

Resources

On this page you will find links to resources, activities, etc.



DICTIONARIES

- [Cambridge Dictionary](#), Dictionary, Idioms and Phrasal Verbs
- [Collins Dictionary](#), Monolingual and Bilingual Dictionaries
- [Forvo](#): Pronunciation Dictionary where words are pronounced by native speakers.
- [Free Medical Dictionary Online](#)
- [Linguee](#), Dictionary created by internet users with real examples of words in context.
- [Macmillan Dictionary and Thesaurus](#)
- [Merriam-Webster Online](#), Dictionary, Thesaurus, Medical Dictionary and Spanish-English Dictionary
- [Oxford Collocations Dictionary](#). A completely new type of dictionary with word collocation that helps students and advanced learners effectively study, write and speak natural-sounding English
- [Oxford Dictionary](#)
- [Oxford Learner's Dictionary](#): The traditional Oxford Dictionary now online
- [Pronunciation Dictionary](#)
- [The Free Dictionary](#), Dictionary, Encyclopedia and Thesaurus. Legal Dictionary, Medical Dictionary, Dictionaries in other Languages.
- [Urban Dictionary](#). A crowdsourced online dictionary for slang words and phrases, operating under the motto "Define Your World."
- [Visual Dictionary](#)
- [Wiktionary](#) . A multilingual, web-based project to create a free content dictionary of terms in all natural languages and in a number of artificial languages.
- [Wordreference](#), Assorted Monolingual and Bilingual Dictionaries and links to other Dictionaries.

LISTENING AND VIDEO WATCHING: ALL LEVELS

- [BBC Learning English](#)
- [Breaking News English](#): listen and reading comprehension exercises.
- [British Council. Listen and watch](#): listening comprehension exercises.
- [ELLO](#). It offers over 3,000 free listening activities. You can access lessons for beginner, intermediate and advanced learners.
- [English Yappr](#) : choose a video by topic and read the subtitles simultaneously.
- [ESL Video](#) : multiple choice listening comprehension exercises.
- [Esl-lounge](#): listening exercises (elementary, intermediate, advanced.)
- [Listen a minute](#): One minute audios with script and exercises.
- [Lyricstraining](#): improve your listening skills through songs!
- [Ororo TV](#): Learn English watching TV series and movies for free!
- [Podcasts](#) (how and what to download)
- [Podcasts in English](#): listening exercises with transcript and worksheets.
- [Randall's ESL Cyber Lab](#): Listening Comprehension Activities
- [Real English](#) :graded lesson videos based on real English interviews.
- [Rebeats](#): Great music in English with enjoyable tasks
- [Storynory](#): Free audio stories.
- [Videojug](#): a repository of videos about all kind of subjects.
- [Voice of America - Learn American English with VOA Learning ...](#) Learn American English with English language lessons from Voice of America. *VOA Learning English* helps you learn English with vocabulary, listening and ..

AUDIOBOOKS

- [American stories for English Learners](#)
- [Audiobooks.org](#) Listen to free audio books, all mp3 format and iPod compatible - download or stream them!
- [Free audiobooks for English learners](#)
- [Listening and reading audiobooks](#)
- [Loyal Books](#). Free Public Domain Audiobooks & eBook Downloads
- [Voices in the dark](#): Audio books and stories read aloud by real people for free!
- [www.freeclassicaudiobooks.com](#)
- [www.librivox.org](#)
- [www.openculture.com/freeaudiobooks](#)

WRITING

- [Flo-Joe](#)
- <http://www.writing.utoronto.ca/advice> Toronto University
- [Just the word](#) is a simple quick collocation finder
- [members.tripod.com/~lklivingston/essay/index.html](#)
- [Netspeak](#) is a really helpful site to help you write better. It helps you find the word or phrase you're looking for by suggesting common combinations organised by frequency.
- [owl.english.purdue.edu](#) University of Purdue
- [Pro Writing Aid](#) is a fantastic free site that will help you with the final stage of the writing process. This is a tool you want to use after you have written something, to improve it.
- [Skell](#) (Sketch Engine for Language Learning) explores the English language in more than one billion words from news, scientific papers, Wikipedia articles, fiction books, web pages, and blogs.
- [Words to Use](#) is a nice neat site, which unlike a thesaurus groups theme-related words by parts of speech
- [www.explorewriting.co.uk](#) Advice on writing
- [www.teacherjoe.us/Write.html](#) Composition models
- [www.writefix.com/argument](#) Sample texts
- [www.xtec.es/~jrodrig6/#](#) (José Luis Rodríguez – low levels)

There are sites that allow collaborative correction of written texts.

