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# English Skills in Action

## A Holistic Approach to English Language Learning that Integrates Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing

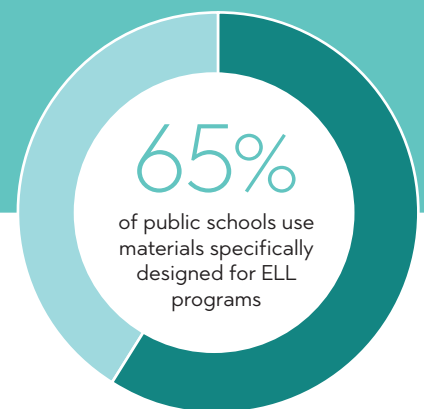
By 2025, one out of four children in classrooms across the nation will be an English language learner (ELL) student.<sup>1</sup> *English Skills in Action* is a research-based English language learning program that includes everything needed to support individual, small-group, or whole-class instruction. *English Skills in Action* is based on *Skills*, the award-winning ELL program originally developed and published in Europe where in 2021 it won the award for the Best European Learning Materials. Loyola Press is excited to introduce this acclaimed program to the U.S. market.

## FEATURES and BENEFITS

- **English skills are taught using relatable stories and recognizable visuals** that give meaning to the content and help students learn and retain information.
- Fiction and nonfiction texts are paired with a proven methodology to engage English learners. **Listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills** work together to promote the acquisition of the English language.
- The **Practice Portal** allows teachers to assign interactive activities and track student progress, while **Listening Activities** can be accessed through QR codes.
- The easy-to-use model **can be used in a variety of settings beyond the typical classroom**, making the program a perfect fit for libraries, tutoring centers, and anywhere else English language learning takes place.

### LEVELS C–F

**AT A GLANCE** A research-based English language learning program that teaches English skills using a proven methodology that promotes the acquisition of English



1. <https://www.nea.org/resource-library/english-language-learners>

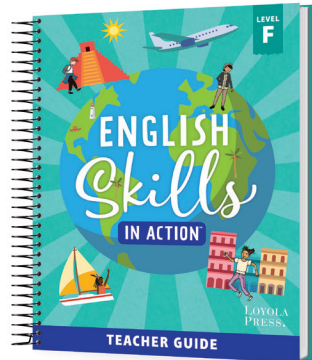
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## Program Components



### Student Book

Students are drawn into learning English through fun visuals, a story that unfolds as the chapters progress, and nonfiction texts. The student book is filled with on-page activities and audio exercises that students access through QR codes. Vocabulary is learned in context and reinforced through explicit instruction, and a comprehensive vocabulary list at the back of the book translates the terms used throughout the book into Spanish, Polish, and Vietnamese. Answer keys are located in the back of the book so students can quickly check their answers.



### Teacher Guide

The spiral-bound Teacher Guide provides a simple unified plan for using the program components. Scripted instruction, hands-on activities, discussion prompts, and formative assessments give novice and experienced teachers alike the tools needed to help diverse learners gain confidence and proficiency in speaking and writing the English language.



### Interactive Online Practice

Students practice English language skills through engaging interactive exercises in a secure online environment. The abundant exercises allow students to review and reinforce what they learned in each chapter of the Student Book.



### LP Digital Library

Using the access code provided with purchase, teachers can access the resources in the LP Digital Library, such as projectable images, printables, and audio clips for the listening exercises.