

The [Second Start Literacy Program](#) provides adults and children with free student-centered instruction in reading, writing and speaking



to help them reach their full potential at school, work, home and in the community. Professionally trained volunteer tutors are carefully matched with children and adults who wish to improve their literacy skills. For more information about the Second Start Literacy Program, contact the [Literacy Coordinator](#) at (626) 384-5280.

FREE ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE PROGRAM (ESL)

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Join the Covina Public Library's Free English as a Second Language Program. The program helps learners achieve proficiency in English and related skills needed for daily life and employment situations. All students are tutored in one-on-one settings and get individualized reading instruction twice per week. The program starts at the beginning level for those who neither read nor write English and progress to the final level before learners can be mainstreamed into all English instruction. For more information, call the Literacy Division at (626) 384-5280