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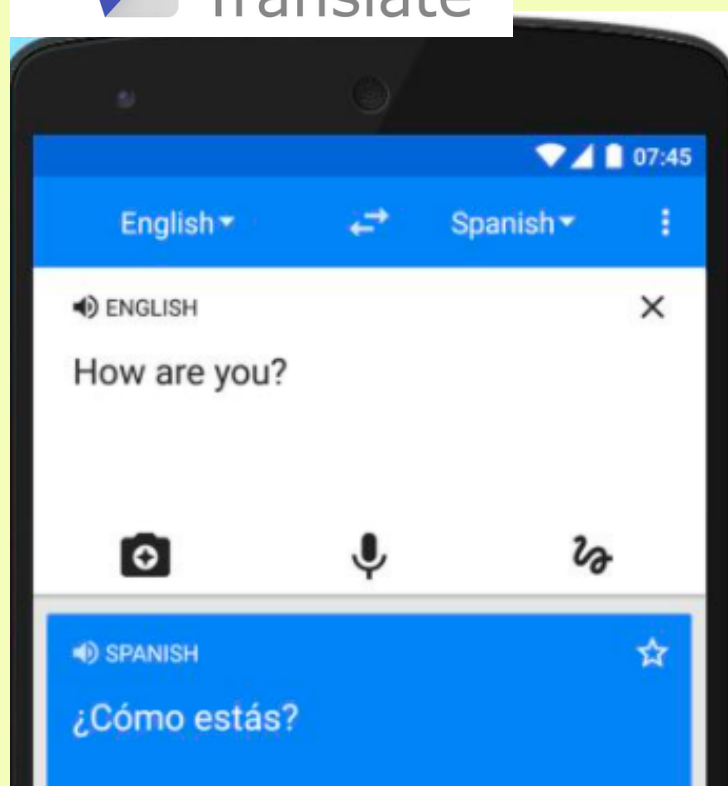
to support EAL learners



There are numerous ways you can use Google Translate to help support your EAL learners.

Over 100 languages are supported and it can be particularly useful with those children who are 'new to English' and are therefore more heavily reliant on their first language. The translations might not always be perfect, but they can be better than nothing. Usually translations can either be read or spoken, if the speaker icon is available, which can be useful if the child is not literate in first language.

Google Translate is improving all the time and can be a useful tool to support inclusion in the classroom.



Free App - available for tablets and phones

This free app allows you to speak, write or use the camera to translate between 90 languages on iPads, tablets and mobile phones.

There are options for 'Conversation' or 'Transcribe' too.

It can even translate offline if you download the translation file first.

You can have conversations with your 'new to English' children through it and some schools place it on the pupil's desk as the teacher is speaking so that it translates live what they are saying. This can aid understanding and involvement in the lesson if the child can read in first language, or be played back after by using the speaker icon option (if available).

Text can also be copied in and translated in the same way.

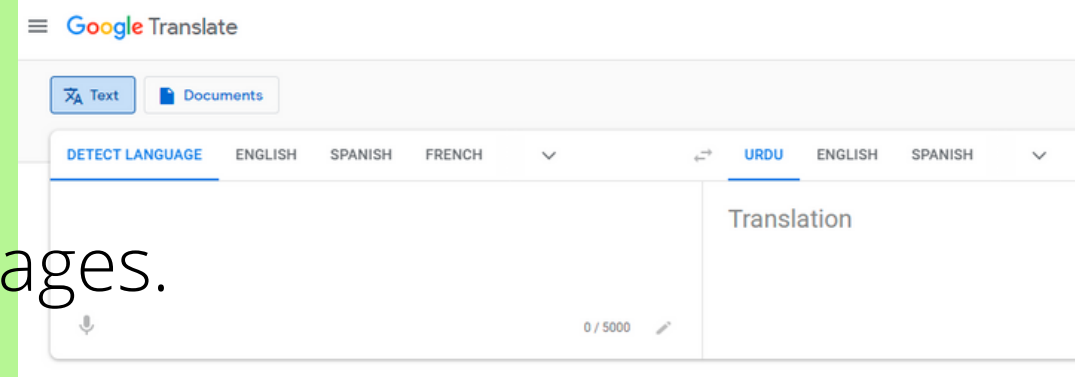


Free on the web - for PCs and laptops

translate.google.com

Web browser version of the app including speech, text and handwriting. Virtual keyboards are available for many languages.

You can also upload documents to translate.



Using in Google Docs (with Chrome Browser)

Google Docs is Google's word processor which can

translate whole documents or text.

You can **change typing language** with virtual keyboards and also **type with your voice** in lots of languages, which can then be translated back to English. Click the hyperlinks to find out more.

Google Translate can also be used in **Google Classroom** - an instruction sheet is available from EDS.



Read Aloud - A text to speech extension on Chrome & Edge. Supports 40+ languages. Reads what's on screen.

Instantly translates and preserves the layout of any document format into any language. Free.

