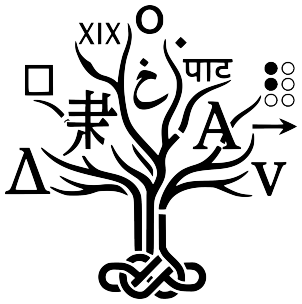
Information for Educators



Educators, institutions, and parents are encouraged to promote ILC as an enrichment activity for students interested in linguistics and language analysis. ILC's main aim is to inspire students to engage with scientific inquiry and provide a platform for talented individuals to demonstrate and develop their abilities. We offer tools and materials to help teachers incorporate the competition into educational settings and support participants.

The ILC helps students develop analytical abilities by engaging them with a variety of linguistic problems. These tasks are suitable for use as assignments or academic projects. Additionally, instructors and institutions can apply ILC materials in extracurricular clubs or language analysis workshops.

Importantly, the problems are designed to be accessible to students from a variety of backgrounds – from those with little to no prior experience in linguistics to highly enthusiastic and knowledgeable learners. Through this approach, we aim to motivate a wide range of students to explore linguistics while offering exceptional students a chance to assess their skills and deepen their understanding beyond the traditional curriculum.

1 Special School Awards

Recognizing the important role of educational institutions and teachers in developing linguistic talent, ILC offers three categories of school recognition (non-monetary):

1x ILC School Award for Most Participants:	Given to the school with the most registered students in the Qualification Round.
1x ILC School Award for Most Finalists:	Given to the school with the most students advancing to the Final Round.
ILC School Awards for Excellence:	Given to schools demonstrating strong student achievement, a supportive participant environment, or dedication to linguistics education through ILC.

How do schools participate to win these awards?

Schools automatically participate when students register using the school's name. Please ensure all students enter the school name accurately and consistently. We also encourage teachers from participating schools to register on our educator platform.

2 Teacher Login and Resources

We encourage teachers to register for the dedicated ILC Teacher Portal (https://lingchallenge.org/teacher-login). This platform offers tools to:

- Monitor student progress, access results, and retrieve certificates.
- Manage the supervision process for Final Round examinations.
- Facilitate group registration payments for the Pre-Final Round when appropriate.

Teacher registration is available here: https://lingchallenge.org/teacher-registration

3 Group Payment Option

Participation in the Pre-Final Round requires a registration cost of 27 EUR per student. We offer a convenient group payment option for educators and institutions to manage these costs for multiple participants at once. This feature

becomes available through the teacher interface after the Qualification Round results are announced.

If you wish to establish an ILC or linguistics club at your institution, integrate ILC problems into your teaching, or require promotional materials such as flyers and posters, please visit our website or reach out directly.