

Sites designed for language learners

BBC Schools	http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools
BBC WS – Learning English	http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/learningenglish
Bell English	http://www.bellenglish.com/
British Council (children + teachers)	http://www.learnenglish.org.uk
Comenius English Language Center	http://www.comenius.com/
Dave's ESL Café	http://www.eslcafe.com/
Discovery School	http://www.discoveryschool.com/
Edufind On-Line English Grammar	http://www.edufind.com/english/grammar/index.cfm
English Conversations	http://englishconversations.org
English Is It	http://www.english.is.it/
English Live	http://www.englishlive.co.uk/
English Page	http://www.englishpage.com
Exercises for English	http://a4esl.org/
Guide to Grammar and Writing	http://ccc.commnet.edu/grammar/
It's On-Line	http://www.its-online.com/
Many things (fun exercises)	http://www.manythings.org/
Mary Glasgow/Scholastic ELT	http://www.link2english.com
NZZ Online	http://www.nzz.ch/english
OUP ELT	http://www.oup.com/elt
Partyland	http://www.eslpartyland.com/
Peak English by Distance Learning	http://www.peakenglish.com
Penguin Graded Readers	http://www.penguinreaders.com/
Planet English	http://www.planetenglish.com
planET	http://www.the-planet.co.uk/
Search: How English words are used	http://sara.natcorp.ox.ac.uk/lookup.html
Spotlight online magazine	http://www.spotlight-online.de/
Turner Learning	http://www.turnerlearning.com/
Words for giving free rice	http://www.freerice.com

Clip Art (Free) to add illustrations to your exercises/games

All Free Clip Art	http://www.allfreeclipart.com
Classroom Clip Art	http://www.classroomclipart.com/
Clip Art	http://www.clipart.com
Free Clip Art	http://www.freeclip-art.com/
Micrsoft Clip Art	http://dgl.microsoft.com/?tLCID=en&nInterface=0
School Clip Art	http://school.discovery.com/clipart/
Language Teaching	http://web.uvic.ca/hcmc/clipart/
Picture Dictionary	http://www.pdictionary.com
Stick figure drawings	http://www.rudolf-matzka.de/flexmax/

Customs and Traditions

Birthday celebrations	http://www.birthdaycelebrations.net/
Christmas songs/recipes/jokes	http://www.christmas.com
Christmas traditions, songs, recipes, jokes	http://www.santas.net
Contact Santa and his Elves	http://north.pole.org/
Easter traditions, songs, recipes	http://www.easterbunnys.net
Easter Traditions	http://www.easter-traditions.com/
Halloween	http://www.jackolanterns.net/

Dictionaries and Language Reference

Cambridge International Dictionary of English	http://dictionary.cambridge.org/
Cliché finder	http://www.westegg.com/cliche
Cobuild	http://www.cobuild.collins.co.uk
Idioms and Quizzes	http://www.geocities.com/athens/aegean/6720
Top Languages of the World	http://www.sil.org/ethnologue/top100.html
Leo English-German Dictionary	http://dict.leo.org/
Lexical origins	http://www.rootsweb.com/~genepool/sayings.htm
Merriam-Webster (+ thesaurus)	http://www.m-w.com
On-line dictionaries for most languages	http://www.yourdictionary.com
Oxford English Dictionary Online	http://www.oed.com
Picture Dictionary	http://www.umass.edu/aesop
Plumbdesign Visual Thesaurus	http://www.plumbdesign.com/thesaurus
Technical German↔English Dictionary	http://dict.tu-chemnitz.de/
Urban dictionary of modern words	http://www.urbandictionary.com
Word of the Day (Webster Dictionary)	http://www.edu.yorku.ca/wotd
Word detective	http://www.word-detective.com/
Worldwide Words – origins of words	http://www.worldwidewords.org/qa/index.htm
Your dictionary: Global languages/Thesaurus	http://www.yourdictionary.com/

Educational Organisations

British Council	http://www.britcoun.org/
British Council - Learning English	http://www.britcoun.org/english/index.htm
British Council Switzerland	http://www.britishcouncil.org/switzerland
British Council – Education links	http://www.britishcouncil.org/education/dir/index.htm

