The Classroom Resources are compiled from the Resources for Developing and Teaching Topic sections on the topic pages. These materials are intended to assist instructors in locating and preparing classroom materials for the themes and topics developed in the curriculum guidelines. Some materials may not be appropriate for a specific LINC level, but are included either as resources for instructors or as materials that can be adapted for learners at specific levels.

This list contains the following categories of materials:

- Assessment and Evaluation
- Books
- Brochures and Pamphlets
- CALL Resources
- ESL Software
- ESL Theory
- Listening Resources
- Pronunciation Resources
- Videos

Resources are arranged alphabetically by title. Some of the resources listed may no longer be in print, but are often still available at LINC centres and public libraries. Web site addresses were active at the time these guidelines were printed. However, URLs often change and web searches may be required to locate them again.

Other sources of information and resources:

1. **Centre AlphaPlus Centre** 2040 Yonge Street, 3rd Floor, Toronto, ON M4S 1Z9
   1-800-788-1120; [http://www.alphaplus.ca](http://www.alphaplus.ca)
   Services provided are:
   - books, audio tapes, videotapes, educational software (CD-ROMs), and periodicals
   - mini-collections that can be sent to remote, isolated, and underserved communities in Ontario
   - a database of information about programs and organizations involved in adult literacy and immigrant language training in Ontario
   - short bibliographies on selected topics called Quick-Lists
   - an index to web resources

2. **Settlement.org**: [http://www.settlement.org](http://www.settlement.org)
   Information useful for settlement workers, immigrants, and refugees about starting a new life in Ontario:
   - general introductions to topics of concern to newcomers and settlement workers
   - on-line documents (e.g., LINC documents, Citizenship and Immigration publications)
   - a database of organizations and contact information
Assessment and Evaluation

Assessing Adult Learners
Susan Ainslie and Alwena Lamping. UK: Centre for Information on Language Training and Research, 1995.

Bettie Baer and Anne Jones. Mississauga, Ont.: Centre for Language Training and Assessment (CLTA), Peel District School Board, 2000.
http://www.clba.com/manual

Canadian Language Benchmarks 2000
http://www.language.ca/home.html


Language Testing in Practice

New Ways of Classroom Assessment

On Target! A Resource Book of Assessment Tasks Referenced to the Canadian Language Benchmarks (Stage One and Stage Two)

Books

A Beginning Look at Canada

A Canadian Conversation Book, Books One and Two


A Grab Bag of Canada, 2001
A Grab Bag of Socializing, 2000
A Grab Bag of Work, 1998
Elizabeth Ganong and Dan Ingram. Toronto: Grab Bag Publishing.

A New Start – Canada

A Toolbox for ESL Tutors
http://www.frontiercollege.ca/english/public/online/Toolbox/cover.htm

Books (cont.)

All Sides of the Issue

Amazing! Interviews and Conversations

Amazing 2! Canadian Newspaper Stories

Basic Grammar in Action, An Integrated Course in English

Being Canadian: Language for Citizenship

Brainwaves

Business Communication Games

Canada Coast to Coast

D. DeRooco and J. Chabot.  Canada: Full Blast Productions.

Canada Works - ESL Teacher's Resource Guide

Canada Year Book

Canadian Concepts 1 to 6, Second Edition

Canadian Crossroads 1 to 3

Canadian Currents

Canadian Global Almanac
Toronto: Macmillan Canada, published annually.

Communicating In The Real World: Developing Communication Skills for Business and the Professions
Books (cont.)

*Culturally Speaking*

*Day by Day: English for Employment Communication*

*English Extra*

*English for Living and Working in Canada*

*Expressways*, Levels 1 to 4, Second Edition
Steven Molinsky and Bill Bliss. USA: Prentice Hall Regents, 1996.

*Famous People with Connections to Canada*

*Foundations*
Steven Molinsky and Bill Bliss. USA: Prentice Hall Regents, 1996.

*Gateway to Canada*

*Getting It Together*, Books One and Two

*Going Places* 1 and 2

*Grammar Connections* 1 to 3

*Great Ideas*

*I Can Do the Job Very Well*

*Interactions II*

*Interchange* 1 to 3, and Intro

*Let’s Celebrate*

*Let’s Talk*, 1 to 3

*Let’s talk, let’s listen*

*Let’s Work Safely*
Books (cont.)

