Multilingual learners' languages and cultures are valuable resources to be leveraged for schooling and classroom life; leveraging these assets and challenging biases help develop multilingual learners' independence and encourage their agency in learning.





Multilingual learners' development of multiple languages enhances their knowledge and cultural bases, their intellectual capacities, and their flexibility in language use.



Multilingual learners' language development and learning occur over time through meaningful engagement in activities that are valued in their homes, schools, and communities.





Multilingual learners' language, social-emotional, and cognitive development are inter-related processes that contribute to their success in school and beyond.





Multilingual learners use and develop language when opportunities for learning take into account their individual experiences, characteristics, abilities, and levels of language proficiency.



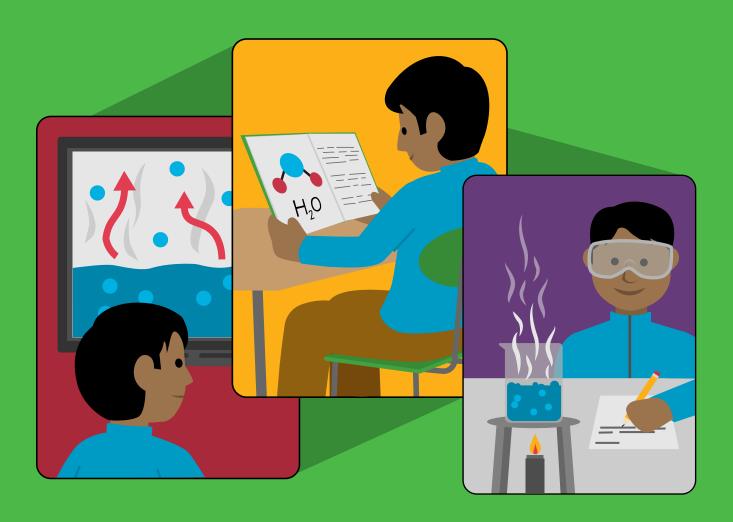


Multilingual learners use and develop language through activities which intentionally integrate multiple modalities, including oral, written, visual, and kinesthetic modes of communication.



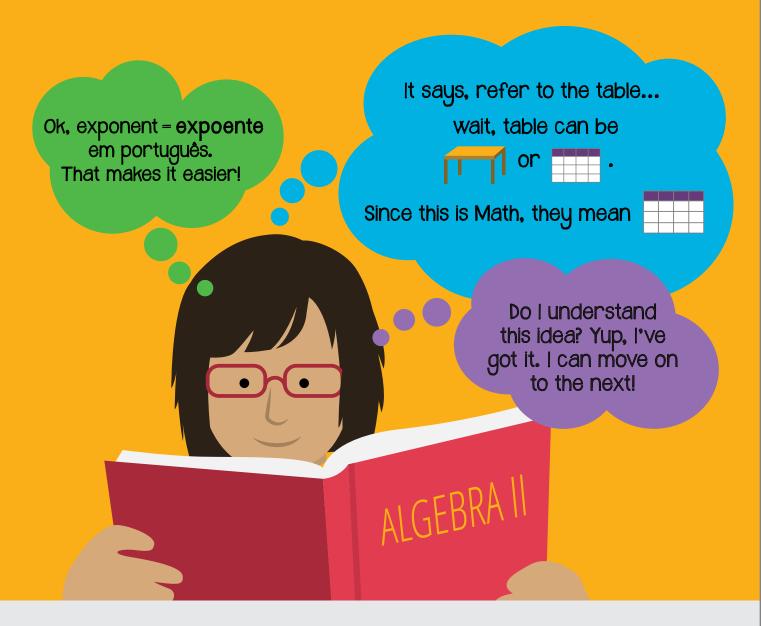


Multilingual learners use and develop language to interpret and access information, ideas, and concepts from a variety of sources, including real-life objects, models, representations, and multimodal texts.





Multilingual learners draw on their metacognitive, metalinguistic, and metacultural awareness to develop effectiveness in language use.





Multilingual learners use their full linguistic repertoire, including translanguaging practices, to enrich their language development and learning.

What does the author mean cuando escribe, "he put his foot in his mouth?"



No estoy seguro... pero I think it's like when I was eating almuerzo con mi abuelita and I said that my Mom's caldo didn't taste good. And then I found out that it was my abuelita who made it!

Now I get it, pero, jay! How embarrassing!





Multilingual learners use and develop language to interpret and present different perspectives, build awareness of relationships, and affirm their identities.



