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Chapter 1

Learn About Rosetta Course

[About Rosetta Course®](#)

About Rosetta Course

The Rosetta Course® program is structured to make it simple for you to reach goals and flexible so you can easily progress through learning a new language.

We create an individualized course for you—a lesson series tailored to your language-learning goals.

Achieving Language-Learning Goals

Each Rosetta Course level has several units, each of which focuses on a language topic. Each unit has four Core Lessons, several focused activities, and a Milestone. In Core Lessons you learn language using a full range of skills: reading, listening, speaking, and writing. Focused activities include exercises that concentrate on one of these language skills. Milestones allow you to practice your new language using real-life scenarios.

In your course, we determine the order of the activities based on selections you make the first time you launch Rosetta Course. Our recommended course takes you through every language skill in Rosetta Course with the goal of language proficiency.

Your course may include an emphasis on particular language skills. For example, you may feel confident with reading and listening to the language and want to focus on pronunciation. By following the course we've laid out for you, you'll achieve your language-learning goals.

To follow your course, click the green **Start** icon on the Rosetta Course Navigator.

Completing a Core Lesson

See [Complete a Core Lesson](#). That topic guides you through the Core Lesson from Unit 1, Lesson 1, in which you'll learn to recognize words and phrases. These screens use a combination of written and spoken words with pictures and are designed to use your natural language-learning capacity.

In some screens you see pictures associated with words, and you're prompted to provide a missing piece to the puzzle. Sometimes a native speaker says words or phrases, and you choose a representative picture. At times you may hear the

native speaker but not see the text; you select the picture that matches the phrase spoken by the native speaker.

Building on Language Skills

You begin speaking your new language immediately when prompted to repeat after the native speaker. The software uses our proprietary speech-recognition feature to indicate whether you've pronounced the words and phrases correctly.

Rosetta Course uses your natural ability to associate words and images with their meanings by providing prompts and then asking you to continue the “conversation.” We call this process Contextual Formation™ because you learn the language well enough to form your own responses in the context of a simulated real-life situation.

Chapter 2

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Discover Help and Support

You're anxious to get started, but first take a moment to get acquainted with a few links and tools. Knowing about these ahead of time will make your experience smoother from the beginning.

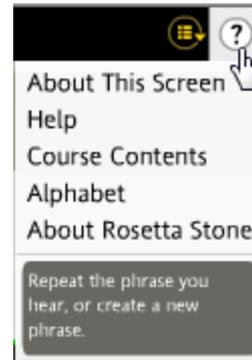
How can we help you? At Rosetta Stone, we're committed to helping you learn a new language successfully.

The Help menu gives you several useful options:

- **About This Screen.** Learn how to use the current screen.
- **Help.** Access Rosetta Course® help.
- **Course Contents.** Learn more about the curricula in Rosetta Course.
- **Alphabet.** Hear the sounds of the letters or characters in your new language.
- **About Rosetta Stone®.** Find the version number of your software.

For fast troubleshooting, go to success.RosettaStone.com to

- Chat online with a Rosetta Stone representative
- Find answers to common questions
- Submit a request for help



Use the Alphabet Reference Guide

Consult the alphabet reference guide to hear the sounds of the letters or characters in your new language. Listen to native speakers pronounce the letters in context.



Explore the Alphabet:

1. From within Rosetta Course®, click **Help** > **Alphabet**.
2. Click the letter, and then click the **Speaker** icon next to a word to hear how the letter is pronounced.

Explore the Toolbar

The toolbar lists your new language. Several icons lead to options and information.



 The **Change Language** icon appears if you have access to more than one language.

 The **Preferences** icon lets you change your settings and interface language.

 The **Help** icon lets you learn more about how to use Rosetta Course.

 The **Home** icon returns you to your Home Screen.

Use the Controls

In Rosetta Course® you'll find helpful controls at the bottom of the screen.

Navigation Bar. Click a number on the Navigation Bar to navigate to any screen within the activity.

Note: The Navigation Bar is disabled in Review, Adaptive Recall™, and Milestone activities.



Answer Preview Button. Click to pause the activity and see a preview of the answers. Click the icon again to return to the activity.



Pause/Advance Button. Click this just before your course screen advances if you want to pause and review before moving on to the next screen. Click it again to advance.

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Start Your Course

The Rosetta Course® Navigator on the Home Screen is your information center. From here you click the green **Start** icon to enter an activity in your course. The page also illustrates your progress through the course; you can view your progress on the Course Bar. A check mark appears when you've completed and received a passing score on an activity.



