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Knowledge Base: Microsoft Translator for Education

## What is Translator for Education?

The Translator for Education site provides free resources, tools, and how-to guides for live captioning and translation in the classroom. Schools are increasingly diverse. Teachers manage many types of learners, including students who are deaf or hard of hearing (DHH) who require assistive technology, and language learners (and their parents) who may not speak or understand the language of the classroom well. Microsoft Translator helps bridge these communication gaps, supporting accessible classroom learning with live captioning, cross-language understanding, and even multilingual casual conversations to help with student integration.

## Extremely Useful For:

Lectures & Presentations



Start using the Translator apps to translate and caption live presentations and engage students who are non-native speakers, deaf or hard of hearing, dyslexic, or having trouble taking notes.

Parent-Teacher Conferences



Engage parents and the school community by providing real-time language translation for parent-teacher conferences.

Study Groups



Discuss group projects and work together across many languages for English Language Learners and deaf or hard-of-hearing students.

#### Conversations



The Translator app's conversation feature helps teachers better communicate with students in class or for one-on-one conversations.

### Similar Resources

### **Parent Resources**

Learn about the Translator app's conversation feature and how you can have live, translated parent-teacher conferences in your chosen language.

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### **Student Resources**

Use the Translator app in school, on campus, for study groups, and other situations where captions and translations are needed. Share the app with friends to start a live conversation and break communication barriers.

#### **Case Studies**

Read how Translator can help students pass their final exams, break language barriers during parent-teacher conferences, and create inclusive environments for deaf and hard-of-hearing students.

### **Downloading Tip**

If the app does not download from the App Store on your iPhone, search it on the web and use the App Store link there.

