

A stylized, colorful illustration of a landscape. The foreground features rolling green hills with dark brown soil patches. On the left, there is a green tree, a purple flower, and an orange flower. A small red bird is flying in the sky above the tree. The background consists of wavy, layered blue and white bands representing a sky or water.

# *Welcome!*

*ESOL Parent Meeting  
January 17, 2018*

# Agenda

- *Getting to Know You*
- *ESOL Program*
- *ACCESS Testing*
- *Resources to Help You*



# *ESOL: English to Speakers of Other Languages*

- 1. Home Language Survey*
- 2. WIDA Screener for English Proficiency*
- 3. ESOL Class with Ms. Carla Criswell*

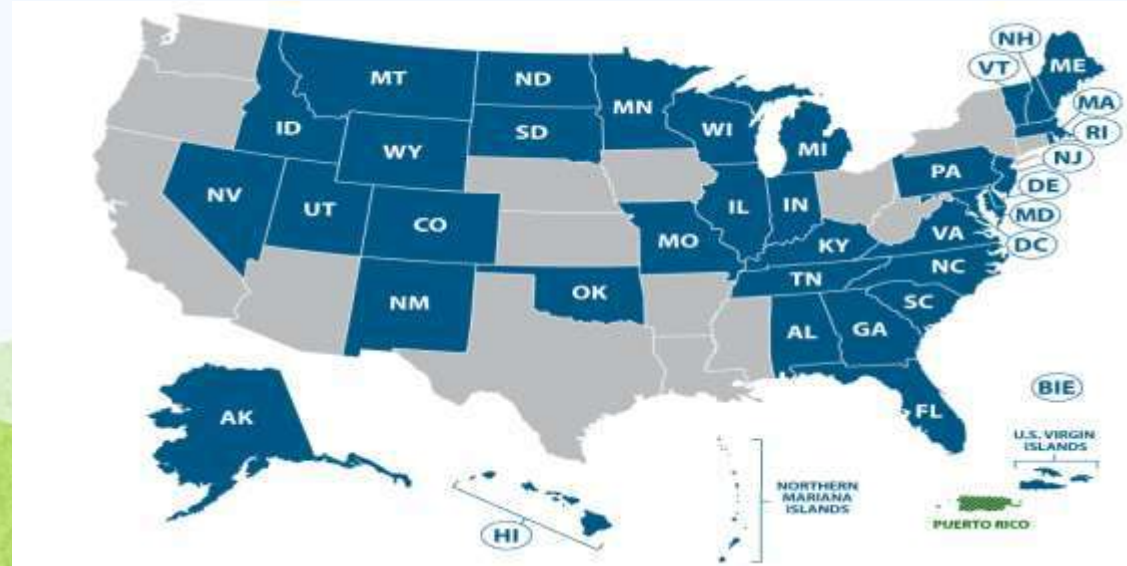
*Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing*



# What is ACCESS?

*It is a test to determine the English proficiency level for all English Learners (ELs)*

*It helps the teachers help the students with English.*



## Assessing students' academic language abilities in English include

Listening		Process, understand, interpret and evaluate spoken language in a variety of situations
Reading		Process, understand, interpret and evaluate written language, symbols and text with understanding and fluency
Writing		Engage in written communication in a variety of situations for a variety of purposes and audiences
Speaking		Engage in oral communication in a variety of situations for a variety of purposes and audiences

# Anchored in English Language Development (ELD) Standards



# More Information about ACCESS

- January 22<sup>nd</sup> – March 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Ms. Criswell will help the children practice, but they cannot study for it.
- Test results will be delivered in May.



# Resources

Resource Room

games

flash cards

Websites

[www.paulding.k12.ga.us](http://www.paulding.k12.ga.us)

translate

online games and practice sites





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