Access a Lesson:

1. Click the green **Start** icon on the Home Screen.
2. You enter a series of setup screens.
3. Your course launches after you've followed the final setup prompt.

Tip

You can also access any Core Lesson in any unit from the Rosetta Course® Navigator by selecting the unit and then clicking one of the Core Lesson icons on the Course Bar.

Need More Info?

To learn more about the Rosetta Course® Navigator, see [Explore the Rosetta Course Navigator](#).

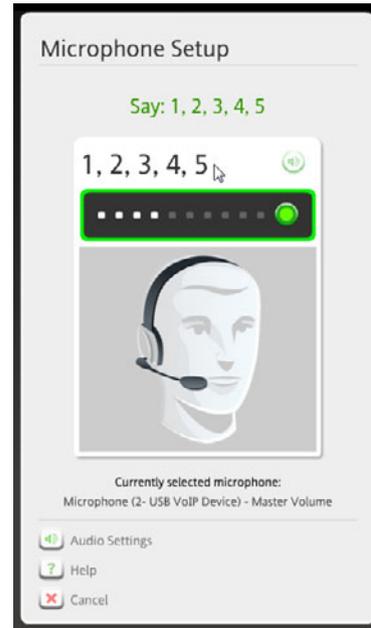
Need More Info?

To learn how to change your course, see [Change Your Course](#).

Set Up the Microphone

The advanced speech-recognition and analysis tool guides you to more accurate pronunciation. You speak into the microphone; the software provides feedback to help you adjust your pronunciation to match that of the native speaker.

Use the Microphone Setup screen to allow the speech-recognition tool to adjust to the normal tone of your voice. You can also access Audio Settings to set the Speech Precision Level or to specify a different microphone in later sessions.



Set Up the Microphone:

1. Select the correct microphone when you see the Microphone Selection screen.
2. Click **Continue**.
3. Click **Continue** when the Microphone Setup screen appears.
4. Speak into the microphone in a normal tone. Say: “1, 2, 3, 4, 5.”
5. When you get confirmation that the Microphone Setup was successful, click **Continue**.

Need More Info?

To learn more about speech-precision levels, see [Audio Settings](#).

Complete a Core Lesson

The Core Lesson is the main exercise that teaches you language. The focused activities, which we'll look at later, concentrate on specific language skills.

In the Core Lesson you learn words and create phrases. From the first activity you begin to read, listen, and speak in your new language.

Let's take a look at Unit 1, Lesson 1 to help you learn how Rosetta Course® teaches language. The first activity you'll do is a Core Lesson in which you'll learn nouns and then add verbs to create phrases or short sentences.

In the following topics, you'll learn how to complete each type of screen that appears in the Core Lesson.



Get Started:

1. For most screens in the lesson, a prompt appears and you select the image or text that best matches or completes the prompt.
2. If your selection is correct, a green check mark appears. If incorrect, an orange X appears.
3. After you complete the first screen in the lesson, the screen pauses and then auto advances.

Choose the Image

When you see a phrase and hear the native speaker, you're prompted to choose a matching picture. This screen type reinforces both listening and reading skills.



Remember, if you need help, you can preview the correct answers by clicking the **Answers** icon on the Navigation Bar.

The Navigation Bar



The Answers Icon



The Pause/Advance Icon

Choose the Image:

1. Listen to the native speaker and read the phrase that appears at the top of the screen.
2. Select the picture that best matches the phrase by clicking anywhere inside the picture.
3. Continue for each new phrase that appears at the top of the screen.

Tips

- By default, pages advance automatically in Rosetta Course®. On the Navigation Bar, you'll see either the Advance icon or the Pause icon.
- In Preferences you can deselect the auto-advance function. You can then use the Navigation Bar or click the **Advance** icon to move through screens.

Listen to the Native Speaker

Some screens don't have text. Listen to the native speaker and choose the picture that matches the phrase you hear. This screen type focuses on listening skills. To hear the native speaker repeat the phrase, click the **Speaker** icon at the top of the screen.



Listen to the Speaker:

On some screens, text is absent; you only hear the native speaker and see images.

1. Listen to the native speaker.
2. Click on the picture to select the image that best matches the phrase you hear.

Tip



To hear the native speaker repeat the words, click the **Speaker** icon above the picture.

Practice Your Speech

Some screens offer you the opportunity to practice your new language. In some cases our native speaker helps you. Repeat after the speaker. You have several opportunities to repeat the phrase.





