



the summer of **yes!**

Guide to English Language Development

Give multilingual learners the specialized support they need with Imagine Language & Literacy®

yes!

YES



alegría	happiness
hablar	to speak
pequeñas	small
habitación	room



YES!

Say 'YES!' to Multilingual Superpowers

Summer is the perfect time for students to continue momentum on their language acquisition journey, especially with an evidence-backed program that they can engage with independently from their devices. Imagine Language & Literacy includes unique scaffolds and resources for MLs in grades PreK–6, including language development activities and optional first-language support — all accessible from school or home.

PROVIDE FIRST-LANGUAGE SUPPORT

Human-voiced audio support is available in 15 languages. As students become more proficient in English, first-language support is strategically withdrawn, and students are gradually transitioned to independence.



ENABLE CROSS-LINGUISTIC CONNECTIONS

Students recognize initial sounds in English that are also used in their first language. The program also addresses English sounds not found in a student's first language.



BUILD ON LANGUAGE COMMONALITIES

Students learn about rhyme in their first language to build background knowledge. Next, they're taught rhyming sounds in English with modeling, visuals, and interactive practice.

- Rhyming sounds with modeling activity

Combine with Imagine Español® for K–5 dual-language programs

Accelerate Spanish language and literacy development with Imagine Español's culturally relevant, authentic instruction. With adaptive learning pathways and explicit and systematic instruction and practice, it's the perfect complement to Imagine Language & Literacy.

3 Summer Learning Ideas for Bilingual Success

① SUMMER LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT

- ❑ Have students take the initial assessment in Imagine Language & Literacy, Imagine Español, or both (depending on your program).
- ❑ Ensure students spend at least 20 minutes a day in one of the two programs — 20 minutes a day, two times per week is all it takes for significant language gains.
- ❑ Use the Data Dashboard to locate discrete skills your students need to work on and print our Offline Resources to support small group instruction.

② ADD ON TO EXISTING SUMMER PROGRAMS

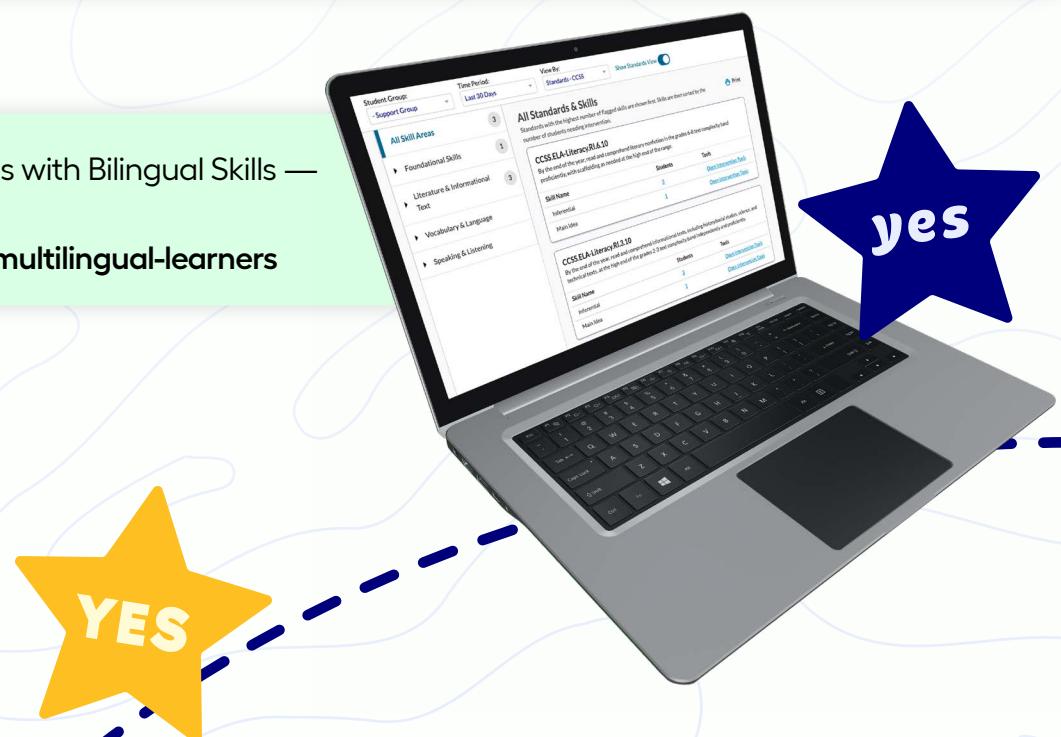
Short on staff this summer? You can still say **YES** to supporting English and Spanish language development. Imagine Language & Literacy and Imagine Español do not require a certified teacher to implement. Simply provide staff with student login information and set them on their individualized learning journeys.

③ COMMUNITY AND PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT

Provide login information to families over the summer so that students can learn from their device at home or even on vacation!

Empower Your Students with Bilingual Skills —
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