

Distance Learning Resources/Opportunities for English Language Development (ELD) Grades K-12

The Santa Clara County Office of Education (SCCOE) has curated the following links for teachers in grades K-12. Special thanks to the resources identified or created by the San Diego County Office of Education Content Specialists as well as members of the CISC ELA/ELD Subcommittee.

Please send suggestions for additional English Language Development resources to dcamarena@sccoe.org or ywan@sccoe.org.

Resources are included below in order to provide access to information. The inclusion of a resource is neither an endorsement nor recommendation by SCCOE. Schools and districts should review the resource and determine their appropriateness for their students.

Go back to <https://www.sccoe.org/covid-19/Pages/for-teachers.aspx>

Content Area(s)	Grade Span	Intended Audience	Description	Name/Webpage Link
ELD	TK-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Beginning language learning. Using a drop-down menu, a student selects the native language and the language the student wants to learn, then progresses through a series of exercises including reading, listening and speaking.	Lingo Hut https://www.lingohut.com/en

ELD	K-12	Parents/ Students	Ideas for working with their students at home in English and Spanish	Colorin Colorado https://www.colorincolorado.org/
ELD	K-12	Teacher/ Students	Vocabulary building games	Vocab Victor English Word Game https://apps.apple.com/us/app/vocab-victor-english-word-game/id1291885338
ELD	PreK-1	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Phonemic awareness and phonics, vocabulary development	Literactive http://literactive.com/Home/index.asp
ELD	K-1	Teachers/ Students	Listen and read articles related to Science with highlighted text	National Geographic Young Explorers https://ngexplorer.cengage.com/ngyoungexplorer/index.html
ELD	K-2	Teachers	Integrated activities for ELD, VAPA, and ELA for media literacy	Center for Media Literacy http://www.medialit.org/cml-medialit-kit/project-smartart/integrated-activities

ELD	K-3	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Fairy tale and classic children's audio stories - students can follow along with the story as it is read to them, as the text is also included, "catch phrase" explanations, translating text into different languages	Storynory https://www.storynory.com/
ELD	K-4	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Children's literacy website - streams videos featuring actors reading children's books (w/activities)	Storyline Online https://www.storylineonline.net/about-us/
ELD	K-5	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Vocabulary building and literacy skills	Literacy Center http://www.literacycenter.net/
ELD	K-5	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Children's audio books	Oxford Owl https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/
ELD	K-6	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	E-books in 12 languages	Children's Books Forever https://childrensbooksforever.com/
ELD	K-6	Students	Animated stories and poetry	Highlights Kids https://www.highlightskids.com/

ELD	K-6	Students	Vocabulary learning	Learning Chocolate https://www.learningchocolate.com/
ELD	K-6	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Early-literacy practice	Starfall https://www.starfall.com/h/
ELD	K-8	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Short stories read aloud with the highlighted text	ABC ya! https://www.abcya.com/
ELD	K-8	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Engaging web and whiteboard activities	https://www.scholastic.com/teachers/student-activities/
ELD	K-8	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Storytelling	https://www.freechildrenstories.com/
ELD	K-8	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Interactive activities here to develop skills in English literacy - wide variety of books	https://www.funbrain.com/books
ELD	K-8	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Children's magazine with extended support activities	https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/

ELD	K-8	Administrators/ Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Cross-curricular learning experiences built around stories	https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html
ELD	K-8	Parents/ Students	Virtual field trips for students and their families (w/activities)	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1SvldgTx9djKO6SjyvPDsoGkkgE3iExmi3qh2KRRku_w/mobilebasic
ELD	K-9	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Storybooks, read alongs, language learning activities	https://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/Home.aspx?categoryID=77
ELD	K-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Animated Educational Site for Kids – Grammar, Reading & Writing, and Function	BrainPOP ELL https://ell.brainpop.com/
ELD	K-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Animated Educational Site for Kids - Science, Social Studies, English, Math, Arts & Music, Health, and Technology in Spanish	BrainPop en español https://esp.brainpop.com/
ELD	K-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Free digitized picture books in multiple languages	International Children's Digital Library http://en.childrenslibrary.org/

ELD	K-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Children's magazine in Spanish with extended activities	https://www.ngenespanol.com/
ELD	K-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Popular children's books read out loud	https://www.barnesandnoble.com/b/books/kids/_/N-29Z8q8Ztu1
ELD	2-6	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Students plan out what to plant- history and needed growing conditions for the plants they select (English and Spanish)	My First Garden https://web.extension.illinois.edu/firstgarden/
ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Beelinguapp is storytelling software that allows the user to consecutively read a mirrored text, but in two separate languages at the same time	Beelinguapp https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/beelinguapp-learn-languages
ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Language development- strong grammar focus	Duolingo https://www.duolingo.com/

ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Vocabulary development by themes for beginners and early intermediate levels	English Themes for Beginners http://larryferlazzo.com/englishthemes.html#animals
ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Vocabulary building through word games	Improve English: Word Games https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/improve-english-word-games
ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Vocabulary building through Memrise	Memrise: Learn Languages https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/memrise-learn-languages-free
ELD	2-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Vocabulary building through Sentence Master Pro	Sentence Master Pro https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/sentence-master-pro
ELD	3-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	English basic conversational skills	Babbel https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/learn-english-with-babbel
ELD	4-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	English Speaking Practice is a powerful English speaking app to learn perfect pronunciation, natural rhythms and everything else to talk confidently	English Speaking Practice https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/english-speaking-practice

ELD	4-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Academic vocabulary+	Khan Academy https://www.khanacademy.org/search?search_again=1&page_search_query=academic+language
ELD	6	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Animated math with audio, visual and vocabulary support	Spy Guys Math http://www.learnalberta.ca/content/mesg/html/math6web/index.html
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	English language development online: English vocabulary and fluency	Busuu https://www.busuu.com/en/course/learn-english-online
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Newspaper in simple English for young adult & adult readers	Easy English News https://www.elizabethclaire.com/products/easy-english-news
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Interactive audio and video lessons, practice games for reading, writing and speaking	FluentU https://www.fluentu.com/blog/english/hello-english-app-review/
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	English Audio Lessons with matching transcripts	LingQ https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/lingq-language-learning

ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Students	Word games, word puzzles, proverbs, slang expressions, anagrams, random-sentence generator and other computer-assisted language learning activities	Many Things http://www.manythings.org/
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	English reading, listening, and speaking	Speak English Conversation https://www.educationalappstore.com/app/speak-english-conversation
ELD	6-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Multimedia source of news and information for EL by proficiency levels	VOA Learning English News https://learningenglish.voanews.com/p/5373.html
ELD	8-12	Teachers/ Students	Online grammar exercises, vocabulary videos, pronunciation exercises, interactive quizzes for Beginners, Intermediate & Advanced Level English Learners	English Media Lab http://www.englishmedialab.com/
ELD	8-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Online activities to learn and practice English	ESOL Websites listed by New York Public Library https://www.nypl.org/help/community-outreach/immigrant-services/learn-esol-online-resourceshttps://

ELD	9-12	Teachers/ Students	Materials based off news headlines and current events from around the world- seven different reading levels for each news story	Breaking News English https://breakingnewsenglish.com/
ELD	9-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Grammar, picture dictionary, reading, and pronunciation	Easy World of English http://easyworldofenglish.com/
ELD	9-12	Teachers/ Parents/ Students	Grammar and vocabulary videos, podcasts, quizzes and written text	Learn English https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/