

The logo for English At Large, featuring the text "ENGLISHATLARGE" in a bold, sans-serif font. The text is centered within a light blue speech bubble graphic that has a tail pointing towards the top left.

## ENGLISHATLARGE

Greetings!

I hope you, your families and loved ones are staying healthy and connected during these difficult times.

I am reaching out to you, as one of our highly-valued supporters, to update you on the status of English At Large Programs.

As you may expect, COVID-19 has made it necessary for English At Large to cancel all in-person programs. However, our staff and volunteers are determined and are working together to continue instruction to keep our learners moving forward.

As of this week, 16 of our **Spring Conversation Groups** have relaunched, holding group meetings online.

**Tutors and learners** who are able are holding virtual sessions, utilizing email, Skype, Zoom, and FaceTime technologies.

Our **Career Access Lab** Program recently held mock "Skype" interviews and are using online technologies to ensure that learners continue to develop the skills they need to move their job search forward.

We are so grateful for the caring and commitment of our volunteers, who continue to serve despite their own challenges, often stepping well outside their comfort zone to learn the technology skills they need to best serve their learners. **Their efforts will help keep our learners safe and connected at a time when they are most at risk.**

Through our social media channels we are sharing news updates and resources from credible sources. These are very frightening times for everyone, and we want our learners to know that help is available in their community from organizations and people they can trust. During this time we feel that this is the most important role we can play; the relationships between our learners and our volunteers is a strong network that will help us ensure that people most in need and most at risk are getting the information and support they need. **Our goal is to help keep everyone safe and healthy, and connected to their community.**

Your support of this important work is more important than ever.

Thank you for your continued interest in English At Large.

Best regards,  
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