



# Middle School



## World Languages At-Home Resources



Online or screen time resources



Offline/no screen time resources

WORLD LANGUAGES RESOURCES (SCREEN TIME OR WITH TECHNOLOGY)		
Name of Site and Link	Description/Directions/Explanation	Course
<b>Canva</b> <a href="https://www.canva.com/">https://www.canva.com/</a>	Do some research on the benefits of being bilingual (or a similar topic related to language study) and create an infographic with your findings.	All Spanish classes
<b>Metric Conversions</b> <a href="https://www.metric-conversions.org/">https://www.metric-conversions.org/</a>	Investigate recipes online in the target language and make the dish if you can. (Great way to practice math, too, when you convert from milliliters to teaspoons, for example.)	All Spanish classes
<b>One of many sites with virtual museum tours</b> <a href="https://hyperallergic.com/547919/2500-virtual-museum-tours-google-arts-culture/">https://hyperallergic.com/547919/2500-virtual-museum-tours-google-arts-culture/</a>	Take a virtual tour of an art museum in a target language country. Who is your favorite artist there? Which piece of art speaks to you?	All Spanish classes
<b>Google Earth</b> <a href="https://www.google.com/earth/">https://www.google.com/earth/</a>	Use Google Earth and take a virtual tour of a city in a target language country. What is similar to where you live? What is different?	All Spanish classes
	Watch music videos from artists in the target language. Choose one song and learn the words to it from memory.	All Spanish classes
<b>Digital Dialects</b> <a href="https://www.digitaldialects.com/">https://www.digitaldialects.com/</a>	This site has language learning and vocabulary practice games in many languages	All Spanish classes
<b>Duolingo</b> <a href="https://www.duolingo.com/">https://www.duolingo.com/</a>	This site can teach you new languages or help you build and reinforce your skills in one you already know.	All Spanish classes
<b>Fort Bend County Libraries</b> <a href="https://www.fortbend.lib.tx.us/">https://www.fortbend.lib.tx.us/</a>	Go online for your local public library and check out eBooks in the target language.	All Spanish classes

<p><b>Alphadictionary.com</b> <a href="https://www.alphadictionary.com/fun/tongue-twisters/index.html">https://www.alphadictionary.com/fun/tongue-twisters/index.html</a> <b>Omniglot</b> <a href="https://www.omniglot.com/language/tonguetwisters/index.htm">https://www.omniglot.com/language/tonguetwisters/index.htm</a></p>	<p>Find tongue twisters in the target language to practice your pronunciation.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
	<p>Watch a news broadcast in the target language and one in English. What stories are the same in the two broadcasts? What's different?</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
<p><b>Netflix</b> <a href="https://www.netflix.com/">https://www.netflix.com/</a></p>	<p>Netflix has many programs in other languages, and you can put on English subtitle or subtitles in the target language to help with comprehension. Try it both ways and see how much you can understand.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
<p><b>YouTube</b> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/">https://www.youtube.com/</a></p>	<p>Watch cartoons in the target language. Cartoons are generally created for a younger audience so the language is not as sophisticated. Try Googling or searching YouTube using this phrase in the target language "cartoons in (language)" (e.g. dibujos animados en español)</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
	<p>Call or face time a friend who is studying the same language and try to have an entire conversation in the target language.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
	<p>Follow celebrities on social media who speak the target language. If your parents allow it, try interacting with them in the target language.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
<p><b>Magazines from Foreign Languages from Around the World</b> <a href="https://shop.multilingualbooks.com/pages/magazines-in-foreign-languages-from-around-the-world">https://shop.multilingualbooks.com/pages/magazines-in-foreign-languages-from-around-the-world</a></p>	<p>Read magazines or newspapers online in the target language. For lower-level students, try to find as many words and phrases as you can easily understand. For upper-level students, see if you can write a summary in your own words of one of the articles you read.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
	<p>Have a texting conversation with your friends in the target language.</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>
	<p>Start a group story in the target language and email it to your friends. Each person adds a sentence or two and then passes it to the next person. DON'T USE GOOGLE TRANSLATE! USE WHAT YOU KNOW!</p>	<p>All Spanish classes</p>

	Google "Memes in (language)" in the target language (e.g. mèmes en français). Read several, then try to create your own. You can find many meme-maker apps online.	All Spanish classes
	Watch a movie that you are very familiar with in English, but dubbed in the language you are studying. Since you are so familiar with the plot, focus on how much language you can understand.	All Spanish classes
<b>Schoology to access Clever to access This Is Language</b> <a href="https://fortbendisd.schoology.com/">https://fortbendisd.schoology.com/</a> Click on waffle for the apps within Schoology, choose Clever, then choose This Is Language	Go to This is Language through Clever in Schoology and choose some videos to listen to or play Nutty Tilez	All Spanish classes
	Write a blog or make a vlog (video blog) of your days. What do you do/did you do each day? What is fun? What is hard? What do you miss most? What do you appreciate the most?	All Spanish classes

**WORLD LANGUAGES RESOURCES/ACTIVITIES (NO SCREEN TIME OR TECHNOLOGY)**



Description	Course
Label everything in your room or house in the target language. Teach the words to your family members. Challenge yourself to use these words every day.	All Spanish classes
Research the art of an artist from a target language country. Select one piece of art and draw or make your own version of it.	All Spanish classes
Use Scrabble or Bananagram letters or make your own letter cards to create a crossword puzzle containing as many target language words as you can think of.	All Spanish classes
Write a story in the target language. Try to add one or two sentences each day. When you are completely out of ideas or vocabulary, start a new story.	All Spanish classes
Keep a journal of your day during this time. What do you do/did you do each day? What is fun? What is hard? What do you miss most? What do you appreciate the most?	All Spanish classes