
English Language Learner Resources

Lancaster Literacy Council

If you need to improve your English after graduating from high school. You should really consider taking these **FREE** ESL classes. It'll help you have access to a better paying job and other opportunities.

<https://literacysuccess.org/>

- The Literacy Council offers English, GED, US Citizenship classes, and much more to adults in the community. All services are free!
- Students must be at least 18 years old to sign up for their services

TEC Centro

Want to work right after graduation? Sign up for one of TEC Centro's short-term training programs. These programs range from a couple of weeks to a few months. There is a one time \$50 registration fee. These jobs are in demand in Lancaster County and you are likely to find a good-paying job after you receive your certification.

<http://teccentro.sacapa.org/>

- TEC Centro provides these bilingual education and skill training programs
 - CNA
 - Dental Assistant
 - Physician Office Assistant
 - Culinary Arts
 - Facilities and Maintenance
 - ForkLift Certification
 - Welding and Metal Casting

Harrisburg Area Community College (HACC)

If you want to attend college but need to improve your English you should look into HACC's English as a Second Language (ESL) program. You will easily transition into your major courses once you test out of ESL and earn up to an associate degree at

HACC. If you wish to continue at another institution you can transfer after earning 12 credits.

https://www.hacc.edu/ProgramsandCourses/Programs/English-as-a-Second-Language.cfm?csSearch=875975_1

- Apply to [HACC](#)
- [Study](#) and take the placement test
- Your adviser will go over your test results and place you in the appropriate English level course
 - Depending on the level that you test in you can decide if starting at HACC is your best option. For example, if you are placed in beginner or basic English you should consider taking the Free English classes at the Literacy Council. After your English has improved reapply & test at HACC.
- You can use your Federal Aid to help cover the cost of classes, but these courses won't count as credits towards your major/graduation requirements. Also, remember if you don't pass the class or stop attending you are responsible for paying back the federal aid.

Millersville University - English Language Institute

<https://www.millersville.edu/international/prospective-students/english-language-learners.php>

- An intensive English training program for students looking to attend Millersville.
- Students need to apply to the program, there is a cost, once accepted students take a placement test.
- Seamless transition into the student's academic program