Publisher Sites

Collins COBUILD	http://www.cobuild.collins.co.uk/
Cornelsen	http://www.cornelsen.de/
Cambridge University Press	http://www.cambridge.org/elt/resources/young/
Hueber	http://www.hueber.de/
Klett	http://www.klett.ch/
Langenscheidt	http://www.langlong.de/
Language Teaching Publications	http://www.ltpwebsite.com
Longman	http://www.pearsonlongman.com/young_learners/
Macmillan/Heinemann	http://www.macmillanenglish.com/younglearners/home.html
Macmillan/Heinemann Resources	http://www.onestopenglish.com
Oxford University Press	http://www.oup.com/elt
Penguin	http://www.penguin.co.uk
PONS	http://www.pons.de/
Prentice Hall	http://www.pheurope.co.uk/
Summertown Publishers	http://summertown.co.uk/

Web sites for English Children

Colorful, interactive, fun site	http://www.kidscom.com/
Curriculum for Elementary Education	http://esu8.esu8.k12.ne.us/~esu8web/curriculum/elem.html
Disney fun for all kids	http://www.disney.com/
Internet for Kids	http://www.parentsplace.com/shopping/codys/forkids.cgi?6310
Kids Domain	http://www.kidsdomain.com/kids.html
Kids resources	http://www.weburbia.com/safe/week.htm
Yahooligans - kids' search engine	http://www.yahooligans.com/

Teacher Magazines and Journals

English Language Gazette	http://www.elgazette.com/
English Teaching Professional	http://www.etprofessional.com/
ELT Journal	http://www3.oup.co.uk/eltj
Humanising Language Teaching	http://www.hltmag.co.uk
Modern English Teacher	http://www.onlineMET.com

Teaching Materials and Teacher Support

BBC Schools – Primary level	http://bbc.co.uk/schools
BBC Teaching English	http://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/
British Council (Primary materials)	http://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/download/children.shtml
Cambridge English Readers	http://www.cambridge.org/elt/readers
Cambridge YL Exam Resources	http://www.cambridgeesol.org/teach
Clarity	http://www.clarity.com.hk
Cloze Maker	http://www.cict.co.uk/software/freestuff.htm
Comenius English Language Center	http://www.comenius.com/
Cuisenaire Rods	http://www.cuisenaire.co.uk/
Daily Pages of links for EFL Teachers	http://www.aitech.ac.jp/~iteslj/daily/
Dave's ESL Café	http://www.eslcafe.com/
Developing Teachers	http://www.developingteachers.com/
Discovery School	http://www.discoveryschool.com/
Eclipse Crossword Maker	http://www.eclipsecrossword.com
Edufind On-Line English Grammar	http://www.edufind.com/english/grammar/index.cfm
English File	http://www.oup.com/elt/global/products/englishfile_student
English Grammar Online	http://www.ego4u.de
English Live on-line magazine	http://englishlive.co.uk/
ESL Lounge	http://esl-lounge.com
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	http://www.informationfrombritain.com/
Free lesson materials	http://www.parapal-online.co.uk
Handouts for EFL teachers	http://www.handoutsonline.com/index.shtml
How stuff works	http://www.howstuffworks.com
How to ... make a board game etc.	http://www.wikihow.com
It's On-Line	http://www.its-online.com/
Kid's Jokes	http://www.kidsjokes.co.uk/
Macmillan Graded readers	http://www.onestopenglish.com/booksandcourses/readers
Market Leader Website Lessons	http://www.market-leader.net
Mary Glasgow/Scholastic ELT	http://www.link2english.com
Michael Quinion: New words/derivation	http://www.quinion.com/words/

Mind maps: A visual Thesaurus	http://www.visualthesaurus.com
Mind maps – Inspiration software	http://www.inspiration.com
Mind Maps – Tony Buzan	http://www.imindmap.com/
One Stop English (Macmillan)	http://www.onestopenglish.com
One Word A Day (daily email service)	http://www.owad.de/
Oxford Graded Readers	http://www.oup.com/elt/global/teachersclub/products/readers
Partyland	http://www.eslpartyland.com/
Penguin Graded Readers	http://www.penguinreaders.com
Phonmap – for writing phonemes	http://phonmap.com
Schubi teaching materials	http://www.schubi.com
Search: how English words are used	http://sara.natcorp.ox.ac.uk/lookup.html
Shine	http://www.shine-english.com/
Sky Language Teaching Software	http://www.skysoftwarehouse.com/
Snapshot	http://www.longman.com/snapshot
Supplementary Lesson Worksheets	http://www.efl4u.com/
Teacher's Virtual Campus	http://www.pilgrims.co.uk/
Teacher Trainer Forum	http://www.eltforum.com/
The Linguist List of Information	http://www.emich.edu/~linguist/esl.html
Turner Learning	http://www.turnerlearning.com/
Virtual Teacher's Centre	http://vtc.ngfl.gov.uk/

