

List of ELL Resources

- **Dictionary:** Explain how to use a dictionary. How can guidewords at the top of the page help you? How do you know which definition of a word is correct when looking at a particular sentence? Most teachers will allow your student(s) to use a bilingual dictionary in class, on tests.
- **Thesaurus:** Show students how they can improve their writing by word choice, vivid verbs, more descriptive adjectives (*timid* rather than *shy*.)

WEB SITES

- **Google Translate:** <https://translate.google.com/>
- **Bing Translator:** <http://www.bing.com/translator>
- **Road to Grammar:** <http://www.roadtogrammar.com/junior/>
(You can choose what grammar area your child should work on. Ex. Sentence fragments vs complete sentences.)
- **Visual Thesaurus:** <http://www.visualthesaurus.com/bee/play>
(This website says a word and your child has to type in the word they hear. The word difficulty adjusts to the child's level automatically.)
- **Rewordify:** <https://rewordify.com/>
(Copy and paste any paragraph or website URL and it simplifies the words used.)
- **Lang-8:** <http://lang-8.com/>
(Copy and paste something you have written and a native English speaker will correct what you have written, if needed. Good for anyone who needs help with their writing skills.)
- **News ELA:** <https://newsela.com/>
(This website has news stories that are simplified for English language learners.)
- **Khan Academy:** <https://www.khanacademy.org/>
(Take *free* online courses in various subjects: Algebra, Geometry, Calculus, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, US History, World History, etc.)
- **TEA:**
[http://tea.texas.gov/Student_Testing_and_Accountability/Testing/State_of_Texas_Assessments_of_Academic_Readiness_\(STAAR\)/STAAR_Released_Test_Questions/](http://tea.texas.gov/Student_Testing_and_Accountability/Testing/State_of_Texas_Assessments_of_Academic_Readiness_(STAAR)/STAAR_Released_Test_Questions/)
(You will find released STAAR tests and answer keys that you can work on with your students)
- **Think Through Math:** This website is where your student can practice math (up to Algebra I) they are learning at school. Students should have their login information.
- **Quizlet:** <https://quizlet.com/>
(Click on the search tool to enter a concept you want student to work on. Ex. Type in Symbolism and select one of the activities/games that contains information about symbolism.)

LANGUAGE APPS (PLAY STORE or APP STORE):

- Duolingo
- English Listening and Speaking
- Daily ESL English
- All English Idioms/Phrases
- ESL-Word-Plus

FREE ADULT ESL CLASSES

- **Literacy Advance** (<http://www.literacyadvance.org/>)
1300 Bay Area Blvd # A, Houston, TX 77058
Call (281) 282-6032 to register!
 - Basic reading and writing
 - Basic English (conversation)
- **College of the Mainland** (<http://www.com.edu/adulted/esl>)
College of the Mainland Adult Education
Learning Resource Center Suite C
1200 Amburn Rd.
Texas City, TX 77591
(409) 933-8294
- **San Jacinto College** (<http://www.sanjac.edu/continuing-professional-development/community/grants/adult-education-literacy>)
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Clear Creek ISD

Adult ESL and Citizenship classes

We offer adult ESL classes at McWhirter Elementary, League City Elementary, Clear Creek Intermediate, and Stewart Elementary.

Mondays and Wednesdays

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

- McWhirter Elementary
- League City Elementary

9:00 am – 12:00 p.m.

- Clear Creek Intermediate

5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

- McWhirter Elementary

Mondays and Thursdays

5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

- Stewart Elementary

We offer citizenship classes at McWhirter Elementary on Thursday evenings from 5:00 – 7:00.

For more information please contact:

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Clases de inglés para adultos y de ciudadanía

Ofrecemos clases de inglés para adultos en las escuelas McWhirter Elementary, League City Elementary, Clear Creek Intermediate y Stewart Elementary.

Lunes y miércoles

8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

- McWhirter Elementary
- League City Elementary

9:00 am – 12:00 p.m.

- Clear Creek Intermediate

5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

- McWhirter Elementary

Lunes y jueves

5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

- Stewart Elementary

Ofrecemos clases de ciudadanía en la escuela McWhirter Elementary los jueves de 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

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