Washington Memorial Library 1180 Washington Avenue, Macon, GA 31201 (478) 744-0800 Fax (478) 742-3161 Monday through Thursday9:00 - 9:00 Friday and Saturday9:00 - 6:00 SundayClosed
Riverside Branch Library Rivergate Shopping Center, 110 Holiday Drive North, Macon, GA 31210 (478) 757-8900 Monday through Friday9:30 - 6:00 SaturdayClosed
Charles A. Lanford, M.D. Library 6504 Houston Rd, Macon, GA 31216 (478) 621-6970 Monday through Friday9:30 - 6:00 SaturdayClosed
Shurling Branch Library Shurlington Plaza, 1769 Shurling Drive, Macon, GA 31211 (478) 744-0875 Monday through Friday9:30 - 6:00 SaturdayClosed
West Bibb Branch Library Northwest Commons, 5580 Thomaston Road, Macon, GA 31220 (478) 744-0818 Monday through Friday9:30 - 6:00 SaturdayClosed
Regional Affiliates:
Crawford County Public Library 340 McCrary Street, P. O. Box 580A, Roberta, GA 31078 (478) 836-4478 Hours: Monday1:00 - 7:00 Tuesday through Thursday10:00 - 12:00, 1:00 - 7:00
Jones County Public Library Railroad Avenue, P. O. Box 156, Gray, GA 31032 (478) 986-6626 Monday & Wednesday10:00 - 6:00 Tuesday & Thursday9:00 - 7:00 Friday9:00 - 5:00

Ideal Public Library (Macon County) 605 Tom Watson Avenue, P. O. Box 9, Ideal, GA 31041 (478) 949-2720 Monday8:00 - 12:00, 1:00 - 5:00 Wednesday8:00 - 12:00, 1:00 - 4:00
Marshallville Public Library (Macon County) Main Street, P. O. Box 201, Marshallville, GA 31057 (478) 967-2413 Monday through Friday10:00 - 12:00, 3:30 - 6:30 Saturday9:00 - 2:00
Montezuma Public Library (Macon County) 506 North Dooly Street, Montezuma, GA 31063 (478) 472-6095 Monday through Thursday8:30 - 6:00
Oglethorpe Public Library (Macon County) 115 Chatham Street, P. O. Box 425, Oglethorpe, GA 31068 (478) 472-7116 Monday through Thursday8:00 – 6:00
Twiggs County Public Library 101 Ash Street, P. O. Box 305, Jeffersonville, GA 31044 (478) 945-3814 Monday, Wednesday, Friday9:00 - 5:00 Tuesday and Thursday11:00 - 7:00
East Wilkinson County Public Library 154 East Main Street, P.O. Box 546 Irwinton, GA 31042 (478) 946-2778 Monday - Wednesday10:00 - 6:00 Thursday12:00 - 8:00 Friday10:00 - 5:00
Gordon Public Library (Wilkinson County) 284 Milledgeville Hwy. West, P. O. Box 336, Gordon, GA 31031 (478) 628-5352 Monday - Friday10:00 - 6:00
Summer hours may vary

Want to learn a foreign language?

At home? For FREE?

The Middle Georgia Regional Library System is now offering access to an online foreign language service.

Languages offered: Spanish, Italian, Japanese, French, Mandarin Chinese and ESL - Spanish.

All you need is an Internet connection and a Middle Georgia Regional Library card to use this service. This card MUST begin with the prefix 21033....

To access the site please visit

http://www.co.bibb.ga.us/library/



Follow the onscreen instructions to create your account -- then you're ready to learn...

What is Mango?

Mango Languages is an online language-learning system teaching actual conversation skills for a wide variety of languages. Our online learning system is so easy to use, you'll see incredible results after just one lesson! It's the easiest way to learn a foreign language! Mango uses real-life situations and actual conversations to more effectively teach a new language. By listening to and repeating after material designed from native conversations, you'll not only learn the individual words and phrases, you'll know how they're used in practical situations and conversations. You'll learn more than grammar, vocabulary and conjugation, you'll learn how to communicate.

A Better Way of Learning?

Traditional teaching models build a syntactical base of vocabulary and grammatical rules over the course of months (or even years) before teaching you how to have real and meaningful conversations. But every lesson in Mango's system integrates vocabulary and grammar into real-life sentences.

As a whole, languages are complex systems. Technology has allowed us to make learning them easier than ever.

Many students get discouraged right off the bat. The prospect of learning a new language seems so daunting that they give up, or rather put their language dreams on hold.

Our breakthrough system minimizes the frustrating "down time" that we experience whenever we learn a new language. With Mango, you won't have to wait months or years before you can apply what you've learned to a real-life situation.

Mango Keeps You Motivated

Genuine progress that you can see is great motivation in learning. When you can apply what you've learned to an immediate situation, you'll start to gain faith in yourself and confidence in your new language. This satisfaction creates a desire for more progress, as well as the belief that your goals are achievable.

Mango Builds Confidence from the Start

Traditional programs teach very little that can be immediately applied. Sure...you'll learn many new words and grammar principles, but you'll have no training on using the language in real world situations. This can be demoralizing when you have a real desire to learn and grow in your new language.

In these old systems, you simply have to believe that sometime in the future (months or years from now), everything will come together and you'll finally be able to use what you've learned. Without incremental successes, your motivation and drive diminish, because the road to success seems long and difficult. Mango isn't about teaching words without purpose; it's about turning you into a functional communicator in the real world. When you learn to say meaningful things in real-world situations, it motivates you to do more. And when you successfully apply what you've learned, you'll find that natives can help much more easily along your language learning journey. This dramatically increases your fluency and gets you comfortable with the sound of the language, making it easy to learn more...faster.

New conversational skills after every lesson

Each Mango lesson starts with a meaningful, real-life conversation that you learn to understand and apply.

Our program truly is a system. It's not like learning from a book where you have to construct your own methods of assimilating the information. With Mango, all you have to do is run through the program, step by step, and let the power of our system take care of the rest.

What Will I Learn?

Each Mango course is designed to save you time. Choosing the right product is a critical part of the decision-making process. You don't want to lose any more time before getting started.

With our courses, you start learning immediately. We teach you how to survive in a new language by creating courses based on the real experience of speaking to people. With Our Courses you'll:

Achieve conversational results every step of the way

Be able to engage in real and meaningful conversation with native speakers
Be able to use 95% of the highest frequency words in your new language
More importantly you'll be able to put these words together to create grammatically correct sentences

Be able to demonstrate proficiency in your new language to employers and forge stronger relationships with foreign customers, coworkers, and business partners
While traveling, experience the country like you never have before