

Language Backgrounds

Ukrainian Greek Spanish
Portuguese Gujarati
Korean Kannada Russian
Lebanese Khmer Laotian
Vietnamese Arabic
Bengali Chinese Finnish
Mandarin Tamil Turkish
Armenian Filipino Urdu
Romanian



"Diversity is the one true thing we all have in common. Celebrate it everyday."

~Author unknown~

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"We all should know that diversity makes for a rich tapestry, and we must understand that all the threads of the tapestry are equal in value no matter what their color."

*~Maya Angelou~*

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"Diversity may be the hardest thing for a society to live with, and perhaps the most dangerous thing for a society to be without."

~William Sloane Coffin, Jr.~

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## English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

### Diversity in our Schools



SAU 28  
servicing the towns of  
Windham, NH  
And Pelham, NH

## ESOL Program Description

The ESOL Program services Limited English Proficient (LEP) students in the seven schools in Pelham and Windham. LEP students can be:

- \*recent immigrants or refugees who don't speak or understand any English at all
- \*less recent immigrants or refugees who know a little of the language
- \* born in the U.S. of immigrant parents who speak only the language of their heritage at home
- \* children of families who have been in this country for generations but still maintain their heritage language at home
- \* adopted from another country by a U.S. family.



The ESOL program strives to help these student improve their English language skills and acclimate to the American culture so that they will experience success inside and outside the classroom.

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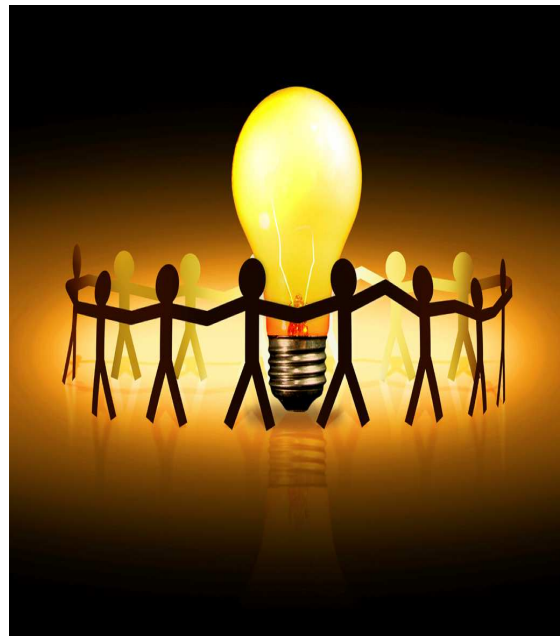
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