English Language Learning Resources for teachers, learners, and parents

The first two links are courses open as from 18 May 2020

1. Exploring English: Language and Culture looks at British culture and examines English in use to help improve English language skills:

   https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/explore-english-language-culture

2. Teaching for Success: Lessons and Teaching looks at planning, resources, managing classes, and professional development:

   https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/english-language-teaching

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/teaching-success-self-study-guides

FutureLearn - How to teach online
https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/teach-online

Nile - Take your teaching online
https://www.nile-elt.com/courses/course/790/

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/sites/teacheng/files/pub_30510_BC%20Explore%20Actions%20Handbook%20ONLINE%20AW.pdf

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/

https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org

https://learnenglishteens.britishcouncil.org

March/April 2020

Four webinars on theme of Online teaching. 30-minute presentations + 30 minutes Q&A

Date	Title	Speaker(s)	Audience
March 20 (3pm UK)	Teaching online - Using the coursebook / Using breakout rooms (Recording)	Lindsay Clandfield & Carol Rainbow	Teachers
March 27 (3pm UK)	Teaching online (If the tech fails / Structuring lessons https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/teaching-online-if-tech-fails-structuring-lessons	Helen Strong & Anne Fox	Teachers
April 3 (7pm UK)	Teaching online - Tech tools / The tutor's role https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/teaching-online-tech-tools-tutors-role	Ceri Jones & Robert Martinez	Teachers

April 9 (11.30am UK)	Supporting and mentoring teachers remotely. https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/teaching-online-supporting-mentoring-teachers-remotely	Beth Caldwell & Neenaz Ichaporia	Teacher educators

Here is a list of MOOCs for April:

Exploring English: Shakespeare - starts 6
April: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/explore-english-shakespeare

Understanding IELTS: Writing - starts 27
April: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/understanding-ielts-writing

Understanding IELTS: Listening - starts 27
April: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/understanding-ielts-listening

Migrants and Refugees in Education: A Toolkit for Teachers - starts 6
April: https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/migrants-and-refugees-in-education

Website with storybooks for early reading in multiple languages, including Nigerian languages:

Are you looking for **FREE DIGITAL READING RESOURCES** to use with your own children or children in the classes you teach?

Are you interested in resources in **MULTIPLE LANGUAGES**?

Do you want to be able to **PRINT** the resources and not only view them online?

Do you need to be able to **DOWNLOAD** resources and then use them when you are offline?

Are you interested in apps that help you **MAKE** resources, **READ** them, and teach young children **HOW TO READ**?

The British Council has worked in partnership with the African Storybook and Nigerian writers to make children's stories in multiple Nigerian languages, including English.   Check out **African Storybook**, this site has picture storybooks that are completely free and open.

African Storybook website allows you to download and read offline, as well as download to print. The **African Storybook Reader App** is free to download from Google Play or Apple's App Store.

The **African Storybook Maker** allows you to create storybooks with your own photographs, with photographs of drawings that children have made, or with existing images from the African Storybook website. There is space for a picture and text on each page. It works offline from a tablet or smartphone. When you are online, you can publish your storybook on the African Storybook website.