

The following list is a compilation of resources for world language teachers and parents. This list was curated by the Department's World Languages team in collaboration with the Nebraska Department of Education. If you would like to add to the list, please email your suggestions to [Language.Acquisition@la.gov](mailto:Language.Acquisition@la.gov). For additional information please see the Department's [World Language webpage](#).

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\*Some resources may require temporary subscriptions.

\*\*More commonly taught languages in Louisiana are color-coded as follows for ease in locating: **Chinese**, **French**, **German**, **Latin**, **Spanish**

## ONLINE COURSES

Resource	Level	Language
<a href="#">BBC Languages</a> (archived page with some apps that may require older browsers with Javascript) Find below in supplementary materials various videos that were moved to YouTube .	Novice	<b>Chinese, French, German, Spanish</b> , and over 30 more
<a href="#">Deutsch im Blick</a>	Novice	<b>German</b>
<a href="#">Digital Literacy Courses from Microsoft</a>	Basic to advanced digital literacy	<b>French, German</b> , Portuguese, <b>Spanish</b> , Vietnamese
<a href="#">Francais Interactif</a>	Novice	<b>French</b>
<a href="#">KU OLRC Acceso</a>	Intermediate to Advanced	<b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">MIT Languages</a>	Level 1-Literature & Culture	<b>Chinese, French, German</b> , Japanese, Portuguese, <b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">Yale Open Course: Cervantes' Don Quixote</a>	University 300+	<b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">Yale Open Course: Italian Language and Literature</a>	University 300+	Italian

## THEMATIC UNITS

Resource	Level	Language
<a href="#">CASLS Mosaic</a>	Novice - designed for high school	<b>French</b> , Japanese, <b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">COERLL Heritage Spanish</a>	Novice-Advanced	<b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">COERLL Gateway to Chinese</a>	Novice	<b>Chinese</b>

## ONLINE ACTIVITIES

Resource	Level	Language
<a href="#">123TeachMe</a>	Novice	<b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">Apprendre TV5Monde</a> <a href="#">TiVi5 Monde jeunesse</a>	Grades 5 - 12 Novice-Advanced (A1 - B2) Grades PK - 5 Novice-Advanced (A1 - B2)	<b>French</b>
<a href="#">COERLL Languages:</a>	Novice-Advanced	Arabic, Bangla, <b>Chinese</b> , Czech, English, <b>French</b> , <b>German</b> , Hebrew, Hindi, Italian, Japanese, K'iche', Malayalam, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Sanskrit, <b>Spanish</b> , Tamil, Turkish, Urdu, Yoruba
<a href="#">CASLS: Games2Teach</a>	Novice-Advanced	<b>Chinese</b> , Czech, Dutch, English, Finnish, <b>French</b> , <b>German</b> , Italian, Japanese, Korean, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian,

		<b>Spanish</b> , Swedish, Turkish
<a href="#">CASLS: LingroToGo</a>	Novice-Intermediate (High School)	<b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">Goethe Institute</a>	Novice-Intermediate	<b>German</b>
<a href="#">Languages Online</a> (self-paced and self-correcting interactive tasks and printable worksheets)	Novice	<b>Chinese</b> , <b>French</b> , <b>German</b> , Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, <b>Spanish</b> , ESL
<a href="#">Latin Story Resources</a> Compiled by Leslie Hooper	Novice-Advanced	<b>Latin</b>
<a href="#">BrainPop French</a> <a href="#">BrainPop Spanish</a>	Novice-Intermediate	<b>French</b> , <b>Spanish</b>

## ONLINE MUSEUM TOURS

<b>Museum</b>	<b>Content</b>
<a href="#">Bode-Museum, Staatliche</a> Berlin, Germany	Collection of sculptures and forged metals dating back to the Byzantine era
<a href="#">CAFA Art Museum</a> China	Collection of 13,000 works covering a wide variety of genres and styles from ancient to present, China to western countries
<a href="#">Château de Versailles</a> Versailles, France	UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the most visited cultural sites in the world, the Palace of Versailles constitutes one of the finest achievements of French art of the 17th century
<a href="#">Faces of Frida</a>	Collection of art, letters, and reflections by Frida Kahlo from museums around the world.

	<b><i>Some content may be inappropriate for younger students.</i></b>
<a href="#">Gallerie Degli Uffzi</a> Florence, Italy	Famous worldwide for its outstanding collections of ancient sculptures and paintings from the Middle Ages to the Modern period.
<a href="#">Grotte Chauvet</a> Vallon-Pont-d'Arc, France	UNESCO World Heritage Site, the Grotte Chauvet contains drawings dated to more than 36,000 years ago
<a href="#">Musée d'Orsay</a> Paris, France	French artwork between 1848 and 1914 with artwork from Monet, Cézanne, and Gauguin, among others
<a href="#">Musée du Louvre</a> Paris, France	The world's largest art museum hosts over 460,000 objects and displays 35,000 works of art from eight different curatorial departments
<a href="#">Museo de Antropología</a> Mexico City, Mexico	Museum is dedicated to the archaeology and history of Mexico's pre-Hispanic heritage.
<a href="#">Museo Nacional de Arte</a> Mexico City, Mexico	Home to the most important collection of Mexican art in the world
<a href="#">Museo del Prado</a> Madrid, Spain	Described as a museum of painters not of paintings, El Prado houses the largest holdings of Bosch, Titian, El Greco, Rubens, Velázquez and Goya, some numbering more than 100 works.
<a href="#">Museo Reina Sofia</a> Madrid, Spain	Home to Pablo Picasso's Guernica as well as an outstanding representation of the international avant-gardes and neo-avant-gardes artists.
<a href="#">New Orleans Museum of Art</a> New Orleans, Louisiana, USA	New Orleans' oldest fine arts institution hosts an impressive permanent collection of almost 40,000 objects. The collection, noted for its extraordinary strengths in French and American art, photography, glass, and African and Japanese works, continues to expand and grow, making NOMA one of the top art museums in the south.
<a href="#">The Pergamon</a> Berlin, Germany	Museum is home to ancient artifacts including the Ishtar Gate of Babylon and the Pergamon Altar.

