When I catch up...
I feel more confident.
I work harder.
I believe... I’m possible.

LANGUAGE! Live
Grades 5–12

EFFECTIVE.
FLEXIBLE.
INNOVATIVE.

LANGUAGE! Live is a comprehensive blended learning solution for struggling adolescents that inspires a new level of confidence and drive to help students become proficient readers.

Believe in the possibilities.
EFFECTIVE

LANGUAGE! Live merges leading-edge research and data-driven assessment in a unique, motivational, classroom-tested approach. It’s effective because it fosters both foundational and advanced learning. Multiple entry points allow for students to receive instruction that has the most impact on their learning. 

It meets students where they are and gets them where they need to be.

ALMOST 2 YEARS’ GROWTH IN ONE YEAR!

With LANGUAGE! Live, a good implementation equals good results. Students exceed typical gains and close the gap faster than with any other literacy product. For example, with a 45-minute implementation, it is common for teachers to facilitate classrooms in which students have completed 6 to 7 units in Word Training and Text Training. Research shows that a well-balanced program leads to great results.*


My first (benchmark test) was 480.
My next one was 900-something.
I freaked out.
—Walter, Student, Bartlett High School, Anchorage, AK

RESEARCH-DRIVEN. CLASSROOM-PROVEN.

Dr. Moats is an internationally recognized literacy expert and the author of LANGUAGE! Live. She’s spent her career identifying and investigating the causes and remedies for reading failure. Her research is the backbone of LANGUAGE! Live.

- Former site director of the NICHD Early Interventional project in Washington, D.C.
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BLENDED INSTRUCTION

*LANGUAGE! Live* is a blended model that combines the power of teacher instruction to online practice and instruction.

There are **two** major components:

1. **ONLINE WORD TRAINING** uses technology to strengthen foundational literacy skills.
   - Vowels and Consonants
   - Word Reading and Blending
   - Syllabication
   - Prefixes and Suffixes
   - Greek and Latin Roots

2. **TEACHER-LED TEXT TRAINING** leverages teacher guidance for close reading of challenging, relevant texts.
   - Vocabulary/Morphology
   - Grammar/Usage
   - Reading Comprehension
   - Writing
   - Listening/Speaking

100 percent of the students who have participated in the *LANGUAGE! Live* program have seen significant growth.

—Maurice D. Cannon, Executive Principal, Burke Middle School, Charleston, SC
WORD TRAINING FILLS THE GAPS

It’s hard to improve when you’re mired in the fundamentals. It can be embarrassing tripping over and sounding out simple words. **Online Word Training** fills gaps students missed in earlier grades. It addresses foundational skills including phonics, spelling, sentence structure, and fluency. Mastering these skills lets students advance with more confidence and ease.

Students get consistent, interactive online lessons tailored to their own needs. They can practice privately and independently.

- Independent reading
- Tutorials from expert and peer coaches for fun, authentic, and relevant learning
- Checkpoints for understanding and ongoing progress monitoring
- Encoding and decoding activities
- Ongoing fluency practice in which students record their readings to track progress

"They’re filling in the gaps they missed in elementary school. And that was something I was not able to do prior to this program."

—Jennifer McMillan, Master Reading Teacher
Burke Middle School, Charleston, SC
FINDING PROMISE

Once they begin to read, their confidence boosts. Smiles return. The impossible becomes possible.

**LANGUAGE! Live** fosters this growth with **Text Training**, which builds on students’ foundational skills. Teacher-led instruction helps them advance with better vocabulary, grammar, comprehension, and, unlike other programs, extensive writing practice.

Students feel more confident because they move over time from simple, direct language to more varied language and more complex text. Age-appropriate materials help build beginning learning skills used by their peers, like critical thinking, connecting reading and writing, and close reading of challenging, grade-level texts.

Teachers can use small-group instruction and both printed and online **Text Training** components to foster discussion, while helping students improve reading comprehension.

