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University Career Services

Free Resources for Learning or Improving Your American English

For Boston Residents only:

Get a Boston Public Library card. The main library and its branches offer free English Conversation Groups and other English learning opportunities.

Auralog is a language learning software program available through the Boston Public Library online, and can be found under Electronic Resources on the webpage

<http://www.bpl.org/electronic/alpha.asp>.

Libraries in other nearby cities

The public libraries in most cities offer free English as a Second Language (ESL) groups. If you live in the city, you can get a public library card for free. Google the public library of the city you live in to find its locations. Malden, Cambridge and Somerville all have at least weekly ESL groups.

On the library website, look for Library Resources, which will list other services you can get access to. For example, Mango is another language learning program, available through the Somerville Public Library and possibly others.

NUCALLS

<https://spreadsheets.google.com/formResponse?formkey=dEJkdk5OcS1LbWJkZGNncEwycHRQcIE6MQ&theme=0AX42CRMsmRFbUy0xOGQxNWl3Yi01NzQzLTQ1ZjUtOTk4OS1kODRIZWIwNjMxZTU&ifq>

This very long link leads to NUCALLS, an NU student run language teaching program. You can learn English and also sign up to teach your native language. If you lose the link, google NUCALLS.

Resources You Must Pay For

If you have a good understanding of English grammar but mostly have difficulty being easily understood because of your accent, the Speech Language and Hearing Center of Northeastern University <http://www.slpa.neu.edu/center.html> has a clinic which may be able to help you with accent modification. Find further information contact 617-393-2492.

The Boston Language Institute <http://www.bostonlanguage.com/> has a variety of classes. See the next page for Language School Options from the College of Professional Studies



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Language School Options

Many of these programs are for students who have not yet passed the Toefel, although they may also have programs for others who wish to improve their English speaking skills.

These programs are not affiliated with Northeastern University

Kaplan International Center at Northeastern University

Phone: 213.452.5800

Website: www.kaplaninternational.com

360 Huntington Avenue

Boston, MA 02115

Boston Language Institute

Phone: 617.262.3500

Website: www.bostonlanguage.com

648 Beacon Street, Suite 3

Boston, MA 02215

Berlitz Language Center

Phone: 617.266.6858

Website: www.berlitz.us

437 Boylston Street

Boston, MA 02116-3330

EC Boston

Phone: 1.617.247.3033

Website: www.ecenglish.com

79 Boylston Street

Boston, MA 02116

ASC English

Phone: 1.617.338.5288

Website: www.ascenglish.com

65 Harrison Avenue, 6th Floor

Boston, MA 02111