

INDEPENDENT SELF-STUDY RESOURCES

- <https://youglish.com/>
 - finds real examples of a word or phrase on youtube, providing varied contexts and also pronunciation. Great for getting a feel for new vocabulary and guessing the meaning from context
- <https://quizlet.com/es>
 - make your own sets of flashcards for recording and reviewing class content.
- <https://dictionary.cambridge.org/plus/>
 - Extra practice games and activities
- <https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/>
 - Online dictionary with many examples, related words, pronunciation... You can also click on 'Thesaurus' to explore synonyms
- <http://www.phonemicchart.com/>
 - the phonemic symbols organised according to sound and the position of the articulators required to make that sound
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/english/features/pronunciation>
 - pronunciation videos
- <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/>
 - news stories with a number of reading and listening activities. Good for current news, although the exercises depend more on finding the information and noting it in the same words as in the text, rather than expressing it in your own words
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/>
- <https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/learning-english/>
- <https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/>
 - in all the above, choose your level, skill, area of practice...lots of practice materials
- <https://writeandimprove.com/free>
 - writing practice with automatic feedback. There are many tasks at different levels
- <https://speakandimprove.com/>
 - speaking practice: choose a task, do it, and then get an evaluation of your answer against the CEFR scale (A1 to C2). Listen to your response, think how you can improve it, and submit another recording!
- speech to text: <https://speechnotes.co/>
- text to speech: <https://luvvoice.com/en>