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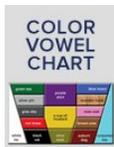
[Create to Communicate: Art Activities for the English as a Foreign Language Classroom](#)

Looking for ways to add art activities to your English language classroom? *Create to Communicate* is filled with great activities and lessons that use art to foster English language development.



[Activate: Games for Learning American English](#)

Are you looking for fun, meaningful activities to use in your classroom? Check out these board games! Game themes require students to produce certain types of expressions so they practice a variety of vocabulary, grammatical patterns, and functional meanings.



[Color Vowel Chart \(2-side color pronunciation chart with activities\)](#)

This is a powerful tool for teaching spoken English. It helps teachers incorporate pronunciation into lessons.

Check out the chart, the teacher's guide, and the webinar on how to teach with The Color Vowel Chart.



[Web Resources for English Language Teaching and Learning, 2018](#)

Find many online tools for your classroom in this 2018 guide of web resources. This guide includes information on tools for Teaching the Four Skills, U.S. Culture, Songs and Games, Teaching Methods, ESL and EFL Websites, Grammar and Vocabulary, Young Learners, and much more!



[American Teens Talk](#)

The interviews in *American Teens Talk!* give learners a view into the lives of adolescents in the U.S. Through the written and audio format of the interviews, learners are able to increase their vocabulary, practice their reading and listening skills, engage in discussions, and learn more about U.S. culture.



[Writing Centers in Multilingual Settings](#)

The material in *Writing Centers in Multilingual Settings* contains practical steps for creating and establishing a writing center in a university or community setting.

Through guided worksheets, step-by-step suggestions, and essential modifiable forms, this resource is essential for anyone wishing to establish a writing center..



[In the Loop](#)

In The Loop is a reference guide to American English idioms. It will not only help students learn the meaning of American idioms, but also give them an understanding of the history, culture, values, and beliefs these idioms reflect. In addition to the idioms themselves, the book contains lists of idioms by theme, some ready-to-use classroom activities, and an index that identifies the original listing and any cross-references to that idiom.



[American English Teacher's Corner](#)

Practical activities and advice for English language teachers in skills and assessment, grammar, professional development, ESP and content-based instruction, global citizenship, critical thinking, student engagement and motivation, and different types of learners and teaching challenges.



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