

# See What We Have:

## World Language Collections

- Daily newspapers in Chinese, Japanese and Korean
- Extensive collections in the following languages:
  - Chinese (in both Simplified and Traditional)
  - Japanese • Korean • Spanish • French
  - Russian • Albanian • German • Italian
- Free Tech Lab for the Ridgewood community, where we can show you modern language learning technology.
- BCCLS catalog includes materials in multiple languages.
- 24/7 Online Access: Read *The Record* & *The Ridgewood News* in 18 languages! Including Chinese, French, Russian and Polish. Also available for listening in 11 languages. Accessible onsite at Ridgewood Library.
- e-Magazines available in Chinese, Russian and Spanish.
- Download eBooks and eAudiobooks in Spanish, Russian, Korean and other languages.
- World language films and language instruction available through Kanopy.
- Spanish and French language eBooks and eAudiobooks, plus English language instruction available through Hoopla.

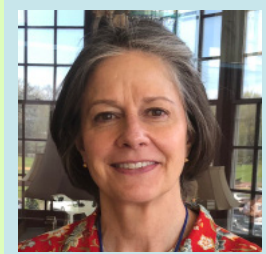
# Do You Know:

We have students from all over the world!  
As of February 2020:

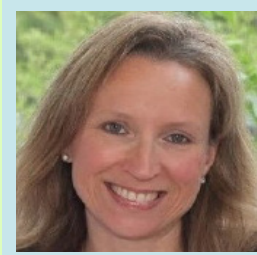
Argentina	France	Poland
Armenia	Germany	Romania
Belarus	Honduras	Russia
Brazil	Hungary	Spain
China	India	Syria
Colombia	Iran	Turkey
Costa Rica	Japan	Ukraine
Dominican Republic	Korea	Venezuela
Ecuador	Latvia	
Egypt	Mexico	
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# Meet Our Staff:



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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1pm - 5pm</b>

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# ESL SERVICES

English as a Second Language  
@ Ridgewood Public Library

2019-20 Programs

# Teach & Learn:

## Ongoing Programs

At the Library, ESL programs are offered year-round:

- **Personalized Lessons**  
*1 to 1; Beginners only.* One student to a tutor. Once a week.
- **Classes in small groups**  
*Up to 3 students/class; advanced beginner to intermediate.* Once a week.
- **Conversation groups**  
*Up to 6 students/class; intermediate to advanced.* Once a week.
- **Specialized Classes**  
**Everyday English** (Advanced Beginner/Low Intermediate): Concentrate on the essentials of reading, writing, speaking and listening.  
**Cultural English** (Intermediate): Explore creative expression through various cultural and artistic forms.



# Upcoming:

## Spring 2020

- **Everyday English**  
(Advanced Beginner/Low Intermediate)  
Registration required.  
Tuesdays & Thursdays: 9:30am-11:00am  
March 24 - May 21  
*Fees apply*
- **Cultural English**  
(Intermediate +)  
Registration required.  
Wednesdays: 7:00-8:30pm  
March 25 - May 20: Photography & Poetry  
*Fees apply*

- **Annual International Luncheon**

Friday, June 5: 11:30am-2:00pm  
A wonderful event to end our ESL year. In the Spring, we honor our dedicated volunteer tutors and reward ESL students for their achievements.

# Looking Ahead:

## Summer 2020

- **Teen 2 Tween**  
July & August; June 29 - August 14  
For ESL students (RPL cardholders) gr. 3-9. Meet with high-school volunteer tutors throughout summer at a mutually convenient time for 8-10 one-hour sessions. Tutors will help students maintain their English skills by talking together, reading, playing board games and using other fun tools.  
  
Know a Ridgewood student grades 9-12 who would like to tutor an ESL student this summer? Contact Larissa Brookes: [lbrookes@ridgewoodlibrary.org](mailto:lbrookes@ridgewoodlibrary.org) or 201-670-5600 x 137 for information.
- **Summer Drop-In Conversation**  
June 30 - August 5  
Tuesdays: 9:30am-11am  
Wednesdays: 7pm-8:30pm  
No registration; all are welcome.



# TEEN 2 TWEEN ESL

