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Reach Your ELL Students using the Four Domains and Cool Tech Tools

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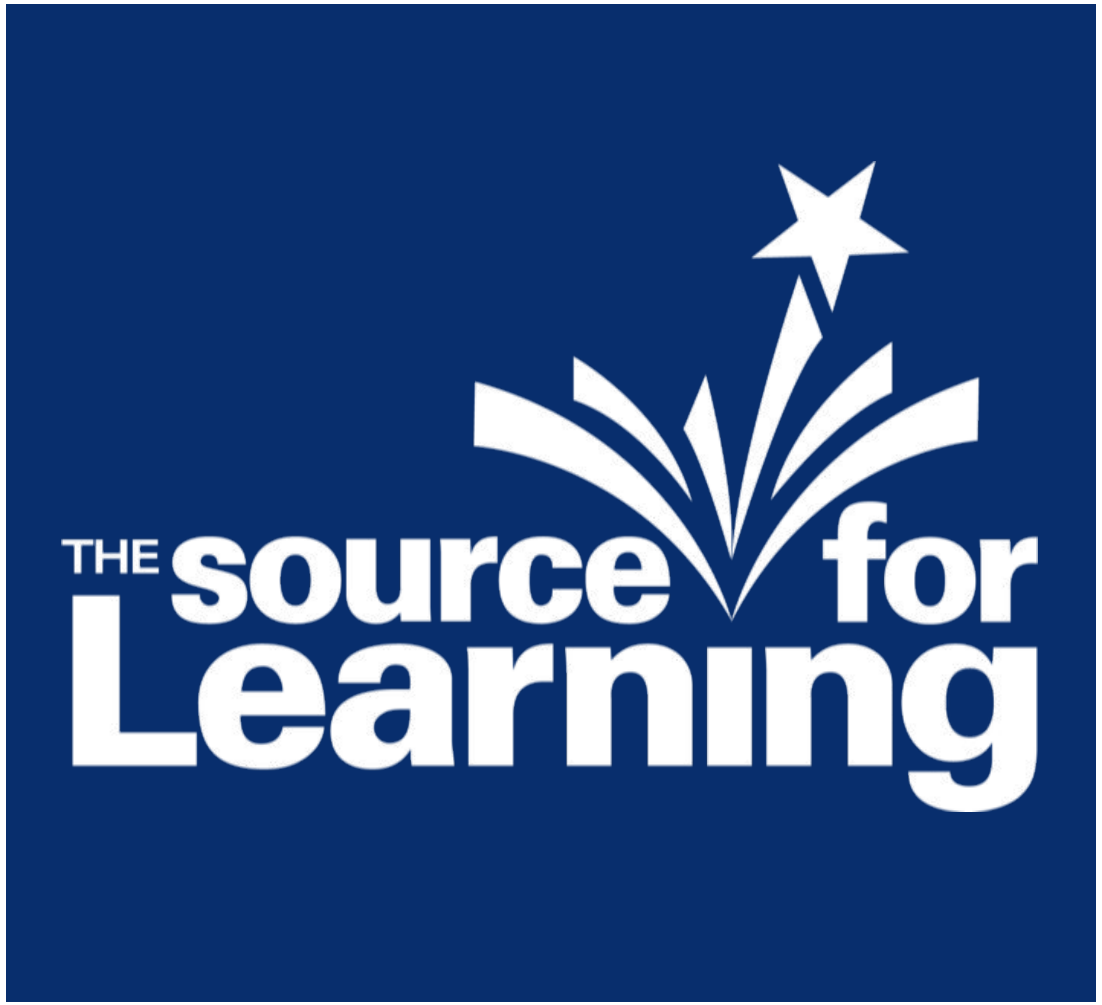