- Another site that allows text correction is [Busuu](#). This site, apart from other features, offers the possibility of writing a task-based text that will be corrected by native speakers. You normally get your corrections very fast and correctors can even write a comment assessing your work.
- [Blog para preparar el writing de la EOI](#): writing tips to prepare for your "Certificación" exams.
- [Correct my text](#) facilitates the correction of texts by native speakers. You only have to enter your text and wait for the correction. The system lets that every text is corrected three times. Besides, you can also obtain a spoken version of your written text. At the same time you can offer a correction of learners of your mother tongue.
- [Listen and write](#): Dictation website that allows students to improve their listening and writing skills as they listen and write songs, poems, news and many others.
- [My English Pages](#): writing tips for English learners.
- [PenPal World](#): Site where you can meet pen pals from every country on the planet!
- [Practice Free Writing with a Robot](#). An interesting way for ESL students to improve writing skills.
- [Sample Writing for English Exams](#): Prepare online with free writing resources.
- [Spell Up](#): Online game for Chrome that helps improve pronunciation and spelling.

PRONUNCIATION

- [English Pronunciation](#): App for Android to learn pronunciation.
- [Forvo](#): Listen to English words with different accents.
- [Guía ESL de sonidos vocálicos en inglés](#): Learn vowel combinations in English.
- [Otterwave](#): App for IOS to learn pronunciation.
- [Phonetics Focus](#): Learn phonetics in an enjoyable way!
- [Subinglés](#): Website to learn English through singing!
- [The Speech Accent Archive](#): Set of speech samples from a variety of language backgrounds.
- [Vaughan Radio](#): Online radio to practise pronunciation with listen and repeat exercises.

- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/learningenglish/grammar/pron/>
- <http://soundsofspeech.uiowa.edu/english/english.html>
- <http://www.spokenskills.com/index.cfm?type=15&content=studentactivities>
- <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLB043E64B8BE05FB7>
- https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfekvC0_1kAmhdOHULccXUg
- <https://www.speechactive.com/listen-english-vowels-and-consonant-sounds/>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/features/pronunciation>

SPEAKING

- [Aprende Inglés Sila](#): Web to improve pronunciation.
- [Busuu](#) is a community that, among other things, allows language exchanges based on tasks.
- [Conversation exchange](#) offers the possibility of finding a conversation partner for live practice, pen-pals and voice and text chats.
- [Duolingo](#): Web and app to learn English, including speaking, in an interactive way.
- [ESL Gold](#). Commonly used expressions in conversations.
- [italki](#): Get one-on-one online lessons with native language teachers and connect to people around the world.
- [My language exchange](#) offers both voice and text exchange.
- [Oral presentation](#) Giving an oral presentation as part of a speaking exam can be quite scary
- [Shared Talk](#) is a Language Exchange Community that allows voice and text exchanges.
- [Speaking English naturally by using fillers](#)
- [The Mixxer](#): Language Exchange Community for Everyone
- [Using Fillers](#) you can use to give yourself a split second thinking time.
- [Verbling](#)
- [Vocaroo](#): Easy and quick way to share online recorded messages.
- Speaking for IELTS, [PET](#) and TOEFL. Practice talking about a picture. Time yourself!
- [English at home](#). Simple secrets to improve your English.

VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

- a4esl.org: English vocabulary graded quizzes.
- [British Council](http://www.britishcouncil.org): topic-based vocabulary exercises.
- [English Club](http://www.englishclub.com): vocabulary quizzes (elementary-intermediate-advanced).
- [engVid](http://www.englishvid.com): Learn English grammar through videolessons.
- [La mansión del Inglés](http://www.lamansiondelingles.com): Website to practise grammar through games.
- [Language guide](http://www.languageguide.com): Learn English grammar through interactive games.
- [Learn English, Feel good](http://www.learnenglishfeelfood.com): multiple vocabulary quizzes by topic.
- [Learning Chocolate](http://www.learningchocolate.com): Vocabulary learning platform with exercises classified by topic, including images and audios.
- [ompersonal](http://www.ompersonal.com): free online school to learn English and pass English tests.
- [Quiznet - BBC Learning English](http://www.quiznet.com): multiple choice vocabulary quizzes.

READING

- [BritLit \(British Council\)](http://www.britlit.com)
- [Internet public library](http://www.internetpubliclibrary.com) .Over 500000 essays, research papers, and term papers available at Internet Public Library.
- [5 Minutes English](http://www.5minutesenglish.com). Reading exercises about different topics.
- [English Online](http://www.englishonline.com). Wide variety of texts related to many different topics.
- [ESL Reading lessons](http://www.eslreadinglessons.com): reading comprehension exercises.
- [Esl-lounge](http://www.esl-lounge.com): reading exercises (elementary, intermediate, advanced.)
- [Gocomics](http://www.gocomics.com): American website for comics.
- [MrNussbaum.com](http://www.mrnussbaum.com). Interesting reading activities about different topics.
- [My English Pages](http://www.myenglishpages.com): reading comprehension exercises.
- [Project Gutenberg](http://www.projectgutenberg.org): Virtual library for free English resources.
- [Saber Inglés](http://www.saberingles.com). Reading exercises about different topics.
- <http://englishclub.com/reading/index.htm>
- <https://americanenglish.state.gov/ebooks>

TO READ ONLINE

- <https://english-e-reader.net/> Really interesting
- <http://www.bibliomania.com> Free Online Literature and Study Guides
- <http://www.randomhouse.com/boldtype/audio.html> Random House: Books extracts, some of them read by the authors
- <http://www.mostlyfiction.com> Reviews of books of different genres, authors interviews...
- <http://www.thegoodbookguide.com/gbg/default.asp>
- <http://www.nytimes.com/pages/books/index.html> List of the best sellers, if you register you can even read the first chapters
- [Harry Potter Reading Club](http://www.harrypotterreadingclub.com)
Any kids who love Harry Potter will adore this everything Harry Potter reading website.
Free, grade 3-7

SHORT STORIES

- <http://www.short-stories.co.uk> Short Stories classified
- <https://www.newyorker.com/tag/short-stories> The New Yorker: Every week a different one
- <http://www.mysterynet.com> Mystery Net
- <http://www.eastoftheweb.com/short-stories/>

CHILDREN'S STORIES: Not only for children

- <https://storiestogrowby.org/>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/storycircle/index.shtml>
- <http://www.candlelightstories.com>

POETRY

- [Poems.com](#) .For another daily poetry fix in your email inbox, you can sign up with **Poetry Daily**. The site's homepage features their poem of the day. Additional poems reside in their archives. They've also got poetry news and features like their "What Sparks Poetry" series, conversations with poets about particular poem inspirations.
- [SlowdownShow.org](#). It's a daily 5-minute podcast in which Tracy K. Smith (and sometimes Jenny Xie, writer of [Eye Level](#)) talks about a poem and then read it. The website has all the archives, and their Twitter and Instagram feeds offer pictures and the text of the poem, too. Yet again, you can also get it delivered in your email inbox.
- [ButtonPoetry.com](#) **Button Poetry** is a publisher and poetry company that promotes slam performances. They are all over social media with fun swag and lots of books to buy. If you want free, check out the Best of Button blog and watch their video archive.
- [LittleInfinite.com](#) **Little Infinite Poetry** defines themselves as Poetry For Life. They've got poetry that's textual, visual, and audio. They've got resources for performing, reading, and writing. They also host a slew of contests throughout the year and post poetry snippets often on their social media sites.
- [FamousPoetsAndPoems.com](#) **Famous Poets and Poems** is exactly what it's called. Here's an online archive of famous poets and their poems. Additionally, they list a poet of the month, a poem of the month, and a whole page devoted to famous love poems.
- [TheOtherPages.org/poems](#) **Poets Corner** was established online in 1994. It's got an old-timey internet vibe, which is kind of nostalgia-inducing. In addition to their author index, you can also search their site by subject, title, first line, and chronological index. Basically, they've got you covered for whatever you're looking for.
- [Luminarium.org](#) If you're into super-old-school English poetry, like from Medieval Times to the Cavalier poets, then go to **Luminarium**. It's not only poetry, but there's a lot of poetry here, all free, all for you, all in this one niche place.
- <https://poets.org/academy-american-poets>

