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Ideas to use technologies for language teaching and learning



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These are just 21 practical ideas—and if we put our heads together, we could draw up a longer list—to help teachers and educators apply digital technology to second language learning. The aim is to unleash the full potential of technology so that all learners can succeed in their studies. Second language skills being an education priority, we must make full use of the latest technological advances in order to teach them. And even if we are proficient with open learning methods, we must never lapse into complacency. It is not true that learners are naturally inclined to become active agents of their own learning. Therefore, we must provide learners with effective and engaging digital strategies that will motivate them to master second languages.

1. Learning to write with technologies
2. Learning read with technologies
3. Learning to speak with technologies
4. Learning languages while playing games
5. Helping students create content, in the L2, with technologies
6. Studies on the impact of feedback on learning and teaching
7. Collaborating with technologies while learning languages
8. Developing the digital literacy of L2 learners
9. Developing information literacy
10. Using videos in the L2 classroom
11. Getting students to participate in the development of content in their L2
12. Motivating students by giving their assignments in L2 a world stage
13. Using technologies to help learners learn new vocabulary words
14. Using technologies to help learners learn grammar
15. Making learning languages more interesting, meaningful
16. Language learning and critical thinking
17. Using technologies to highlight the benefits of learning languages (jobs, etc.)
18. Problem solving, language learning, and technologies
19. Using technologies that learners always have with them
20. Exploring the use of AI in Education
21. Sharing our stories of using technologies in language teaching and learning.

