar explanations and practice exercises.

Learning Skills and Strategies

Camosun College Library Student Learning Success Guides:

<https://camosun.libguides.com/c.php?g=738085&p=5319282>

There is a section for English Language Learning with many more useful resources and strategies.

Aurora English: auroraenglish.wixsite.com

ELD instructor, Laura Hadwin, provides many useful online resources for English language learners and she shares wonderful learning strategies in her learning resources.



Language Learning Apps:

Mauril App: *Free app to build English listening comprehension and speaking skills with videos and audio from Canadian television shows*