

Get started in 3 easy steps!

1. Set up a Teacher account by registering at www.usalearns.org/teacher.



The screenshot shows the USA Learns website interface for teachers. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Instructions, Resources, Apps, and About Us. Below the navigation bar, a large banner features a smiling woman pointing at a screen with the USA Learns logo. The text on the banner reads: "Welcome to USA Learns for Teachers! A Free Site for Teaching English to Adults. You can create online English classes, monitor your students' progress and use easy management tools for teaching English online." There are buttons for "Register" and "Sign in". Below the banner, there are two columns of text. The left column is titled "Teachers use USA Learns to:" and lists several benefits. The right column is titled "Students use USA Learns to:" and lists several benefits. At the bottom, there are two small images of people using the website.

Teachers use USA Learns to:

- Create free online English classes based on USA Learns' 1st English Course, 2nd English Course and Practice English and Reading.
- Enroll students in USA Learns classes.
- Monitor progress of ESL students.
- Easily access class rosters and grade books.

Read about USA Learns in the Classroom and the Overview Guide.

Students use USA Learns to:

- Learn English free!
- Watch video of English lessons and do 1000s of English learning activities.
- Practice English speaking, listening, vocabulary, reading, writing, pronunciation, and grammar.
- Check for understanding and receive immediate feedback.
- Learn everyday American English and life skills.

2. Create classes based on one of the four courses.

3. Students can register any time at www.usalearns.org. Give students your class key, which connects them to you!



USA Learns English Apps *More tools to learn English on the go!*

Download the USA Learns apps for iPhone, iPad, and Android devices.

Based on the 1st English Course, the four available apps each contain five units where students can:

- Learn course vocabulary
- Practice listening and speaking
- Watch videos
- Complete new activities

Available for download at the Apple App Store and Google Play store for only 99¢ each!



USA Learns is a free website to help adults learn English and prepare for U.S. Citizenship. It's easy to start teaching now at:

www.usalearns.org/teacher



USA Learns for Teachers

The perfect way to teach English and U.S. Citizenship online!

The USA Learns for Teachers website enables adult educators to easily create online courses and monitor their students' progress as they complete the activities and lessons.

A teacher may create as many classes as needed based on one of the four current courses — all with one teacher account.

Below is a brief description of each course:

- The **First English Course** is designed for ESL beginner-level adult learners. The video-based activities are sequenced into 20 units of instruction in thematic topics. Activities in each unit build upon previously presented content.



- The **Second English Course** is designed for ESL intermediate-level adult learners. Organized into five topics, this course uses a different video story with an instructive plot and interesting characters.
- The **Practice English Course** offers readings based on real-life news stories. Each story contains reading, vocabulary development, comprehension questions, and a writing prompt.
- **USA Learns Citizenship** prepares immigrants for all aspects of the naturalization interview, including: the steps to becoming a U.S. citizen; the N-400 interview practice; civics, reading and writing practice; the naturalization interview and new citizenship.

Class management features include:

- Gradebooks for individual students or class
- Time tracking per activity
- Messaging tool to communicate with students
- A searchable database of online resources
- Student pretest that helps teachers assess where students should begin
- Technical support for both students and teachers

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Teacher FAQ

Is it difficult to create a class?

No, it's easy! A class can be created in less than five minutes and requires only basic technical skills.

How many classes can I create?

After registering, a teacher can create as many classes as he or she wishes.

How do my students enroll?

After you have created a class, distribute the "class key" to your students. After registering at www.usalearns.org, students can enter a class key by selecting the "Enroll in my teacher's class" link on their homepage.

How many students can enroll in a class?

There are no limits on student registration. You can have as many students in your classes as you wish.

Should my students be concerned about security?

No. USA Learns collects minimal information — only the student's name and email address. We do not collect identifying information.



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