QUOTATIONS

- <http://www.quotationspage.com> .

BIOGRAPHIES

- <http://www.biography.com> Biographies of famous and not so famous people

NEWSPAPERS:

- [Metro News](#). This newspaper is easier to read than other national newspapers.
- [New York Times](#)
- [The Daily Mail](#)
- [The Daily Mirror](#)
- [The Guardian](#)
- [The Independent](#)
- [The Sun](#)
- [The Times](#)

MAGAZINES:

- [Newslink.org](#): list of magazines' websites.
- [Entertainment Weekly](#): Movies, tv, books, etc.
- [Time Out London](#): Things to do in London.
- [People Magazine](#)
- [National Geographic](#)
- [kiosko.net](#): all today's newspapers online.
- [USA Today](#)
- [Time](#)
- [Forbes](#)

CULTURE

- [Visit Britain](#): British Tourist Information Board
- [Visit Britain](#) in Spanish.
- [Project Britain](#): British Life, Culture and Customs. Visit this section for [curious traditions](#).
- [Learn English Free](#): More about Culture and Traditions.
- [Isabel Pérez's site](#): learn about holidays and traditions through activities.
- [Google Arts & Culture](#) has teamed up with over 2,500 museums to bring the masterpieces of artists like Van Gogh and Monet right to your living room. Talk about a virtual field trip

TV AND VIDEOS:

- [BBC](#): British tv and radio.
- [NPR](#): US National Public Radio
- [NBC](#): American TV
- [FOX tv](#). American TV
- [ABC](#): American TV
- [CNN](#)

<https://www.funnyordie.com/>

<https://www.pbs.org/video/>

<https://bigthink.com/videos/>
<https://www.ted.com/#/>
<http://www.nbcnews.com>
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/videonation/archive/>
<http://edition.cnn.com/video/index.html>
<http://video.nationalgeographic.com/>
<http://www.filmon.com/group/uk-live-tv>
<https://www.ted.com/talks?language=en&sort=newest>
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/ideas/>

RADIOS

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/radio4/>
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/radioscotland>
<http://rte.ie/radio>
<http://www.npr.org/>
<http://radio.com/>
<http://www.cbc.ca/radio/>
<http://www.radioaustralia.net.au/international/>
<https://www.thepodcastradio.co.uk/>
<https://tunein.com/radio/Talk-c424725/?attributes=filter%3D11>
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds>
<https://www.iheart.com/podcast/>
<https://www.radio.net/>

MEDIACIÓN:

- [Blog de Cristina](#): Video en español explicando lo que es la mediación.
- [Blog de Cristina](#): Mediación del español al inglés.
- [Murcia Educa](#): Situaciones y estrategias de mediación.
- [Victoria Secret's English Blog](#): Qué es mediación y enlaces a ejemplos.
- [EduCantabria- Mac Millan](#): Mediación interlingüística con ejemplos.
- [The Way Experience](#): Algunos ejemplos gratuitos de mediación.

APPS

Basic

<https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/apps/learnenglish-podcasts>
https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=talkenglish.com.standard&hl=en_US&gl=US

All levels

<https://www.amazon.ca/Cambridge-University-Press-Phrasalstein-Phone/dp/B00GSJHY6K>
<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/quizlet/id546473125>
<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/learn-english-6-000-words/id923280720>
<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/duolingo-language-lessons/id570060128>