Practice Your Speech:

1. Listen to the native speaker say the phrase that appears.
2. Click the **Speaker** icon to hear the native speaker repeat the phrase.
3. Repeat after the native speaker. Speak after you hear the tone.
4. Continue to repeat after the native speaker for each screen in this exercise.

Need More Info?

For more information on the speech-analysis function, see [Use Speech Analysis](#).

Produce a Phrase

Some Speech screens require you to produce a phrase without the help of our native speaker. This screen type requires you to use your intuition and your new language skills to produce a phrase. The new phrase will consist of words you've already learned.

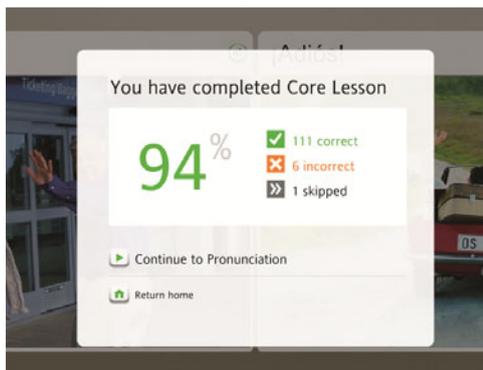


Produce a Phrase:

1. Examine the clues in the pictures and text to determine a correct phrase that represents the picture without text.
2. Speak into the microphone and produce a phrase that best represents the picture. Use words you've learned in Rosetta Course®.

View Your Score

Your score appears at the end of the activity. The green check mark shows the number of prompts you answered correctly. The orange X shows the number of incorrect answers. You can also see the number of screens you skipped or chose not to answer. The Score screen also allows you the opportunity to continue to the next activity or to return to the Home Screen.



- Continue to the next activity
- Return Home

Tip

You can view your score at any time, from any screen, by holding the pointer over the **Score** icon at the bottom right of the screen.



Score Icon

View Your Score:

Your score will appear at the end of the activity.

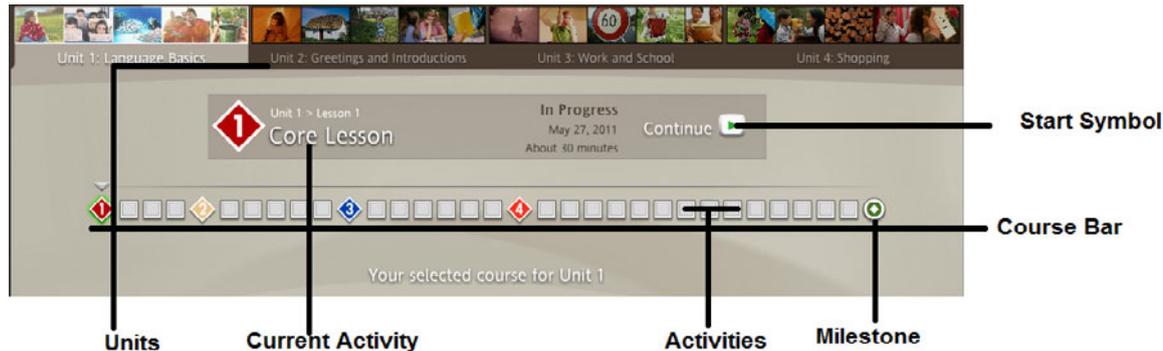
1. Note that the Score screen shows correct, incorrect, and skipped answers.
2. You have several options. The following are the most common:

Explore the Rosetta Course Navigator

The Rosetta Course Navigator on the Home Screen is your Rosetta Course® information center. Use the Course View to follow your selected course through each level and unit.

The Course View

The Course View is your gateway to your selected Rosetta Course. You can follow your progress through Rosetta Course on the Course Bar. Below the Course Bar, click the green **Start** icon to enter your course.



Identify the Parts of the Rosetta Course Dashboard:

- Each **level** of Rosetta Course® has four **units**. Select a unit from the **Unit Bar**.
- Each unit contains three types of activities: **Core Lessons**, **focused activities**, and a **Milestone**. Core Lessons introduce new material. Focused activities concentrate on particular skills, such as pronunciation or reading. The Milestone wraps up the unit with an interesting scenario for conversation.
- On the **Course Bar**, move the pointer over an icon to display the current Core Lesson, focused activity, or Milestone.
- To select a Core Lesson, activity, or Milestone, click its icon on the Course Bar or click the green **Start** icon. A check mark indicates you've completed that activity.