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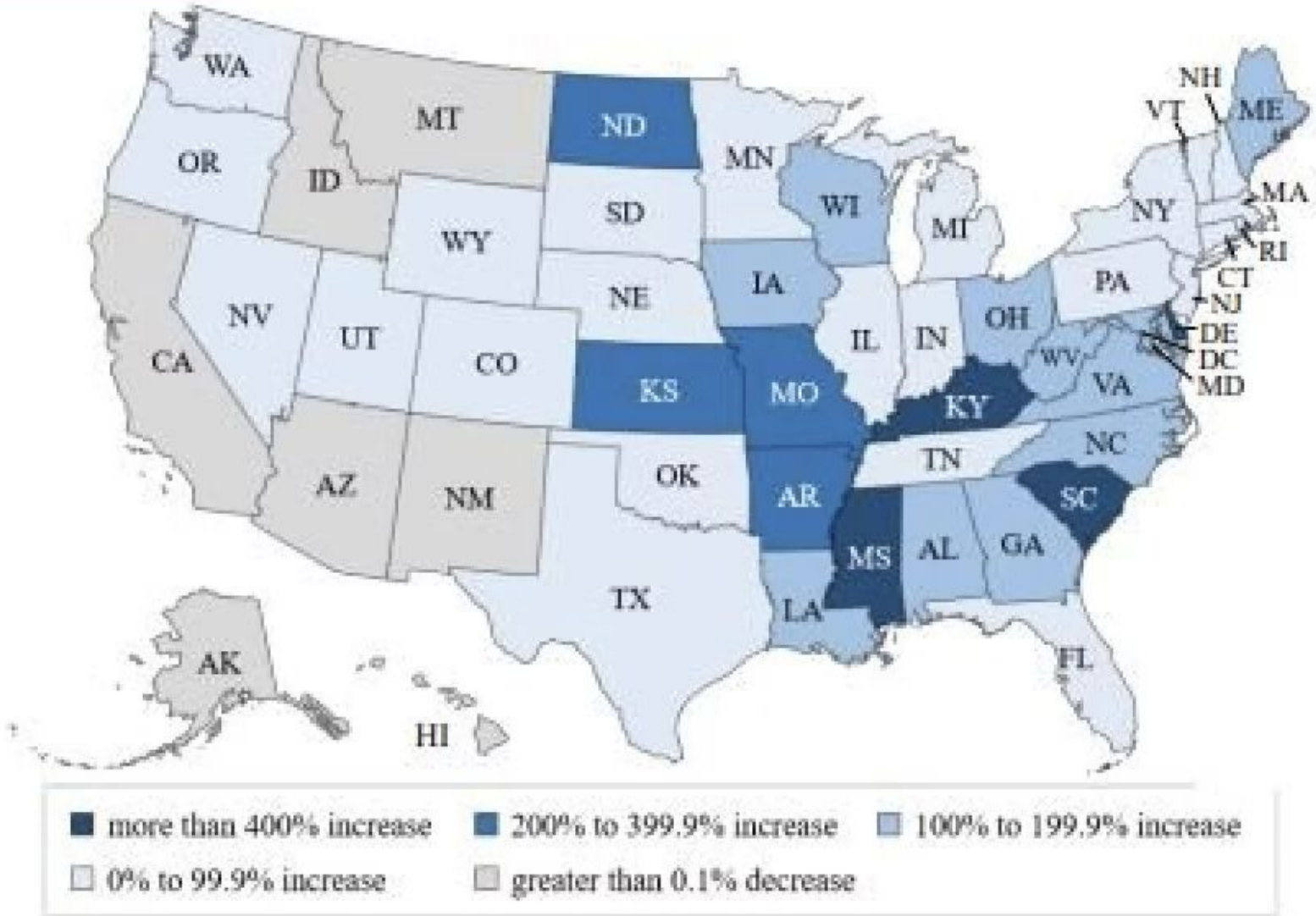

The number of ELs in the U.S. grew 28.1% between the 2000–01 school year and the 2016–17 school year. **Forty-three states saw the number of ELs increase,** ranging from 315 ELs in Wyoming to 351,559 ELs in Texas. Of these 43 states, the increases of ELs as a percentage of the total EL student population ranged from a 2.7% increase in New York to a 765.1% increase in South Carolina.

