

English Language Development (ELD)

The following links have been identified or created by the Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) Curriculum & Instruction Department as resources that may be helpful for distance learning. Resources are for informational purposes, and their inclusion on this list is neither an endorsement nor a recommendation by SCOE. Schools and districts should review resources and determine appropriateness for their students.

Resources for Other Subjects: <https://www.scoe.net/covid19/resources/>

Audience	Grades	Description/Link	ELD/EL Proficiency Level
ELD	T-K-12	English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC online) practice tests. Use the student interface to access the site. ELPAC printable version Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing domains in seven grade level spans: Tk-K , 1 , 2 , 3-5 , 6-8 , 9-10 , and 11-12 .	Emerging Expanding Bridging
ELD	T-K-12	My Writing Coach offers free easy access to writing lessons aligned to the ELPAC standards/ 8 writing task types and the Common Core Standards. Video lessons modeling writing for students and teachers includes writing about an opinion, condensing ideas and other resources. May log in by using a gmail account.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
ELD	3-12	Rewordify.com allows users to transform online texts to readable versions by entering/ pasting text or a webpage to simplify difficult English.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
ELD	10-12, Adult	USA Learns is focused on high school newcomers and adult learners. Learn with videos, practice grammar, and take quizzes. Offers four modules on citizenship, culture, and everyday language. At the successful completion of all modules, learners gain up to 20,000 words in English. It has the capacity for individual accounts to track progress and for teachers to create a class account.	Emerging Expanding
History-Social Science	K-12	Teaching California offers sets of primary source documents aligned to the CA HSS Framework with teaching suggestions and downloadable worksheets. Calls out ELD.	Expanding Bridging
History-Social Science	5 and 8	Historical Scene Investigation includes lessons on historical topics designed like mysteries to be solved by students. Calls out ELD.	Expanding Bridging
History-Social Science	5-11	Reading Like a Historian contains downloadable lessons that require students to analyze primary source documents.	Bridging

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History-Social Science	6, 7, 10 (World History)	World History for Us All provides downloadable units for teaching World History. For teachers who are unfamiliar with this site, it is recommended that you start with the “Close Up” units as they are more focused on particular subjects. In this current context, this might be more manageable.	Bridging
History-Social Science	4, 5, 8, 11	The Smithsonian for educators has resources and lessons to address various topics, primarily in US History. Student/kids view offers visuals and recordings on high interest topics.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
History-Social Science	4, 5, 8, 11	The Library of Congress has resources and lessons to address various topics, primarily in US History. Today in history for students offers an in-depth topic with visuals to deeply explore a topic with primary and secondary resources.	Expanding Bridging
History-Social Science	6–12	iCivics provides online games for learning. Students can earn points and use them to donate to an organization. Create a free account as a student or a teacher.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
English Language Arts	K–3	StoryLine Online streams videos featuring celebrated actors reading children’s books alongside creatively produced illustrations. Readers include Viola Davis, Chris Pine, Lily Tomlin, Kevin Costner, Annette Bening, James Earl Jones, Betty White and dozens more.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
English Language Arts	T-K–12	Writing Prompts is a website that has over 1,000 writing prompts. Most of the prompts are personal opinion writing but can be adapted for persuasive or argument writing. Many prompts can be revised for younger writers.	Expanding Bridging
English Language Arts	T-K–12	Engage in weekly What’s Going On In This Picture interactive discussions, which bring a global audience together to “notice and wonder” about images and ideas.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
English Language Arts	2–12	Comments4Kids contains video and modeling tools for students to learn about quality comments as they respond to online learning.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
English Language Arts	T-K–12	Newsela provides content on an array of subjects, current events, history, science, literature and more. Offers text sets and the ability to adjust the reading level of texts. Newsela is providing free access to their entire product suite for the rest of the 2019/2020 school year.	Expanding Bridging

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English Language Arts	T-K-12	Reading Logs offers support for independent reading and does not require a device. Adult guidance is minimal. This link offers a variety of reading logs. Click on the log/visual that you select to download it as a PDF. There are also book reviews, response to reading forms, double entry journals and more.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
Mathematics	6-12	Khan Academy offers a library of lesson plans and lesson activities for multiple subject areas including math, science and engineering, arts and humanities, economics, grammar, computing, and English language arts. Includes resources for multiple subjects, daily schedules by age groups and daily livestreams.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
Mathematics	K-12	Would you Rather is a fun website that supports mathematical practices using academic language.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
All Subjects	K-12	PBS Learning Media is an interactive site that brings concepts to life through interactive games, animations, and engaging media resources.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
Exploration	T-K-12	Virtual Field Trips has over 30 virtual field trips with links. Video de instrucciones de cambiar el idioma de la página a español.	Emerging Expanding Bridging
Special Interests	3-12	CrashCourse offers fun videos to learn about various high interest topics.	Emergent Expanding Bridging
Spanish Language	K-5 6-8	Lecturas Interactivas includes reading and writing with quizzes that provide immediate feedback. No registration required. May switch reading into English.	Dual Language
Spanish Language in content	6-8	National Geographic - Spanish Version - articles about science, space, and the world. UNESCOs World Library Spanish	Dual Language
Spanish	3-12	El Huevo de Chocolate offers a large variety of fun topics, riddles, arts, songs and more.	Dual Language
World Languages	2-12	Duolingo explores learning a language. Users may create a free profile and select the amount of time to practice the language.	World Languages

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Cantonese	T-K-12	Cantonese for Families is a free resource to support family literacy with activities and videos.	Dual Language