Explore All Activities

While Course View shows only the activities in your selected course, Explore View shows all activities available in a unit.

The activities are arranged in four columns representing Lessons 1, 2, 3, and 4. Each column is a stack of Activity Banners—a banner for each Core Lesson, focused activity, and Review.

In Explore View, activities included in your selected course are shown in color. Activities shown in gray are not included in your selected course, but you can click them here and complete them.

For example, if your selected course does not include Writing activities, you can still complete a Writing activity. Simply choose Explore View, and then click the activity.



Switch to Explore View:

On the Home Screen, click **Explore all activities**.

Choose an Activity Not in Your Selected Course:

Click any gray activity banner.

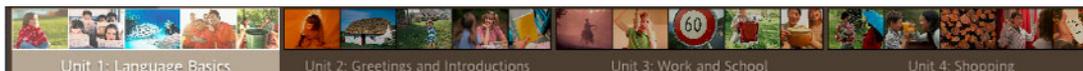
Switch Back to Course View:

Click **Return to Home Screen** to return to the Course View.

The Unit Bar and Course Bar

Enter Rosetta Course® levels and units through the Unit Bar. Click the green **Start** icon to return to where you were last learning. Use the Course Bar to navigate to activities and to follow your progress.

Unit Bar



Course Bar



Explore all activities for Unit 1



Learn About the Unit Bar and Course Bar:

- The Unit Bar represents your course by showing all four units.
- Each level has four units.
- Each unit has a series of lessons and a Milestone.
- Completed activities are marked on the Course Bar.
- The activity type appears in the Course Bar as you select an activity.
- Click an activity icon to launch the activity.
- Each picture on the Course Bar represents a lesson.
- Each lesson has several activities.
- Click the green **Start** icon to begin a new activity or to return to an activity. Rosetta Course® will take you to the activity you were working on.

Focused Activities

Focused activities allow you to concentrate on specific language skills or a combination of skills. They may include a few specialized screen types designed to emphasize these skills.

Your course contains a selection of the following focused activities:

- Pronunciation
- Grammar
- Listening and Reading
- Vocabulary
- Speaking
- Writing
- Listening
- Reading



A **Pronunciation** activity focuses on refining your pronunciation by giving you detailed visual feedback to compare your speech to that of the native speaker. If you've selected "Learn Letters and Sounds" in Level 1, you'll even have the opportunity to pronounce words broken down into pieces before pronouncing whole words.



Vocabulary is reinforced through a combination of images, reading, and listening exercises to help you practice your new words.



A **Grammar** activity helps you focus on the grammatical structures of the language you've learned.



Listening and Reading activities reinforce the connection between spoken and written text.



A **Reading** activity helps you connect sounds to letters in your new language and builds your reading ability as you learn.



A **Writing** activity helps you learn to spell and type words accurately in the language you're learning.



A **Listening** activity provides added training in listening comprehension.



A **Speaking** activity gives you plenty of speech practice, so you're confident speaking right away.

We build your course with focused activities placed at strategic points in your progress. For example, some focused activities for Lesson 1 may appear amid Lesson 3 activities, so what you've learned stays fresh in your memory.

Milestones

A Milestone appears at the end of each unit. A Milestone simulates a real-life scenario and allows you to practice what you've learned by participating in the conversation. Use what you learned in the unit and the context of the scenario to form questions and answers.



Follow the scenario by watching the photos slide across your screen. These images tell a story. The people in the scenario speak and sometimes ask you questions. Respond to the prompts in the conversation with speech that fits the context, and form questions for others to answer.



Participate in a Conversation

1. Follow the scenario by watching the pictures slide across your screen.
2. When the conversation begins, use the verbal and visual prompts to answer the questions.
3. As the conversation continues, follow the prompts and form questions or answers that fit the context.

Tip

If you need help forming a question or answer, start speaking and you'll be prompted with the correct phrase.

Review and Adaptive Recall

Rosetta Course® helps you remember what you've learned by placing activities at strategic points in your course progress. That's why you'll find focused activities from previous lessons sprinkled among activities from your current lesson. You can tell which lesson an activity represents by the color of its tile on the Course Bar.

Two other important features work with focused activities to help you remember everything you're learning.

Review

Review activities reinforce content you've learned in previous activities. We build your course with Reviews in just the right place to help you learn and remember efficiently.

