



Ladies Let's Talk (LLT) helps refugee and immigrant women achieve belonging in their new community.

# LLT PROGRAMS

**Conversation Sessions (online):** English-speaking volunteer women meet on Zoom with refugee and immigrant women who are learning English for conversation and fellowship. 90-minute session on Thursday evening and Friday morning. Drop-in.

**Pronunciation Workshops:** 3 volunteers who are retired speech therapists help advanced Learners improve their pronunciation of English so they can be better understood. 18 Learners attending each week.





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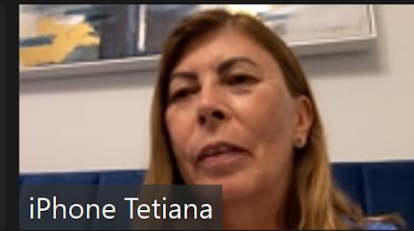
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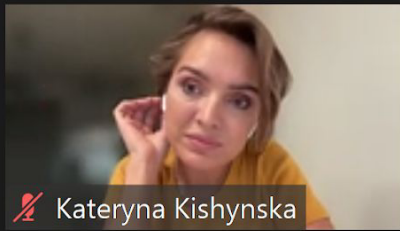
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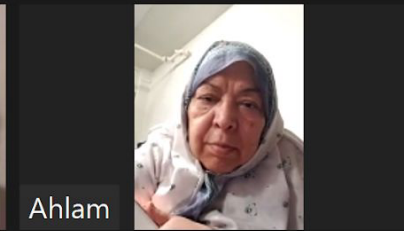
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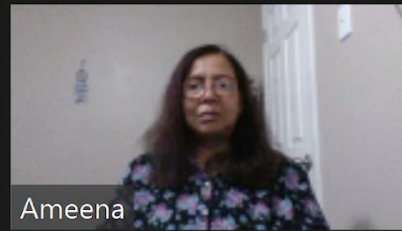
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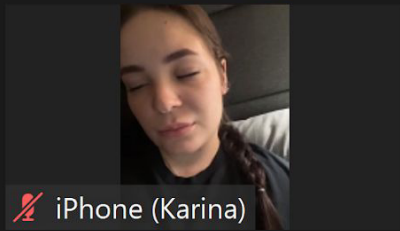
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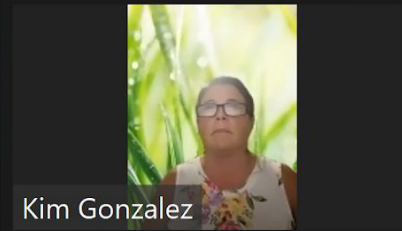
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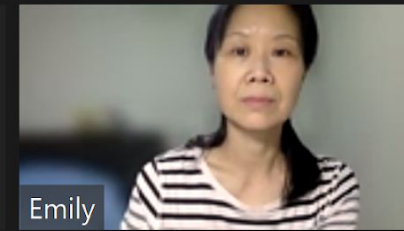
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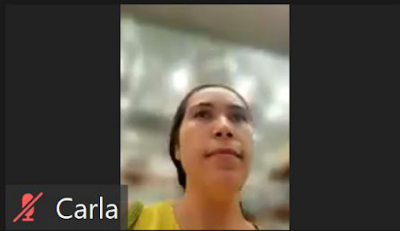
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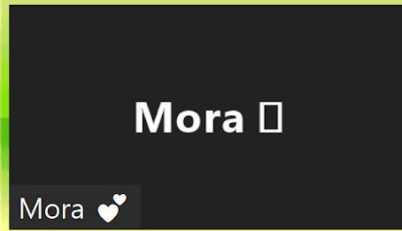
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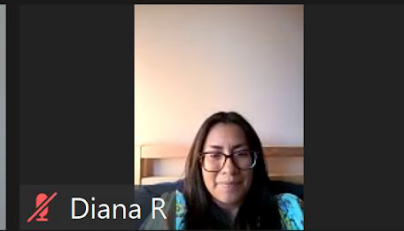
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# LLT PROGRAMS - continued



**English Practice Partners:** a volunteer and a learner are paired for 5 weeks and get together (on the phone, in person, on Facetime, etc.) for a weekly hour of conversation.

**Basic English for Afghan Women (in person):** English reading and writing classes are held 6 hours/week for 22 Afghan women who have never been to school and cannot read or write in their native language of Pashto.





# WHERE HAVE OUR 1311 LEARNERS COME FROM (as of 3/1/2024)?



From 82 countries

Top 10 countries:

Brazil

Ukraine

Mexico

Columbia

Turkey

China

South Korea

Afghanistan

Haiti

Venezuela

# HELP US WITH FINANCIAL SUPPORT



- support our first paid staff - our program manager
  - to run the Basic English program and
  - support the volunteers running our other programs
- allow our board to focus on expanding our services to reach more immigrant/refugee women
- allow the board to develop a comprehensive fundraising strategy which will support the continuation of LLT into the future

What our Learners say about LLT:

“I love Ladies Let’s Talk class because I learned a lot of things from them. And I found friends there.”

“Thx for creating such a place for helping new immigrants.”

“I feel American now. I would like to learn the language of the country of which I will be a citizen, in the fastest and most beautiful way.”

“I would like to participate in groups where I can meet women with diverse backgrounds and goals. I believe this will help me overcome my anxiety when speaking English in public.”

“Thanks for your wonderful program, it’s so amazing!”



## What our Volunteers say about Ladies Let's Talk:

“I provided the 'second-generation immigrant daughter' part of the conversation and [the Learner] shared about the growing pains of being a first gen immigrant and mother. I learned so much! Overall I had a great time. :)”

“That experience was wonderful. Thank you so much for providing me with an opportunity like that. I was very impressed and excited to sign up again.”

“I just wanted to let you know how much I enjoyed the session today. I look forward to future sessions. [The Learner] and I have formed a wonderful bond and I am so grateful for the introduction.”

Just wanted to say thanks for a lovely evening! I didn't know what to expect, but that was so fun. I'm looking forward to coming again.