

# Achieving higher levels of academic success with Rosetta Stone® English

In the US, the K–12 student population is changing, and so too are its needs. Emergent bilingual students, or English language learners, currently represent 10% of all students in public schools, and by 2025 they'll represent 25%. These students need new and better ways to advance their English language proficiency while also achieving academic success.

Rosetta Stone English can help. An adaptive blended learning program for grades K–6, it supports students' English language development through academic conversations.

- · Integrates three key areas: speaking, listening, and grammar
- Provides personalized speaking instruction, practice, and feedback
- Promotes academic conversations in subjects such as math, science, social studies, general knowledge, and biographies
- Allows students to work independently and progress at their own pace
- Incorporates cultural responsiveness to honor learners' diversity

Students receive more personalized speaking instruction, practice, and feedback with Rosetta Stone English.

Learn more at **rosettastone.com/k12**.

## This program can help students:

- Acquire higher language proficiency levels of English
- Develop academic language and grammar skills in English
- · Stay engaged and motivated
- Gain linguistic competence and confidence
- Feel a greater sense of inclusion and belonging
- Become bilingual or multilingual
- Receive personalized, corrective feedback targeting specific skills and areas of improvement
- · Succeed in school and beyond

# Why Rosetta Stone English?



Helps emergent bilinguals acquire higher language proficiency levels of English

Safe, nonjudgmental environment

Allows practicing to boost student confidence

Cultural responsiveness
Views students' heritage languages and cultures as assets, keeping students motivated

Celebrates learners' achievements
Provides encouragement, confidence, and a sense of belonging to keep students engaged

Academic conversations
Enables mastery of academic language through
purposeful speaking and listening practice

Embedded grammar instruction
Students, regardless of proficiency level, receive explicit grammar instruction and are encouraged to apply their learnings in different subject areas

17 emergent bilingual characters
Relatable and fun characters increase and maintain student engagement

Adaptive blended learning

Students follow individualized learning paths that combine independent, student-driven learning and offline resources for in-classroom application

Speech Recognition Engine

Provides students with immediate, corrective feedback, for better outcomes

Teacher-led resources

Offers students an opportunity to further practice speaking and listening skills

Small-group instruction and peer-to-peer conversations

Creates additional opportunities for students to engage in academic conversations

Branching to instruction with additional scaffolding

Skills and areas of improvement are targeted and addressed

Language frames

Portable language helps students make sense of and properly use grammatical conventions in conversation

### **ENSURING EDUCATIONAL EQUITY FOR ALL**

Rosetta Stone English is designed to improve students' speaking and listening skills and to support academic success and career readiness. The program's ethnically and culturally diverse characters help emergent bilinguals feel more comfortable, understood, and valued as they gain the confidence to more actively engage in classroom discussions and improve their academic outcomes.

Rosetta Stone English can help emergent bilinguals achieve higher levels of success. Learn more at **rosettastone.com/k12**.

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