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# HOW YOU CAN GET

#### PRAY

- Pray for wisdom and creativity for the ESOL staff as they continue to plan lessons and instruct.
- Pray that the minds of students would be strengthened as they learn and grow in confidence in the English language.
- Pray that students and staff would form meaningful relationships that allow gospel conversations.
- Pray for more people to feel the call to volunteer and meet the growing needs of this program.

#### GIVE

 Sponsor a student! Talk with Nancy Wilhelm about covering the cost of a student's instructional materials for the year.

### SERVE

 Prayerfully consider volunteering: administrative support, head teachers, assistant teachers, food and beverage providers. Talk with Nancy Wilhelm on how you can get involved!

# ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (ESOL)

Local Partner

Evangelism 🕂

## Introduction

The diversity of internationals that live in and immigrate to the northern Virginia area creates a great need for English language instruction. English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) is our church's program to meet this need. Through teaching conversational English and American culture, relationships are formed which allow the opportunity for participants to be introduced to Jesus. This is accomplished through language instruction, conversations with church members, and loving hospitality.

# About ESOL

## 9 Mission and vision

## Est. 1995

ESOL's goal is to assist international guests in the very practical need of communicating by teaching conversational English and American culture. Along the way, personal relationships between our members and participants are formed which allows them to share the love of Christ.

## • Partnering to share the good news Est. 1995 - present

The ESOL program was started by Jane Wills (who was later sent by our church as a missionary to North Africa) in 1995. It has grown now to include just over a hundred participants in six learning levels.

# <sup>o</sup> Making a difference

### Supporting our partners

Our church's giving pays for all instruction materials and food needed for the program each year as well as any registration costs for participants who cannot purchase their own instructional materials.