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Skills Tutor Website discontinued	ABE/GED Workforce preparation	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Skills Tutor is a test preparation curriculum which includes skill-based tutorials.
USA Learns - 1st English Course	Beginning ESL	Mastery	USA Learns, Part 1 contains 20 units. Students receive three proxy hours for each unit completed. Important: Students must complete each unit exam with at least 70% proficiency before proxy hours are awarded. There are a maximum of 60 proxy hours allowed	California Department of Education (CDE)	USA Learns is a free internet-based, multimedia website for English language learners. Each episode contains a series of vocabulary, comprehension, and grammar exercises. http://www.usalearns.org/teacher
USA Learns - 2nd English Course	Intermediate ESL	Mastery	USA Learns, Part 2 contains 20 units. Students receive four proxy hours for each unit completed. Important: Students must complete each unit exam with at least 70% proficiency before proxy hours are awarded. There is a maximum of 80 proxy	California Department of Education (CDE)	USA Learns is a free internet-based, multimedia website for English language learners. Each episode contains a series of vocabulary, comprehension, and grammar exercises. http://www.usalearns.org/teacher
Workplace Essential Skills Note: The TCALL Clearinghouse Library has master copies of the GED Connection video series on DVD which local programs can borrow.	ABE/GED	Teacher Certification	Please click here for more information on how to award proxy hours for the Workplace Essential Skills components.	2005 multi-state experiment including Ohio and Pennsylvania	The Workplace Essential Skills series is provided by PBS Literacy Link/ Kentucky Educational Television. It is a multi-media product including video and workbook components. Kentucky Educational Television: (800) 354-9067

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Pearson My Lab Series: MyEnglishLab MyFoundationsLab My Math Lab, MyReadingLab, MyWriting	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary materials including workbooks and other print- based materials cannot be counted as proxy hours. https://www.pearsonmylabandmastering.com/northamerica/
Pre-GED Connection	ABE	Teacher Certification	Please click here for more information on how to award proxy hours for the Pre-GED Connection components.	Victoria College, Texas- 2008.	The Pre-GED Connection series is provided by PBS Literacy Link/ Kentucky Educational Television. Kentucky Educational Television: (800) 354-9067.
Reading Horizons Elevate	ABE / ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time spent in each area of the program. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. Reports show time on tasks within lessons, library, and vocabulary sections. The	Software developer	www.readinghorins.com 800-333-0054 x 146
Rosetta Stone	Beginning Low ESL to Intermediate High ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other support materials provided by Rosetta Stone and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. http://www.rosettastone.com/
Sed de Saber Publisher out of business NOTE: Sed de Saber devices found through other resources may still be used at this time.	Beginning ESL	Mastery	Four proxy hours are assigned for each book (a total of six books with a maximum of 24 proxy hours allowed). Important: students must complete each test with at least 70% proficiency or higher before proxy hours are awarded.	Texas Sed de Saber Pilot, 2009.	The Sed de Saber contains six interactive books covering English Language and Civics topics.

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i-Pathways: Learning Pathways in Adult Education (formerly GED-i)	GED	Mastery	Each completed lesson and unit test mastered at least 70% proficiency are awarded 50 minutes of proxy hour credit.	GED Illinois Software developers	The GED-i program includes lessons for all five sub-tests of the GED® exam. It also include preparation for HiSET™ and TASC Test™ https://www.i-pathways.org/
ITTS-McGraw Hill	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other supplementary materials provided by Mc Graw Hill and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. http://www.mheducation.com/prek-12/program/MKTSP-YBH01M0.html
Madison Heights/Lifelines	ABE	Teacher Certification	Please click here for more information on how to award proxy hours for Madison Heights/Lifelines	Pennsylvania field research studies	Madison Heights/Lifelines is a video and workbook series that includes lessons for adult basic education and family literacy. http://www.tutorace.com/html/madison_heights.html http://www.tutorace.com/html/lifelines.html
McGraw Hill Pre-GED Online-	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary materials including aligned McGraw Hill Pre-GED workbooks and other print-based materials cannot be counted as proxy hours.
McGraw Hill - "Achieve" Replaces MHC GED Online	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary materials including workbooks and other print- based materials cannot be counted as proxy hours. http://www.mheducation.com/prek-12/program/MKTSP-GDS01M0.html