Adaptive Recall

Adaptive Recall™ technology evaluates your scores on Review activities, and then it schedules you to repeat Reviews at optimal times to move your new knowledge into long-term memory. As you increase your mastery of the language, Reviews appear at longer intervals.



Script Systems

Some languages use more than one script for their writing systems. Depending on the language you're learning, you may see a prompt to choose a script when you select your course. Within an activity, script buttons at the bottom center of the screen make it easy to switch between scripts.



Change the script system you're learning:

Click the script icons at the bottom center of the Activity screen.

Note: Some script options contain small superscript characters to assist your reading and pronunciation. Click the magnifying glass to enlarge the superscript characters.

Chapter 4

Learn to Use the Screens

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Learn to Use the Screens

Rosetta Course® uses a variety of screen types to immerse you in the language. We've provided this quick reference to show you some examples of how you'll respond to screens. Instructions for completing each are on the following pages.



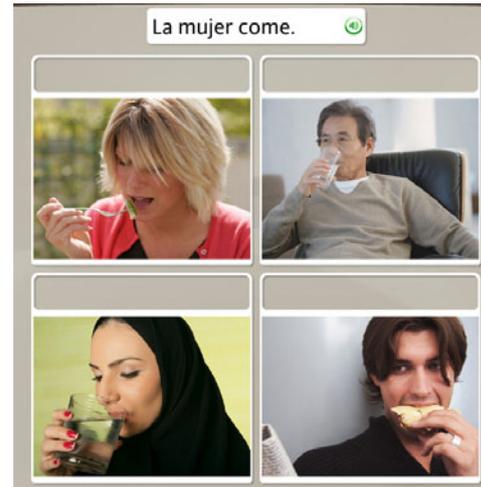
Choose an Image

In this screen type, you supply the missing piece by selecting an image to match the prompt. This screen uses images to associate words and meaning. Listen to the native speaker say the prompt. You may or may not see text at the top of the screen. Click on the image that best matches the prompt.



Choose an Image:

Click on the image that best matches the prompt.



Choose a Prompt

The Choose a Prompt screen uses images to associate words and meaning. This type of screen uses text or pictures as prompts at the top of the screen to be matched with pictures or text boxes below. In this screen type the missing piece may be text or an image.



Choose the Phrase:

1. Several text prompts appear above a picture. The native speaker will read one of the phrases.
2. Click on the phrase that matches the picture.

Choose the Picture:

1. Several picture prompts appear above text boxes.
2. Click the picture that best matches the highlighted text box.

If you choose the correct answer, you'll move to the next task. If you choose incorrectly, you'll be prompted to choose another.

Practice Speaking

Speech screens help you master spoken language and develop conversation skills. Your voice provides the missing piece.

Rosetta Stone® software uses speech-recognition technology and a unique method of speech analysis to evaluate your speech patterns. We also use Contextual Formation™, which asks you to produce new phrases using the language you've learned. Several types of Speech screens offer several ways for you to master speech in your new language:

- Practice Speaking
- Produce a Phrase or Sentence
- Speech Analysis



Practice Speaking:

The Speech screen may appear with or without text.

1. At the Record prompt, speak into the microphone. As you speak, the text appears in the black box. If you speak it correctly, it appears in white; if incorrectly, it appears in gray. When you're finished, an arc on the Record icon indicates your level of accuracy.
2. If you pronounce the phrase incorrectly, you'll be prompted to repeat the phrase.
3. If you're unable to complete a screen, click the right arrow at the bottom of the screen to advance to the next screen.

Tip

Keep speech recognition on to optimize your learning. Speech recognition helps you correctly reproduce the sounds of your new language. If you ever need to disable speech recognition, click the **Preferences** icon in your toolbar. Go to the Audio Settings tab, then uncheck the box that says **Use speech recognition**. Just be sure to check the box again to turn speech recognition on again.

Need More Info?

To set speech-precision levels, see [Audio Settings](#).

Produce a New Phrase or Sentence

Our Contextual Formation™ learning method allows you to produce new phrases and sentences on your own. We prompt you carefully, using words and pictures. You produce a new word or phrase that fits the context. This prepares you for the challenge of real-life conversation.



Produce a New Phrase:

1. Study the images.
2. Say a new phrase or sentence into the microphone, using the context of the images and other text on the screen.

Pronounce Syllables

The Pronunciation screen teaches language syllable by syllable. This screen type focuses on correct pronunciation by breaking down words into syllables. Repeat each syllable after the native speaker. Put the syllables together to pronounce the word correctly.



