

Extra Resources for English Practice

GENERAL

- EAL_a4ESL.org - grammar and vocabulary quizzes, exercises and puzzles
- ThoughtCo - resources for improving your English at home
- BBC - news stories, listening practice, vocabulary and grammar
- Dave's ESL Cafe - a variety of EAL activities and learning materials
- EnglishClub.com - grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation activities ESL
- PartyLand - a variety of EAL activities
- Learn English Feel Good - lessons in vocabulary, grammar and listening
- Word Hippo - Thesaurus and word tools for your creative needs
- Livelearn.ca: A variety of settlement activities for newcomers.

SPEAKING

- Speaking EnglishClub.com - activities for learning and practicing your speaking skills
- English Speak - real-world conversations at a variety of English levels
- ESL Fast - English conversations and activities
- Focus on English - everyday English conversations
- Speak English - Learn phrases and vocabulary to improve your speaking
- Talk English - Speaking activities
- Ottawa Toast Masters Toast Masters International is a nonprofit educational organization that builds confidence and teaches public speaking skills through a worldwide network of clubs that meet online and in person

LISTENING

- Breaking News English - English lessons based on news stories
- Ello - over 1,000 listening activities
- Learning Resources - news stories from you can read and listen to
- Randall's ESL Cyber Listening Lab - listening exercises to test comprehension
- Simply Scripts - TV and movie scripts

READING

- BBC Skillswise - reading factsheets, worksheets, quizzes and games
- BBC Skillswise - Reading Skimming and Scanning
- Extensive Reading - information on extensive reading Nova Scotia
- Bangkok Post - learn to read a daily English-language newspaper

SLANG & IDIOMS

- [Cool Slang: Canadian Slang Dictionary](#) - Canadian slang expressions
- [ESL Cafe Slang & ESL Cafe Idioms](#)
 - a list of slang and idioms with explanations
- [Slang City](#) - website with slang in many categories (contains offensive language)
- [The Idiom Connection](#) - a comprehensive list of idioms with definitions and examples