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Easy English	Low Beginning ESL to High Intermediate ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other supplementary materials provided by Easy English and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours in TEAMS.
Edmentum: PLATO (Only)	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and activities provided by Plato and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. http://www.edmentum.com/
GED Academy	ABE/ Low ASE	Clocktime	The internal clock within the software system electronically tracks the exact time up to 125% of the recommended time on task for each assignment. No time is awarded unless the student completes and submits the assignment.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other supplementary materials provided by GED Academy and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. https://www.passged.com/
GED Connection (GEDC)	Advanced ABE/GED	Teacher Certification	Please click here for more information on how to award proxy hours for the GED Connection Components.	2005 multi-state experiment including Ohio and Pennsylvania	The GED Connection series is provided by PBS Literacy Link/ Kentucky Educational Television. It is a multi-media product including video, workbook, and online activity components. Kentucky Educational Television: (800) 354-9067

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Core Skills Mastery	Intermediate ESL, ABE, ASE	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Core Skills reports	CSM lessons are free to all users and students. Students who complete the entire program (the full 80-100 hours) can choose to purchase the certificate of completion which can then be included in resumes or shown to potential employers as verification of basic skills. Purchase of the certificate is never, at any time, a requirement for use of the program. https://www.csmlearn.com/
Crossroads Café Note: TCALL has a set of these videos and workbooks for review.	Beginning Low ESL to Intermediate High ESL	Mastery	Students receive 10 proxy hours for each of the 26 units if they master each of the unit activities and tests with at least 70% proficiency.	North Carolina research studies	Crossroads Café is a video and workbook series that includes 26 lessons focusing on English Language skills development for ESOL learners. http://www.ketadultlearning.org/esl/crossroads_cafe.htm
English Discoveries	ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Techno-Ware, Inc.	English Discoveries is an interactive online education software program for ESL students. http://englishdiscoveries.net/
English for All (EFA) Website discontinued Programs may use DVD/CD videos along with downloaded printed materials. However, programs are encouraged to use USA LEARNS Course 2 which has the same content and awards 4 hours per unit.	High Beginning ESL to Low Intermediate ESL	Mastery	EFA contains five main stories with a total of 20 episodes included. Students receive 6 proxy hours for each unit completed. Important: Students must complete each unit exam with at least 70% proficiency before the proxy hours are awarded. There are a maximum of 120 proxy hours allowed.	California field research studies	English for All is a free internet-based, multimedia program for English language learners. Each episode contains vocabulary, comprehension, and grammar exercises. The TCALL Clearinghouse Library has copies EFA episodes on DVD which local programs can borrow.

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Aztec: GED 2012 Learning Essentials, Ready for Work, Citizenship, Financial Literacy, Bridge Series and Occupational Foundations Series.	ABE/GED	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other supplementary materials provided by Aztec and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. http://www.aztecsoftware.com
Burlington English	ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. After a preset period of inactivity, the system stops counting time on task.	Software developer	Supplementary hard copy workbooks and/or other supplementary materials provided by Burlington English and completed by students cannot be counted as proxy hours. https://www.burlingtonenglish.com/
Cell-Ed: English on the Go	ESL	Clocktime	The system tracks the time on task for each activity completed. The time on task for each activity is counted as proxy hours. The system times students out after a preset period of inactivity.	Cell-ED Learner Management System	https://www.cell-ed.com/
California Distance Learning Project (CDLP) - Adult Learning Activities	Intermediate ESL/ABE Reading	Teacher Certification	The CDLP student activity print-out reflects the time allotted for each activity. This time equates to the proxy hours that are counted for the activities. Important: the teacher certifies that the short answer/essay activity was satisfactorily completed before assigning proxy hours. The teacher may request that a student re- submits the short answer activity several times before assigning the proxy hours.	California Distance Learning Project- Sacramento County Office of Education	This is a free internet-based, multimedia program which provides a series of student activities for reading, spelling, and writing across a wide variety of topics. http://www.cdlponline.org/