Pronounce the Word:

1. Listen to the native speaker say the word.
2. Repeat each syllable after the speaker.
3. Put the syllables together to say the word.

Select from Multiple Choices

The Multiple Choice screens provide training on the structure of the language you're learning. For example, you might connect articles to nouns, form singular and plural words, or determine masculine and feminine forms.

From the options, click on the one that correctly completes the phrase or sentence.



Choose the Correct Option:

1. Read the phrase or sentence with the missing word.
2. From the options presented, click to select the answer that correctly completes the phrase or sentence.
3. If you select the incorrect answer, you'll be prompted to choose another. If you select the correct answer, your choice will appear in the blank and you'll move to the next task.

Use Speech Analysis

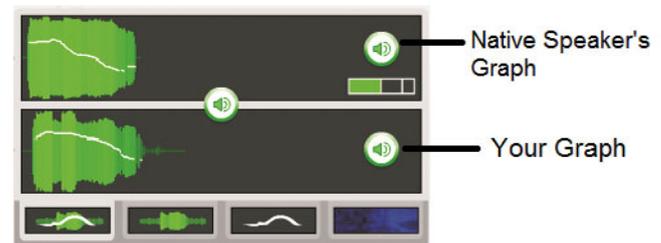
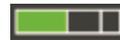
Rosetta Course® uses speech analysis to help you evaluate your speech patterns as you repeat after the native speaker. Graphs on the Speech Analysis screen show speech patterns.

On any Speech screen, click the **Speech Analysis** icon to open a new screen. The icon is gray, but becomes highlighted when you hold your pointer over it. On other screen types this icon is available, but you must click the **Answers** icon to access the Speech Analysis icon.

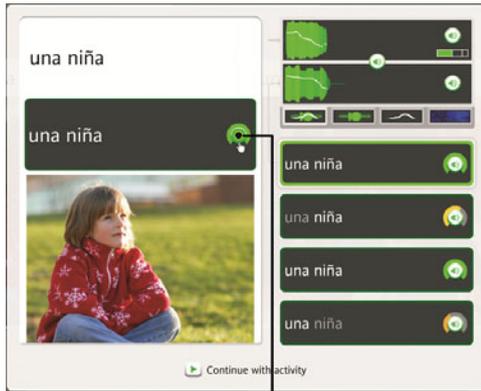


the speaker's voice to see a graph of your voice and click the **Record** icon to record again. Click the appropriate **Speaker** icon to review a recording.

Slowest - Slow - Normal



On Speech Analysis screens, the native speaker's voice plays at a slow speed and a Record prompt appears. Mimic



Record Icon

Compare Your Speech to the Native Speaker's Speech:

1. Click the **Speech Analysis** icon.
2. Listen to the native speaker and watch the voice graph.
3. At the Record prompt, speak into the microphone. Mimic the native speaker's voice; use the graph as a guide.
4. If you're not satisfied with your pronunciation, try again. Click the **Record** icon and speak into the microphone. The arc on the Record icon indicates your level of accuracy.

Tip

To use the speech-analysis function, click the **Speech**

Analysis icon on any Speech screen. On other types of screens, click the **Answers** icon to access the Speech Analysis icon.



Answers Icon

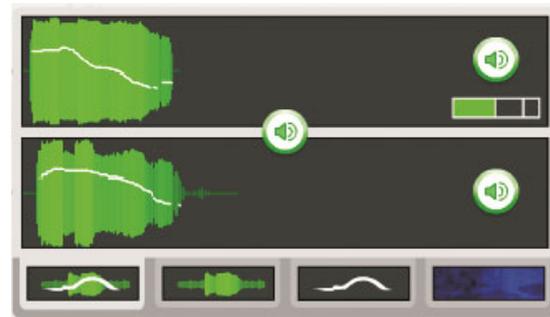


Speech Analysis Icon

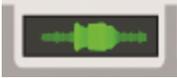
Evaluate Speech Using Graphs

The graphs on the Speech Analysis screen help you evaluate and improve your speech patterns by giving you a visual comparison of your speech (lower graph) with the native speaker's speech (upper graph). There are four graph modes available.

Emphasis and Pitch displays the combination of the strength of your speech and the high-to-low pitch change.



Emphasis displays the strength of your speech.



Pitch displays your voice's high-to-low change in pitch.



A **Spectrogram**, or voiceprint, displays the strength of voice frequencies over time.



Use the Graphs to Refine Your Speech Patterns:

1. Click the **Speaker** icon on your recording history to listen to your recording and compare the graph to the native speaker's graph.



