

Kerrville Independent School District Bilingual – ESL Program

Bilingual - ESL Program Overview

Both the Bilingual and the ESL (English as a Second Language) Programs are designed to help students learn English and be successful in all subjects taught in Kerrville Independent School District.

The Bilingual Program uses both Spanish and English to teach state – required curriculum in our K-5 classrooms. The Bilingual Program is available at Daniels Elementary and Starkey Elementary.

The ESL Program integrates English listening, speaking, reading and writing. ESL students learn functional, social and academic vocabulary in English by communicating in English with native English speakers in the school community. The ESL program is available at all KISD campuses.

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Bilingual - ESL links

www.nabe.org

National Association for Bilingual Education - Learn about relevant legislation and policies, and look over press releases.

www.ed.gov/espanol/bienvenidos/es/index.html

This site is sponsored by the US Department of Education and is primarily in Spanish. It is aimed to provide resources to Spanish speaking parents.

www.colorincolorado.org

This site is a bilingual site for families and teachers of bilingual – ESL students that focuses on reading.

www.audiobooksforfree.com/home

This site has many audio-books that you can download for free and some you can purchase.

www.quia.com/mc/65819.html

This site has a basic vocabulary matching game that can easily be played at home.

www.manythings.org

This site is an interactive learning site designed for ESL learners.