ENL Introduction and Background

- English as a New Language (ENL)
- ENL Certified Teachers or mainstreamed students
- ENL students often come from non-English speaking backgrounds

EEOA and Title VI

The Numbers

- 1 in 10 students are ENL
- California and Texas even higher
- 5,000,000 ENL students
- By 2024, 1 in 4 will be ENL
- Center for Immigration Study

Getting Started

- Educators obligations are robust!
- Main goal - to provide language assistance to ENL students.
- Tools that we share tonight will help you to get started.

CHALLENGES

Strategies

- Engage with the ENL teacher.
- Use technology effectively.
- Maintain culturally relevant instruction.
- Recognize implicit bias.

What Will the Title Be?

- Goal - integrate technology in all four domains of language development.
- All tools shared tonight incorporate a mix of reading, writing, speaking, and listening.

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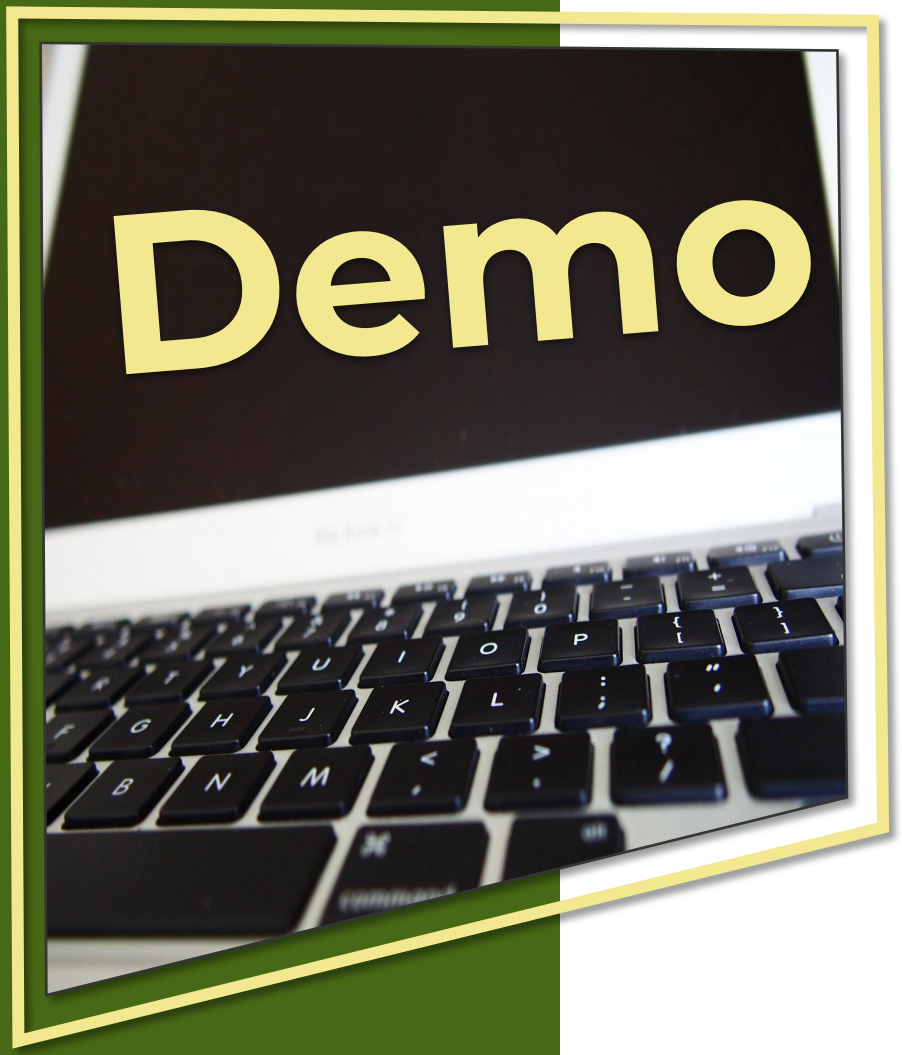
SPEAK
READ
WRITE



Tools to Engage ENL Students:

