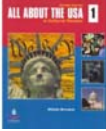
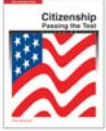











Educational Materials

The Kenosha Literacy Council has many educational materials available. The following is a list of some of the most commonly used KLC resources that tutors might find useful. All resources may be used at the Kenosha Literacy Council during normal office hours or many are available for checkout. Please feel free to stop in and browse.

For assistance finding resources on a specific topic or problem area please ask the Volunteer Coordinators or Program Director. There are many more wonderful materials available.

	<p><u>All About the USA</u> This series from Pearson Longman include readings about American people, places and events. Topics include geography, entertainment, famous people and more. Each unit includes vocabulary, comprehension and writing activities. There are four levels. Each level also comes with an audio CD.</p>
	<p><u>Citizenship: Passing the Test</u> This book from New Readers Press gives students a clear and accessible overview of U.S. history, government, voting, and national symbols.</p>
	<p><u>Citizenship: Ready for the Interview</u> This book from New Readers Press helps students prepare for the USCIS Application for Naturalization. Strategies focus on listening, spelling, and vocabulary skills to navigate the naturalization process and to communicate more effectively with examiners.</p>
	<p><u>English-No Problem!</u> This curriculum from New Readers Press enables students to learn through a unique problem-solving approach with theme-based units that offer a series of learning activities taken from real-life situations. 4 levels</p>
	<p><u>Lifeprints</u> This ESL curriculum from New Readers Press focuses on the use of audio materials. 8 levels</p>
	<p><u>Stories Plus</u> This series from New Readers Press offers entertaining stories that serve as a springboard to building basic language skills. Skill-building activities are stimulating without being overwhelming to beginning readers.</p>
	<p><u>Grammar Wise</u> A two-level series of grammar skills for ESL students, these Workbooks from New Readers Press focus on one grammar point with the help of model sentences, followed by controlled and free-response exercises.</p>
	<p><u>Patterns in Spelling</u> This spelling program from New Readers Press is designed specifically for adults reading at a third-grade or higher reading level, who are having trouble learning to spell. The format provides students with a powerful, systematic method of learning to spell by stressing patterns regularly found in English words.</p>

	<p><u>101 American English Idioms</u> This humorous collection of 101 popular American English idioms will help your students speak and understand English – and offer a wealth of linguistic and cultural information.</p>
	<p><u>English for Everyday Activities</u> This verb-based picture dictionary offers students the opportunity to communicate more than 60 daily activities, such as frying an egg, mailing a letter, riding a bus, and using an ATM machine.</p>
	<p><u>The Oxford Picture Dictionary</u> This dictionary illustrates more than 3,700 words in full-color pictures, each defined in context, and includes 140 key topics targeted to meet the vocabulary needs of adults. Topics are grouped into 12 thematic areas.</p>
	<p><u>The New Oxford Picture Dictionary</u> This book presents over 2,400 of the most useful everyday words in full-color, contextualized illustrations. Vocabulary is organized under 82 topics, from basics such as food and clothing, to more specific topics such as occupations and public transportation</p>
	<p><u>New Readers Press Dictionary</u> This basic reference of more than 5,000 English words will help students understand primary, common meanings. It includes sample sentences that reflect word use in a familiar context, user-friendly pronunciation key, labeled illustrations, and word notes to clarify words that are frequently confusing.</p>
	<p><u>Voyager</u> This curriculum from New Readers Press teaches essential reading, writing, listening, speaking, and critical-thinking processes, skills, and strategies. 8 levels which include workbook, booklets for extra vocabulary practice and puzzles booklets.</p>
	<p><u>Challenger</u> This is an eight-book structured reading, writing, and reasoning skills series, taking adult students from the beginning stages of reading to a Grade 9 level. Lessons contain vocabulary and spelling exercises, writing practice, word study according to a phonics principle, and other exercises.</p>
	<p><u>In the Know</u> This is a supplementary reading program specifically designed for adults who need practice reading fluently and with comprehension. The series consists of four student books that feature reading selections that are easy to relate to such as sports and leisure, health and fitness, and jobs.</p>
	<p><u>Laubach Way to Reading and English</u> This phonics based program is designed to teach basic speaking, listening, reading and writing skills to students. The series of Illustration Books, Workbooks, and Teacher's Manuals wrap around the <i>Laubach Way to Reading Skill Books</i> and <i>Correlated Readers</i>. 4 levels</p>

	<p><u>On-the-Job English</u> Whether it is spoken instructions, following safety rules, asking for help, or taking telephone messages, this book helps students learn necessary skills to communicate on the job.</p>
	<p><u>Math Sense</u> This math series from New Readers Press enables students to draw upon math in everyday life and includes hundreds of practice problems, each presented with easy-to-follow instructions, practice exercises, and real-life applications. 5 levels</p>
	<p><u>Breakthrough to Math</u> This math series from New Readers Press breaks skills down into basic steps and makes math easy to understand by focusing on one skill at a time. Students will learn how math is used in whole number computation, fractions, decimals, percents, algebra, and geometry. 4 levels</p>
	<p><u>What a World</u> This series from Pearson Longman includes high interest topics ranging from biographies and history to cultures around the world that make reading motivating. There are three levels in this series.</p>

Note: In addition to these print resources the Kenosha Literacy Council has a variety of games, flashcards, worksheets, and resource books available for use.