



Welcome to Livingston Public Schools' English Language Learner/ESL Remote Learning Center! Our Teachers and Staff will be updating this site with great resources to use while we are learning remotely. Enjoy your time learning and exploring...

ESL resources for students in Grades Three to Five

- Read books online <https://www.getepic.com/>
- <https://www.storylineonline.net/> Streams videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books.
- Journal Writing <https://thrivinghomeblog.com/writing-journal-prompts-for-kids/>
- Fun at home: <https://whatmomslove.com/kids/active-indoor-games-activities-for-kids-to-burn-energy/>
- [SworKit Kid Workouts](#) -Kid Friendly workouts
- [Mystery Science](#) Free Science lessons until the end of the school year.
- [NASA Kids' Club](#) Space Science for Kids
- Author Dan Gutman Reads Aloud on Facebook Live (every day at 2:00)
https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?id=60020139122&story_fbid=1015829565494412
- Live art classes (every day at 1:00) <https://www.facebook.com/McHarperManor/> OR check out some past classes https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCC58Lu9VRCRATKy1tB_ZGBQ
- [Boggle's World](#): This is a resource site with activities for elementary ESL students.
<https://bogglesworldesl.com/phonicswordsearches.htm>
- [Dave's ESL Cafe](#): This site includes many resources for all aspects of second language acquisition. It has an extensive listing of idioms and slang expressions, forums for students, quizzes and an online pronunciation program.

ESL ideas to try out:

- Read books in English as well as in your first language. Reading in English will help build English and vocabulary skills. Reading in your first language will also help to build comprehension skills.
- Write a letter or send an email to a family member or friend
- Listen to music, movies, tv shows and news
- Talk and record yourself
- Let your child act out a favorite story
- Let your child predict tomorrow's weather and pretend to be a newscaster
- Try tongue twisters (For example, "She sells seashells by the seashore.")
<https://www.fluentu.com/blog/english/tongue-twisters-in-english/>

- Learn the names of all the 50 states in the United States with this song: [Fifty Nifty United States Song](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WhDrGnjacvA)
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- Learn the names of all the 50 state capital cities in the United States with this song: [Fifty States Capitals Song](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MSvJ9SN8THE)
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- Literacy Tips for families -
<https://www.livingston.org/site/handlers/filedownload.ashx?moduleinstanceid=45694&dataid=105453&FileName=Literacy%20Tips%20for%20Families.pdf>
- Games and activities - <http://iteslj.org/games/>
- Using Istation to support ELLs while at home - <https://www.istation.com/Home/SchoolClosures>
- Independent Workbook Activities (PDF):
[3rd-grade-independent-study-packet](#)

[4th-grade-independent-study-packet](#)

[5th-grade-independent-study-packet](#)

ESL sites to visit:

- Time for Kids Grades K-6 - <https://www.timeforkids.com/>
- Highlights for Kids - <https://www.highlightskids.com/>
- Farmer's Almanac for Kids - <https://www.almanac.com/kids>
- PBS Kids - <https://pbskids.org/>
- PBS Kids Activities & Crafts PreK-K <https://nj.pbslearningmedia.org/shared/2507117/4870547/>
- PBS Kids Activities & Crafts Grade 1-2 <https://nj.pbslearningmedia.org/shared/2507117/4870564/>
- Audible - Stories for free - <https://stories.audible.com/start-listen>
- Virtual Field Trips -
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qpFAQz_QJt0ZTVTixAyuGRjsKGYI23CjlaO9eLBkThE/mobilebasic?usp=gmail_thread
- Read alouds, Recraft - <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCS4Tq4TX4zSk27JT-G2-pvg>
- [Tumble Book Library](https://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/Home.aspx?categoryID=77): This is a collection of children's e-books. The Livingston Public Library has a subscription you can access for free. <https://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/Home.aspx?categoryID=77>
- Lunch Doodles With Author Mo Willems (every day at 1:00)-
<https://www.kennedy-center.org/education/mo-willems/>
- Author Dan Gutman Reads Aloud on Facebook Live (every day at 2:00)
<https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?id=6002>