- Lyrics Training
- YouGlish
- Lingo Hut
- Newsela
- News in Levels

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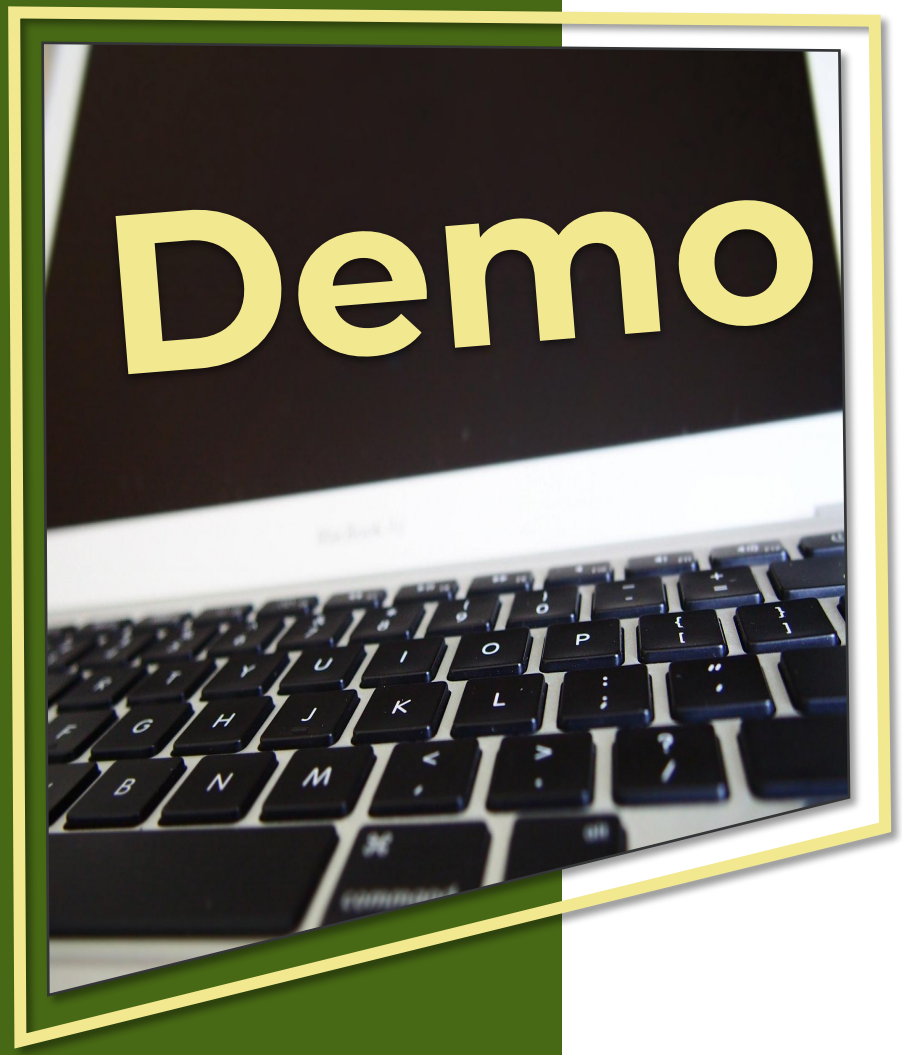

Fluent Key

- Set up account
- Find videos
- Create a quiz
- Play a game

More Tools to Explore

Adapt-a-Strategy

This TeachersFirst exclusive offers suggestions for teachers to adapt lesson plans for ENL students. The unit includes background information, pedagogy, frameworks, and strategies to use across the curriculum with all grade levels.

TeachVid

TeachVid uses tools to make many world languages (including English) more understandable using subtitles and text transcripts along with videos. Many engaging activities are provided on the site and many offer immediate feedback.

Story Shares

Find relevant and meaningful reading practice for older ENL students that are reading at the elementary level. Use the provided matrix to find reading materials at the appropriate reading and interest level.

More Tools to Explore

Duolingo

Explore the many online learning activities available to teach students countless world languages (including English). Students can both hear and see the words as they are learning the new language.

ENL Collection

This curated collection provides over twenty reviewed resources to use with your ENL students. Each resources also includes classroom use and technology implementation ideas. Resources are includes for grades K-12

Headliner Voices

Share this tool that is a text to voice app that uses the voices of many celebrities. Click the play arrow to get started with the voice selection. Use the celebrities to keep your students interested and engaged.

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