



## Accelerate English Language Proficiency for California Emergent Bilingual Learners

California has the largest English learner student population in the nation. However, **more than half of the state's teachers report their materials do not adequately support tailoring instruction for English learners.**

California educators must be equipped to help Emergent Bilinguals achieve English language proficiency because mastery is critical to their academic success.



**Accelerate English language acquisition and academic achievement for Emergent Bilingual students with Lexia® English Language Development®.** The flexible, evidence-based program meets Emergent Bilinguals' language development needs through academic English speaking and listening practice while incorporating cultural responsiveness to honor students' heritage.

## Accelerate Oral Language Development With Speaking and Listening Practice

Emergent Bilinguals at every proficiency level need frequent opportunities to speak English to develop their oral language skills and achieve academic success.

**Lexia English provides Emergent Bilingual learners with extensive opportunities to practice their speaking, listening, and grammar skills**—building fluency and automaticity with the English language. **Students speak up to 72% of the time in online, independent practice, in addition to face-to-face speaking and listening opportunities** during teacher-led lessons.

In Lexia English, **embedded Speech Recognition Technology provides Emergent Bilinguals with immediate, guided, corrective feedback**—listening for and accepting phoneme blends (diverse accents). Interactive academic conversations empower students to build linguistic confidence in an encouraging environment.





## Support the Diverse Needs of Emergent Bilinguals With Flexible Language Instruction

California’s 1.1 million Emergent Bilinguals are a diverse group of learners due to differences in their exposure to English inside and outside the classroom, as well as mastery of their heritage languages.

Lexia English addresses diverse needs, meeting students where they are and enabling educators to deliver targeted instruction that fits with their programs and environment.

**Differentiated, personalized instruction with Lexia English provides:**

- Immediate speaking and listening practice at the right proficiency level for Newcomers
- Oral language practice with a focus on comprehension to accelerate proficiency for Long-Term English Learners

**Flexible implementation models enable Lexia English to fit into a variety of instructional programs and practices, including:**

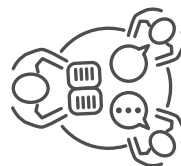
- Designated English Language Development (ELD)
- Dual-language learning
- Sheltered instruction
- Independent, teacher-led, and small-group lessons



**Warmup**  
3 minutes



**Lexia English  
student program**  
13 minutes



**Teacher-led,  
small-group  
instruction**  
12 minutes



**Wrap-up**  
2 minutes



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# Engage Emergent Bilinguals with Culturally Responsive Language Instruction

**Honoring Emergent Bilingual students' life experiences through culturally relevant instruction is essential to accelerating their English language acquisition.** However, more than 60% of California teachers report their instructional materials do not have cultural relevance.

**Lexia English is an asset-based speaking and listening program that creates an inclusive classroom** and a safe, non-judgmental environment that builds students' confidence as they learn academic English.

**Culturally responsive instruction with Lexia English affirms learners of all backgrounds** with 17 culturally and ethnically diverse characters and in-program accent variation, allowing students to see and hear themselves represented in their learning.



## SUCCESS STORY

### More Speaking Practice in English Builds Linguistic Confidence in a California District

Educator Yadhira Rojas was tasked with evaluating whether her district's English language program was supporting the needs of its Emergent Bilingual students. She realized the district's program didn't provide enough opportunities for the students to speak English. She implemented Lexia English and saw incredible improvement.

View the Success Story



I've never seen a program that emphasizes speaking as much—the way that we speak and the way that we use language to respond. It really makes [Lexia English] different.

— **Yadhira Rojas**, Teacher on Special Assignment, Laguna Beach Unified School District, California



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# Improve Academic Language Proficiency for Emergent Bilingual Learners with Lexia English



**Lexia English accelerates Emergent Bilingual students' English language acquisition through academic conversations**, providing students with the English language skills they need for academic success by **integrating speaking, listening, and grammar** in the subjects of math, science, social studies, general knowledge, and biographies.

- Provides personalized speaking instruction, practice, and feedback
- Targets oral language and grammar skills at the right proficiency level for each learner
- Blends language learning with subject-area content to improve academic outcomes
- Combines independent, online student learning with face-to-face, teacher-led lessons
- Provides real-time data to personalize instruction based on each student's language proficiency

## **Increase English language proficiency for Emergent Bilingual learners with research-proven instruction.**

When using Lexia English:

- Students scored **15 points higher** on the overall ELPAC
- Two in five students advanced to the next CA ELD proficiency band
- Students scored **18 points higher** on the ELPAC oral domain

## **Lexia English equips California educators to improve outcomes for Emergent Bilinguals:**

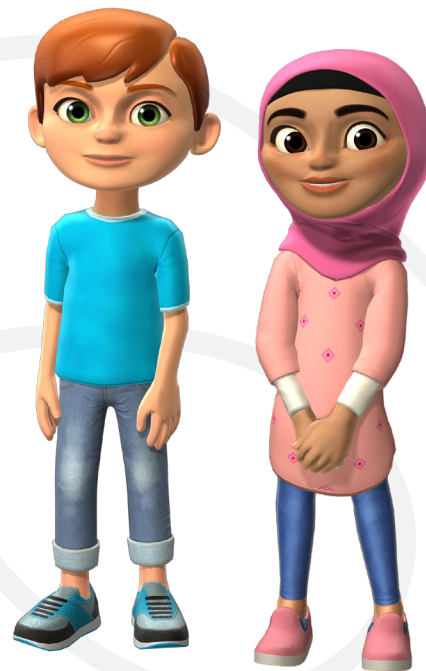
- Aligns to California English Language Development (ELD) Standards
- Provides data monitoring that aligns to the CA ELD Standards proficiency levels
- Supports the California English Learner Roadmap

Lexia English

**+15 POINTS**  
on ELPAC\* Test

**+18 POINTS**  
ELPAC\* Oral Domain

*\*English Language Proficiency Assessments for California*



**Contact the Lexia California team to learn more.**