Web and Electronic Resources accessible at fergusonlibrary.org/kids

- The Tumble Book Library is an online collection of animated talking picture books, easy chapter books, and exciting non-fiction. The Language Learning section offers books in many languages for first language support. Access at the library or from home with a Ferguson Library card.

- The International Children’s Digital Library (ICDL), a library for the world’s children, believes that children deserve to have access to the books of their culture. The ICDL has built a digital library of outstanding children’s books from around the world that is available online, free of charge.

- Tutor.com makes available one-on-one tutoring support for students in K – 12. For children who need help with their homework this service is available from 3 – 10 p.m. daily during the school year. Spanish speaking tutors are available in math and science. Access from home with a Ferguson Library card.
The Youth Services Department at the Ferguson library offers a variety of materials to support young English language learners.

**World Language Collection**

We have books in many languages including Arabic, Chinese, French, Haitian, Hindi, Italian, Polish, Russian and Spanish.

Some languages include bilingual materials – a good way for a reader to see both the native language and the English text.

**Music CDs**

Enjoy music from around the world.

**Book and CD Sets**

We offer a wide selection of classic and award-winning titles.

Listen to the story while you turn the pages and look at the art; an excellent way for parents and children to develop vocabulary by hearing spoken English together.

**Audio Books**

Research has shown that listening to audio books helps comprehension skills. In addition to our extensive collection of books on CD, we have the following special formats:

- **Steady Readers** – Book/CD combinations recorded at a 10 – 15% slower pace.
- **Playaways** – Audio books, pre-loaded on MP3 players.

**DVDs**

DVDs provide innovative flexibility such as multi language, dual language, or English immersion tracks to help teach English as a second language.

**Learning Kits to Go**

A professionally selected collection of resources and materials in one package.

- **Muzzy Language Program** – This unique English language learning program utilizes repetition and a combination of DVDs, audio CDs to help the child learn English.

- **Other Learning Kits to Go** support new language learners and include phonics and Spanish with bilingual materials.

- **Mobile Devices** – we now circulate a variety of mobile devices including Nabi Jr. and iPads which are pre-loaded with games and educational software appropriate for a range of ages.

**Graphic Novels**

With an emphasis on art to support the story, graphic novels can offer new language learners a visually entertaining way to improve their English.