2. Click the **Graph** icons to review speech patterns in one of four ways.



Tip

The native speaker's voice defaults to slow speed. Slide the speech control to change the speed of the native speaker's voice.



Practice Writing

Rosetta Course® helps you learn how to write in the language you're studying. One of the ways you learn to write words and phrases is by typing the words and phrases as you read and hear them.

The purpose of the Writing screen is to teach you how to spell words in the language you're learning. It also familiarizes you with the alphabet for the language.

In a writing exercise, use the clues in other photos to help you determine the missing letters or words, and then type the correct word or phrase. In some screens the text clues will aid you. Other screens are more challenging; you'll only hear the native speaker say the words or phrases, and you must type what you hear.

Use your keyboard to type the letters, or click the correct letters on the on-screen keyboard.



Type a Phrase:

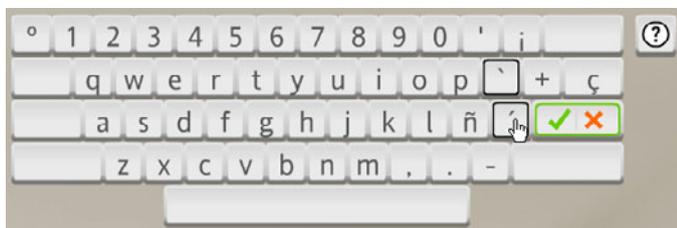
1. Identify the photo with the highlighted empty space.
2. Read or listen to the clues on the screen, and type the missing phrase in the empty space above the photo.
3. Click **Enter** on the keyboard.

Incorrect Answers:

The incorrect letter will be highlighted. Correct the mistake to move to the next task. If you type more than one incorrect letter, each incorrect letter will be highlighted until you correct it.

Tips

- Use your keyboard to type text, or click the letters on the onscreen keyboard.
- Click a special character key to select additional characters with accent or diacritical marks.
- Click **Enter**.



Explore the Keyboard

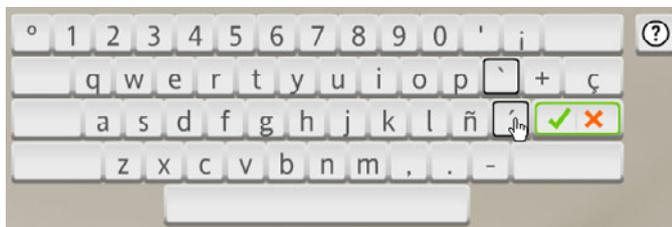
On a Writing screen, your computer keyboard uses the layout of the onscreen keyboard, so explore the onscreen keyboard to locate characters.

Some languages have unique features such as accent marks and other diacritical marks, combined characters, or letters that have different forms depending on their location in a sentence. You'll get more familiar with the keyboard as you explore, and the Writing screens will give you practice.

 If you hold your pointer over the **Question Mark** icon near the onscreen keyboard, you'll see more information about typing in the language you're learning. In general, the Shift key and the Caps Lock help the onscreen keyboard display all the characters.

The keyboards for some languages have certain keys outlined in black. These keys help you type characters that require multiple keystrokes.

For a few languages, you can choose any of several keyboard layouts. Learn how to choose a keyboard layout in the following **Course Settings** section.



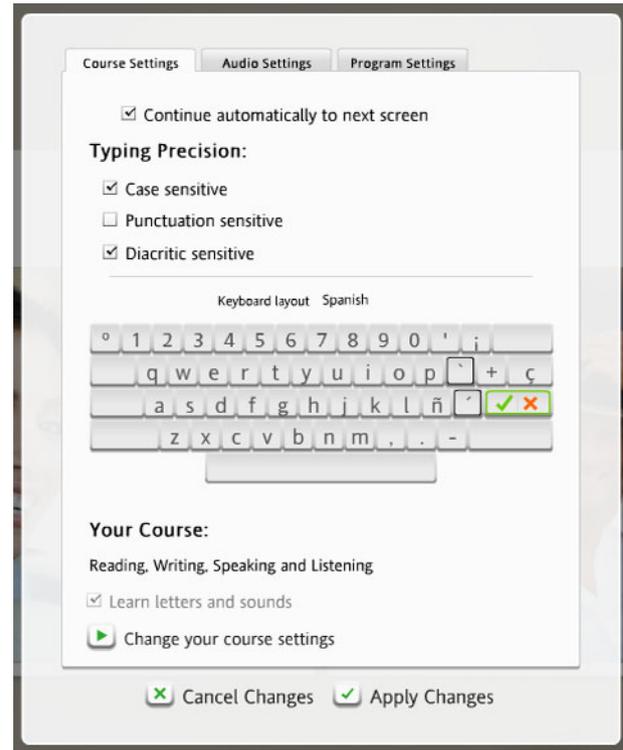
Course Settings

Use Course Settings under the Preferences menu to change the precision level of your typing exercises. If you check the boxes, you're required to type using case sensitivity, accurate punctuation, and correct diacritical marks (such as accent marks).

