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# ESOL TAPAS

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL APPETIZERS

## Multilingual Marketing Flyers: *Learn English for Free in 15 languages!*

Need help recruiting more students? In an effort to reach adults with limited or no English language skills, marketing flyers in different languages are available through the Northeast ABLE Resource Center for ABLE programs to promote their ESOL classes. The flyers are one page and contain translations of *Learn English for Free* in 15 languages. Flyer A contains Lithuanian, Chinese, Albanian, Russian, Arabic and Spanish. Flyer B contains French, Somali, Somali Bantu (Maay Maay), Portuguese and Korean. Flyer C contains Kurdish, Turkish, Farsi/Persian, Khmer and Spanish. There is also room on the flyers to input program specific information such as phone numbers, locations, days and times of classes.

Flyers are available by request through the online Bodega that houses free materials for ABLE staff. Simply visit the site at [www.neable.org/resources/Bodega/bodegaesl#9](http://www.neable.org/resources/Bodega/bodegaesl#9), make a request to [bodega@neable.org](mailto:bodega@neable.org) and the Resource Center will mail hardcopies along with a CD-Rom with instructions for creating program specific marketing flyers.

If you would like help "personalizing" the flyers with your program information, please contact the Northeast ABLE Resource Center at (800) 361-7076, [info@neable.org](mailto:info@neable.org) or [www.neable.org](http://www.neable.org).



Migrant Workers in Painesville ABLE

## MULTILINGUAL LIBRARY RESOURCES

### *Welcome to the United States: A Guidebook for Refugees*

This guide provides refugees an orientation to life in the US and includes information on services available. Guide booklets and videos are available in 11 languages, including English.

Materials are available at [www.neablelibrary.org](http://www.neablelibrary.org)

Booklets can also be downloaded from [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov)

## ***ABLE PD Day: September 28, 2007***



The Resource Center Network (RCN) is sponsoring a day of professional development for all ABLE staff next month in Columbus. You can register at [www.ohioable.org](http://www.ohioable.org) on the Calendar of Events. All workshops will be held at the *Online Computer Library Center in Dublin, Ohio*. **DEADLINE is September 14<sup>th</sup>!**

The following trainings will be offered:

- TABE 9& 10/Assessment Fundamentals
- Basic ESOL Training
- BEST Plus Training
- CASAS ESL
- CASAS Adult Life Skills for Developmental Disabilities
- How Standards-Based Education Works in Your Classroom
- Learning Disabilities 202
- Ohio STARS Reunion
- Preparing Students to Write for Beginnings: the Ohio Writers' Conference
- WRT 102: The Writing Process: Assessing & Instructing

### ***With Liberty and Justice for all... Somalis in Ohio (CD-Rom)***

The Ohio State Bar Foundation has produced a CD-Rom in the language of Somali to help Somali refugees learn basic rights and responsibilities as residents of Ohio. Topics include courts, work, health, driving, banks, housing and marriage. Explanations are provided in Somali and supported by a glossary of legal terms, print material and captions in English. To request a CD contact the Northeast ABLE Resource Center at (800) 361-7076 or [bodega@neable.org](mailto:bodega@neable.org). You may also contact the Ohio State Bar Foundation directly at (800) 282-6556 or [www.osbf.net](http://www.osbf.net).

### **Ohio TESOL: EXTRA SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY!**

Once again the Resource Center Network (RCN) will offer the opportunity for ABLE teachers to attend the Ohio TESOL conference as an additional professional development activity. The conference takes place November 17-18 in Columbus.

Register through the Northeast ABLE Resource Center and your registration will be paid and you will be eligible for up to \$105 reimbursement for hotels and/or meals. Slots are limited!

Reserve a space by registering on the training calendar on the website at: [www.neable.org](http://www.neable.org)

*This is an additional professional development opportunity and will not affect your IPDP or any activity that you have chosen to participate in and/or receive reimbursement for this year.*