Teachers' Organisations and Teacher Development

British Council Education Links	http://www.britishcouncil.org/education/dir/index.htm
British Council Switzerland	http://www.britishcouncil.org/switzerland
British Council	http://www.britcoun.org/
CILTS Unit (UCLES CELTA/DELTA)	http://www.edunet.com/ciltsrta
IATEFL	http://www.iatefl.org/
IATEFL Business SIG	http://www.lydbury.co.uk/besig
IATEFL Young Learner SIG	http://www.countryschool.com/ylsig2/index.php
Open University	http://www.open.ac.uk/frames.html
TOEFL	http://www.toefl.org
UCLES	http://www.cambridgeesol.org

Translation Services

Altavista World Translation	http://www.babelfish.com/Translations.shtml
Online translation	http://www.systranbox.co.uk/
Free Translation	http://www.freetranslation.com/

Internet Teacher Reference Books

Dudeney G.	<u>The Internet and the Language Classroom</u> (CUP)
Lewis D.	<u>The Internet and Young Learners</u> (OUP)
Sperling D.	<u>Dave Sperling's Internet Guide</u> (Prentice Hall)
Sperling D.	<u>Dave Sperling's Internet Activity Workbook</u> (Prentice Hall)
Teeler/Gray	<u>How to Use the Internet in ELT</u> (Longman)
Windeatt et al	<u>The Internet</u> (OUP)

Web sites for Young Learners

Enchanted Learning Animals, science, geography, + illustrated nursery rhymes.	http://www.enchantedlearning.com
The EFL Playhouse (For teachers young learners)	http://www.esl4kids.net/
Fun Brain Site for teachers and children	http://www.funbrain.com/
English Club Site for teachers + children	http://www.englishclub.net/
Kidscom	http://www.kidscom.com/
Ask for Kids Kids type in any question (eg. about animals, keeping pets) and get an answer	http://www.askkids.com/
Argosphere Site for children at school and at home	http://www.argosphere.net/
Storytelling	http://www.storyarts.org/classroom/index.html
Story Books Ideas for using story books.	http://www.realbooks.co.uk/
Billybear4kids Animated computer storybooks, clipart, animals, fun and games	http://www.billybear4kids.com/
Kids Jokes	http://www.kidsjokes.co.uk/
Pictures and shapes for colouring	http://www.dltk-kids.com/
Pre-School lesson plans around themes	http://www.funlessonplans.com/
Crayola Colouring books, games, lesson plans	http://www.crayola.com/
Sesame Street Good for fun, games and stories	http://www.sesamestreet.com/
Paw Island For kids who love animals	http://www.pawisland.com/
Aesop's Fables	http://www.umass.edu/aesop
Kids learning English	http://www.learnenglish.org.uk/kids
English Box Songs, Rhymes, Books	http://www.englishbox.de
Activity Village Fun activities for kids	http://www.activityvillage.co.uk
DLTK's Educational Activities	http://dltk-teach.com
Children's Story Books Online (+ sound)	http://www.magickeys.com/books/
Elementary Education Materials	http://esu8.esu8.k12.ne.us/~esu8web/curriculum/element.html
Mary Glasgow ELT (free downloadable lessons)	http://www.link2english.com/
Woodlands Junior School	http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk
Kids at Yahoo (games, jokes and music)	http://kids.yahoo.com/
Make your own comic strip	http://www.makebeliefscomix.com/
Bed Tyme Tales (stories for children)	http://www.bedtymetales.com/
Stories for children	http://www.eurotales.eril.net
British Council (eg Old MacDonald materials)	http://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/download/britlit/oldmac/oldmac.shtml
Primary English Community (support for Primary English teachers based in CH)	http://educanet2.ch/pec/.ws_gen/index.htm
Kids resources	http://www.kizclub.com

Please tell me about any useful sites you find. Contact me at grahamworkman@aol.com