Depending on the language you're studying, you may be able to choose an alternative keyboard layout to make it easier to type in your new language.

You can also modify your selected course.

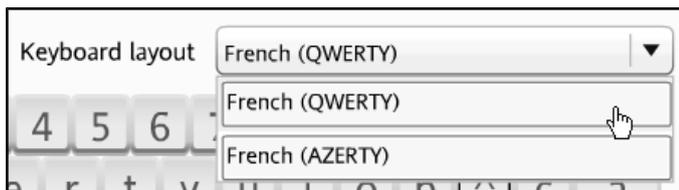
Note: The Preferences menu will appear on your toolbar after you launch Rosetta Course®.



Choose Typing Preferences:

1. Click the **Preferences** icon located on the toolbar.
2. Click **Set Preferences**.
3. Select the **Course Settings** tab.

- Click the box next to one or more options of your choice. By checking any of these options, you're increasing the difficulty level of typing exercises.
- Use the pull-down menu next to **Keyboard layout** and choose an option. This option refers to the way the keys are arranged on the keyboard. It varies among languages.
- Click **Apply Changes** to keep new settings, or **Cancel Changes** to return to original settings.

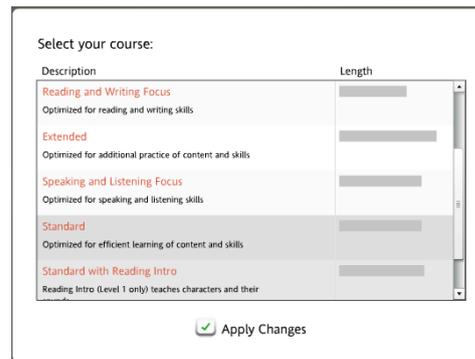


Tip

Uncheck all boxes for the easiest typing mode.

Change Your Course

You can change the course you selected when you first started Rosetta Course®. Doing so will add some activities and remove others. Short courses such as Speaking and Listening, and Reading and Writing, primarily focus on the named language skills. Some languages use more than one script. Click on the script system you want to learn.



Change Your Course:

- Click the **Preferences** icon located on the toolbar.
- Click **Set Preferences**.
- Select the **Course Settings** tab.
- Click **Change your course settings**.
- Choose a course that applies to your language-learning needs.
- Click **Apply Changes** to keep new settings, or **Cancel Changes** to return to original settings.

Tip

Changing your course adds some activities to your course and removes others. New activities appear in your Course Bar. We recommend that you change your course only if your language-learning goals have changed.

Audio Settings

Use Audio Settings under the Preferences menu to adjust audio devices, speech recognition, or other sound settings.

Note: The Preferences menu will appear on your toolbar after you launch Rosetta Course®.

Change Device Settings

Use the Device Settings screen to view and select from available microphones. Use Microphone Setup to set up your microphone. You can also adjust Speaker Volume.

Note: For more about Microphone Setup, see [Set Up the Microphone](#).

Change Speech Settings

Use the Speech Recognition Settings screen to change the precision level of your speech practice. Choose your Voice Type to help the Rosetta Stone® speech recognition tool adjust to your voice.

Answer Sounds Settings

You can choose to disable sounds that indicate correct and incorrect answers.



Go To Audio Settings:

1. Click the **Preferences** icon located on the toolbar.
2. Click **Set Preferences**.
3. Select the **Audio Settings** tab.

Change Microphones:

1. Connect your microphone to your computer.
2. Click **Refresh List**.
3. Select the correct microphone from the list of available microphones.

4. Click **Microphone Setup** and follow the prompts.
5. Click **Apply Changes**.

Set Speech Precision Level:

1. Use the slider to select a Speech Precision Level to set the software's response to the accuracy of your pronunciation.
2. Select Voice Type.
3. Click **Apply Changes** to keep new settings, or **Cancel Changes** to return to original settings.