## ONLINE TEXTBOOKS

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<a href="#">Hands Up</a>	Novice	Latin
<a href="#">La Litteraire dans le Quotidien</a>	Intermediate-Advanced	French
<a href="#">Trayectos</a>	Novice	Spanish
<a href="#">Plateforme Lib-Manuels</a>	K - 12 Immersion all subjects	French
<a href="#">Biblio Manuels</a>	K - 12 Immersion all subjects	French

## SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS AND AUTHENTIC TEXTS

Resource	Level	Language
<a href="#">BBC Mi Vida Loca video series</a>	Novice	Spanish
<a href="#">BBC Real Chinese</a>	Novice	Chinese
<a href="#">BBC Suenos World Spanish</a>	Novice-Advanced	Spanish
<a href="#">BBC The French Experience video series</a>	Novice	French
<a href="#">Goethe Institute</a>	Novice-Advanced	German
<a href="#">Cervantes Institute</a>	Novice-Advanced	Spanish

<a href="#">LPB</a>	Novice-Intermediate	<b>French</b> programming 3 - 5 pm weekdays 8 - 9 am, 2 - 3 pm weekends
<a href="#">Ma France video series</a>	Intermediate	<b>French</b>
<a href="#">The French Experiment</a>	Novice-Intermediate	<b>French</b> children's stories
<a href="#">Newsela</a>	Novice-Advanced	<b>Spanish</b> (Create a free account. Then sort by language.)
<a href="#">Panda Tree</a>	Novice	<b>Chinese</b> games, activities and children's stories
<a href="#">PBS Kids: Spanish</a>	Novice	<b>Spanish</b> online games
<a href="#">The Spanish Experiment</a>	Novice-Intermediate	<b>Spanish</b> children's stories
<a href="#">Spanish Playground</a>	Novice	Videos to learn <b>Spanish</b>
<a href="#">Unite for Literacy</a>	Novice-Advanced	<b>Spanish</b> (written) but narration available in multiple languages with English text
<a href="#">University of Utah: L2TREC</a>	Immersion Resources	<b>Chinese, French, Spanish</b>
<a href="#">WilBooks</a>	Spanish Immersion Readers Grades PK-2	<b>Spanish</b>

## WL CHOICE BOARD

Choice Boards allow students to select activities according to their interests and available resources. The activities included here were intentionally created to be non-language specific so that they might apply to students of multiple languages. This resource is ready to use as is, but feel free to edit and customize to fit your students' needs and interests.

Use <a href="#">Google Maps</a> or <a href="#">Google Earth</a> to design an itinerary for your family in a city where the language you are studying is spoken.	Watch a movie on a streaming service or on a DVD. Set the language and captions to the language you are studying.	Research traditional dances from a target culture. Learn one and teach it to a friend or family member. Make a video presentation to share with your teacher.	Listen to a song in the target language. Learn the chorus and video yourself singing it, or call a friend and sing it to them.
Investigate recipes online in the target language. Select a recipe and create a shopping list and convert the measurements to the Imperial System. If you can, make the dish for your family or friends.	Go to: <a href="#">Audio Lingua</a> and select a recording in the target language. Create a list of key words from the recording and write a short summary of it.	Research <a href="#">school lunches</a> in a target language country and compare and contrast them to school lunches in the U.S. Write an email in the target language to your teacher with your findings.	Investigate the life and works of a famous artist, writer, scientist, or celebrity from the target language culture. Create a visual presentation in the target language about the person you chose.
Read a book set in a country of your target language. Create a meme in the target language based on the book.	Take a virtual tour of an art museum in a country of the language you are studying. Recreate your favorite piece of art.	Research a monument or tourist site in a country from the target language and create a postcard about an imaginary visit you had. Then, mail/email it to your school.	Go online to your local public library and check out a children's ebook in the target language. Keep a journal of the books you read.
Watch the movie trailer (in the target language) for a movie you're interested in seeing. Write a critique of the movie based on the trailer in the target language.	Select a theme and choose 10 words each week in the target language. Create a set of flash cards and teach the words to a friend or relative.	Explore online the "benefits of being bilingual." Create your own infographic in English that summarizes what you learned.	Watch a TedTalk in your target language or one on "the benefits of learning another language." Discuss what you learned with a friend.

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