**LINC Classroom Activities**, LINC 1 to LINC 4  

**LINC Parenting Program**  
http://alphaplus.ca/lincdoc/lincpar.htm

**Longman ESL Literacy Student Book**, Second Edition  

**More Picture Stories: Language and Problem-Posing Activities for Beginners**  

**National Directory of Service Companies**  
Mississauga, Ont.: Dun and Bradstreet Canada, published annually.

**National Occupational Classifications, Career Handbook**  
http://www.worklogic.com:81/noc

**New Interchange** 1 to 3, and Intro  

**Newcomer’s Resource Directory**  

**Ontario Reader** 1997 to 2001  
Guenter Zuern, ed.  Toronto, Ont.: Newcomer Communications, published biannually.

**People Express**  

**Picture Stories: Language and Literacy Activities for Beginners**  

**Picture Stories for Beginning Communication**  

**Read On Canada**  

**Scott’s Directories**  
Don Mills, Ont.: Scott’s Directories, published annually.

**Side by Side 1 to 4, Third Edition**  

**Steps to Employment: ESL Manuals to Orient Newcomers to Employment in Ontario**  
http://alphaplus.ca/lincdoc/steps.htm

**Take Charge**  

**Take Part**, Second Edition  
Classroom Resources

Books (cont.)

Thank You For Calling

The Canadian Encyclopedia: Year 2000 Edition

The Basic Oxford Picture Dictionary

The Canadian Labour Market On-Line

The Chicken Smells Good

The ESL Tool Box
Mary Ormiston et al. Saskatoon, Sask.: University Extension Press, University of Saskatchewan, 1994.

The New Grammar in Action 1

The Official Canadian Fax Directory

The Oxford Picture Dictionary, Canadian Edition

The Pizza Tastes Great

Through the Looking Glass: A Workbook to Use with Canada Works
http://wwwsettlementorg/downloads/Looking_Glass_Workbookpdf

Understanding Community Resources

Untangling the Web, A New Canadian’s Guide to Accessing the Internet

What Color is Your Parachute?

When’s the Next Canadian Holiday?

Word by Word Picture Dictionary

Words We Use

Working Skills For Immigrant Women
Brochures and Pamphlets

A Look at Canada
http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/citizen/look/look-00e.html

A Newcomer’s Introduction to Canada
Fax: (613) 954-2221

Bok Choy, Black Beans, Bananas…: A Newcomer’s Guide to Healthy Eating

Canada Prospects
http://www.careerccc.org/canadaprospects

Canada: A Cultural Profile
Fax: (416) 978-7072
http://cwr.uTOronto.ca/cultural/english

Canada’s Food Guide
http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hppb/nutrition/pube/foodguid/index.html

Canadian by Choice

Canadian Human Rights Act: A Guide
Ontario region office: 1-800-999-6899, Fax: (416) 973-6184
http://www.chrc-ccdp.ca (Publications)

Family Violence is Abuse
Tel/Fax: (604) 298-0312

Government of Canada Services for You
Minister of Public Works and Government Services, Canada, 2000.
1-800-O-Canada, 1-800-622-6232

Helping You Bank, Managing Money
Toronto: Canadian Bankers Association 1998.
1-800-263-0231, E-mail: CBAcallcentre@cba.ca
http://www.cba.ca/eng/Publications/pubs_index.htm

How Canadians Govern Themselves
Public Information Office, House of Commons, 1-866-599-4999
http://www.parl.gc.ca/information/about/process/library/forsey/toc-e.htm
Brochures and Pamphlets (cont.)

It's Your Right
(819) 953-6112, Fax: (819)-994-5252, E-mail: rights-droits@pch.gc.ca

Ministry of Transportation of Ontario publications
Ready for Ontario’s Roads: Newcomer’s Guide to Graduated Licensing
School Bus Safety – A Resource Guide
School Bus Stopping Law
Winter Driving
The Driver's Handbook
Downsview, Ont.: Ministry of Transportation, Safety Policy Branch.  
(416) 235-3585

Ontario Job Futures
Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities and Human Resources Development Canada,  
http://www.on.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca/english/lmi/eaid/ojf

Symbols of Canada

Take Charge - Self-Help Series
Fax: (819) 953-7260, E-mail: career-carriere@hrdc-drhc.gc.ca
http://www.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca (type title in the search box)

Teaching Human Rights in Ontario
1-800-387-9080, E-mail: info@ohrc.on.ca
http://www.ohrc.on.ca/english/index.shtml (Public Education)

The Tenant's Survival Manual
(416) 921-9494, ext. 21, E-mail:fmta@torontotenants.org

This Land is Our Life: Our Daily Bread
Yellowknife, NWT: Department of Renewable Resources, 1986.

Welcome to Canada

CALL Resources

Computer Assisted Language Learning: A Software Guide for the LINC Classroom
http://alphaplus.ca/lincdoc/Software/TOC.htm
CALL Resources (cont.)

http://www.vancestevens.com/esl_home.htm
A Web Resource for CALL Lab Managers and for Teachers and Learners of Languages Online
Vance Stevens, Amideast, UAE/MLI Project, Washington, DC.