*The text training helps us practice pre-reading, close reading, re-reading, [and] guided highlighting on what we’ve read already twice.*

—Kate Townsend, Master Reading Teacher
Morningside Middle School, Charleston, SC

**LANGUAGE! Live** has been effective with English learners, dyslexic students, students with language deficits and specific reading difficulties, and more.

- Vocabulary building
- Word study
- Grammar and syntax training
- Reading comprehension
- High-quality, high-interest text
- Extensive writing practice and instruction
- Engaging multimedia projects

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Getting students to read requires getting and keeping their interest. ReadingScape is an online, interactive library containing literary and informational texts divided into three levels for student self-selection. The visual, audio, and interactive capabilities encourage more wide-reading opportunities.

When they are prompted to write, it’s very guided and it goes with the reading. We’ve been talking about the reading, we’ve been talking about the questions instead of just trying to get strategies from all over the place. LANGUAGE! Live has strategies for almost everything.
—Rebecca Lowry, Teacher, Zucker Middle School Charleston, SC

Teachers can give students a Power Pass. Power Pass uses a high-stakes test format to help prepare students for state testing, monitor progress, and move students toward grade-level expectations. Students read independently-assigned text, answer two-part, multiple-choice questions and respond to writing prompts using text evidence.
When I support them…

I celebrate their growth.

I believe I can make a difference.

I believe…

literacy is possible.
When we went from negatives and now my kids are scoring in the five to six hundreds, it tells me the program works.

—Annette Shokes, Teacher, Burke High School, Charleston, SC
ONE SOLUTION. GUARANTEED RESULTS.

LANGUAGE! Live offers more features in one comprehensive solution—without restrictive purchasing options, hosting fees, or costly add-ons.

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They’ve been in elementary school for six years and they come to me as a 2nd grade reader. They leave here a near grade-level reader; a literate adult-level reader when they leave here with three years of LANGUAGE! Live intervention.

—Karen Loy, Principal, Northwest Middle School
Knox County Schools, TN

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FLEXIBLE TRAINING THAT COUNTS

Teaching literacy is a unique skill and requires training. You need a solution that makes it easy to learn and implement.

**LANGUAGE! Live** simplifies it all with expert support, comprehensive teacher training, and on-demand coaching to successfully prepare teachers. Teachers learn from the best, which allows them to better connect with struggling readers.

In addition, our Support Services team is on-demand for everything from pre-implementation planning to post-launch evaluation.

When you choose **LANGUAGE! Live**, this dynamic program now includes renewable access to our innovative integrated learning platform, featuring improved efficacy and better program understanding, and targeted professional development content.

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“It really helped me understand what a good reading lesson looks like and what a good lesson looks like for someone who’s not on grade level.”

—Andrea Ensor, Teacher
Northwest Middle School, Knox County, TN

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**Also Available:**

**LANGUAGE! Live** embodies and applies the ideas and methods taught in **LETRS** *(Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling).*

**LETRS** is a series of professional development modules that teach educators about the science of reading and its application. The theoretical models, research-based teaching principles, language concepts, instructional routines, and activities are deeply embedded in the **LANGUAGE! Live** program.

To find out more about this professional development program, visit www.voyagersopris.com/letrs.
ANY CLASSROOM. ANYWHERE.

LANGUAGE! Live also provides the flexibility to implement in any classroom. It can be taught in blended class models or as a standard model where students work online and with teacher-led instruction every day.

“This is such an easy program where I can do small group with books and have my students be on the computers, and it’s an easy transition to switch.”

—Jennifer McMillan, Master Reading Teacher
Burke Middle School, Charleston, SC
This program is life changing, and it’s generational. It affects that child, their children, their children’s children. It’s all about breaking that cycle… so they can advance in their careers and have the lives that they deserve.

—Antavia Hamilton-Ochs, Bartlett High School, Anchorage, AK

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