Proficiency Levels of ESOL Students

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Beginner	Point Draw Match Select Circle State Choose Act Out Label Name List	 Total Physical Response (TPR) Non-verbal role play Rhymes, chants, songs Pre-recorded stories Reading aloud Choral/echo reading Language Experience Approach Hands-on projects Author's Chair Flannel board stories Environmental labels Word banks Think-Pair-Share
Intermediate The second state "I have good oral skills in English, but minimal reading and composition skills in English."	All of the above Recall Retell Define Compare Contrast Summarize Restate	 plus Role playing (verbal) Reading, reciting poetry, writing Group discussions Retelling stories Process writing, quick w rites, dialogue journals Graphic organizers Summarizing Compare and contrast stories and authors
Advanced With a fluent in oral English and have some reading and writing skills, but need help to pass tests."	All of the above Analyze Create Defend Debate Evaluate Justify Support Explain	 plus Age appropriate reading and writing Analyzing charts, graphs, and stories Predicting Outcomes Supporting and defending positions/opinions Evaluating and judging processes