Byte into English, Bringing English and Computer Skills Together, Preliminary Skills, LINC 2, LINC 3

http://collections.ic.gc.ca/orlac
Computer Resources for ESL

http://edvista.com/claire/call.html
Computer-Assisted Language Learning

Internet for English Teaching

Keystrokes to Literacy: Using the Computer as a Learning Tool for Adult ESL Beginning Readers

Processing Words: Computer Supported Language Lessons for ESL Learners
Mary Hall and George Stewart. Toronto, Ont.: M. Hall, 1996.

http://www.history-of-call.org
The History of CALL

ESL Software

Community Exploration
Compass Learning, San Diego, Calif., 1995.

ELLIS-Intro, Middle Mastery, Senior Mastery, Master Pronunciation
CALL, Inc. USA, 1998.
http://ellis.com

English Express
ACT Laboratory, Richmond, BC, 1995.
http://www.nas.ca/English.htm

Explore Canada
TVLT New Media Language Training, Ottawa, Ont., 1998.

Focus on Grammar
Exceller Software Corp, USA.
http://www.exceller.com

Pronunciation Power
English Computerized Learning Inc, Edmonton, AB, 1996.
http://www.englishlearning.com
# Classroom Resources

## ESL Software (cont.)

**Tense Buster**  
Clarity Language Consultants Ltd, Hong Kong, 1997.  

**Tell Me More Pro**  

**The Rosetta Stone Language Library**, English I and II  
[http://www.rosettastone.com](http://www.rosettastone.com)

**Triple Play Plus**  

## ESL Theory

“Communicative Competence: A pedagogically motivated model with content specifications”  

**Communicative Competence Theory and Classroom Practice, Texts and Context in Second Language Learning**  

**Issues and Options in Language Teaching**  

**Learner-Centredness as Language Education**  

**Second Language Acquisition Research and Language Teaching**  

**Tasks and Language Learning: Integrating Theory and Practice**  

**Teaching English as a Second or Foreign Language**  

**The Elements of Language Curriculum: A Systematic Approach to Program Development**  

“Theoretical bases of communicative approaches to second language teaching and testing”  

**Voices and Visions: Issues, Challenges and Alternatives in Teaching Adult ESL**  

## Listening Resources


About.com Listening Quizzes
Classroom Resources

Listening Resources (cont.)

CLB Listening/Speaking Resource
http://www.iei.uiuc.edu/lcra
Lingua Center Interactive Listening Comprehension Practice
http://www.esl-lab.com
Randall's ESL Cyber Listening Lab
http://www.voanews.com/SpecialEnglish/index.cfm
VOA Radio.com Special English

Pronunciation Resources

A Course in Phonetics, Fourth Edition

Accurate English: A Complete Course in Pronunciation

Clear Speech: Pronunciation and Listening Comprehension in North American English

Current Perspectives on Pronunciation

Jazz Chants

Pronunciation Pairs

Sound Advantage: A Pronunciation Book

Sounds Great: Intermediate Pronunciation and Speaking
http://www.soundsofenglish.org/index.html

Sounds of English
Sharon Widmayer and Holly Gray, George Washington University, Washington, DC.

Teaching American English Pronunciation
Peter Avery and Susan Ehrlich. UK: Oxford University Press, 1992

Teaching Pronunciation: A reference for teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~ilevis/SPRIS

TESOL Speech/Pronunciation Interest Group
http://www.sitech.ac.jp/~iteslj/links/ESL/Pronunciation
The Internet TESL Journal’s List of Pronunciation Links
Videos

Are You Ready? Looking for Work in Canada
London Cross Cultural Learner Centre (519) 432-1133

Canada: A People’s History

Canada 2: The Train Journey

CBC News in Review
Canadian Broadcast Corporation. Toronto, Ont.: CBC Educational Sales, issued 10 times a year from September to May.

Crosstalk

Education in Canada

National Film Board of Canada
Many titles are available at public libraries and some video stores.
1-800-267-7710, Fax: (514) 283-7564
http://www.nfb.ca

Across Generations, 1993
Deadly Deposits, 1996
Dinner for Two, 1987
George and Rosemary, 1992
Green Talk, 1962
My Financial Career, 1996
Neighbours, 1952
Netsilik Eskimo, 1987

Planes, Trains and Automania, 1996
Speaking of Canada, 1992
The Big Snit, 1985
The Blue Dog Safety Video, 1996
Every Dog’s Guide to the Playground, 1986
The Sweater, 1980

http://alphaplus.ca/lincdoc/looking.htm

On Top of the World: Canada 1

Over Canada

Working in Canada: A Newcomer’s Introduction to Canada