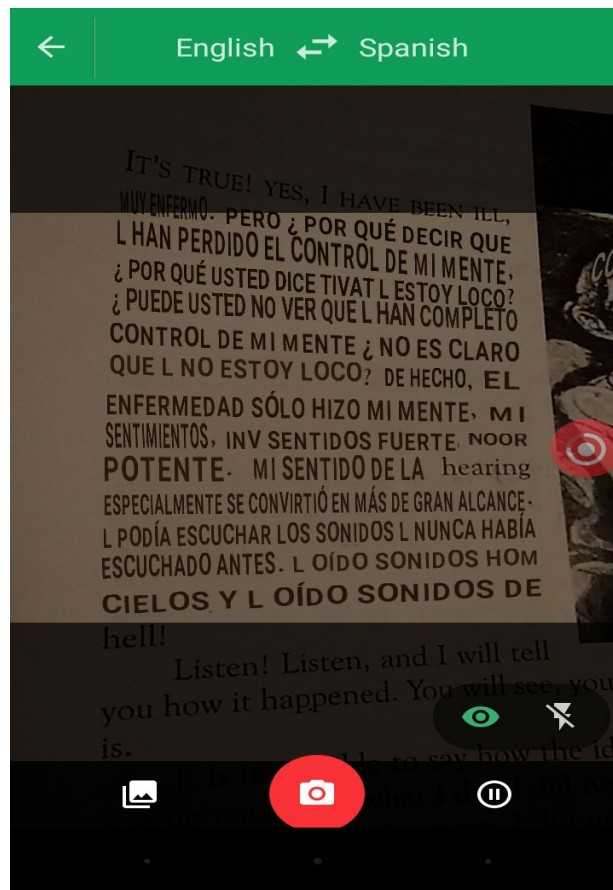


Using the Google Translate App to Help ELL Students Bridge the Language Gap

The new Google Translate app is free and has many innovative ways to help ELLs.

The text searcher is still ever present but here are the new ways Google Translate is helping ELLs.

- It has Photographic translation. With this tool ELL students can take photos of the words or text they can't comprehend in English and translate it to their native language. This tool can also use screenshots and other such material and translate them into more understandable text.



- The audio translator. The student can say the foreign word into the app and it will give them their native equivalent, which helps make further connections between the two words.

← Speech

see how I translate the words that I'm ×

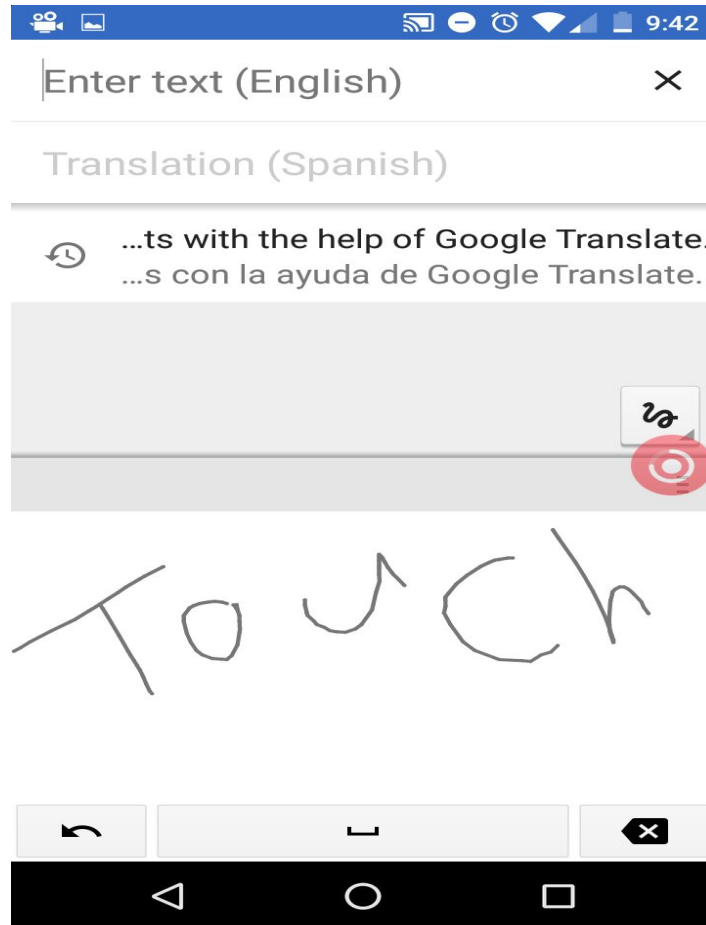
Ver cómo tradujo las palabras que soy.



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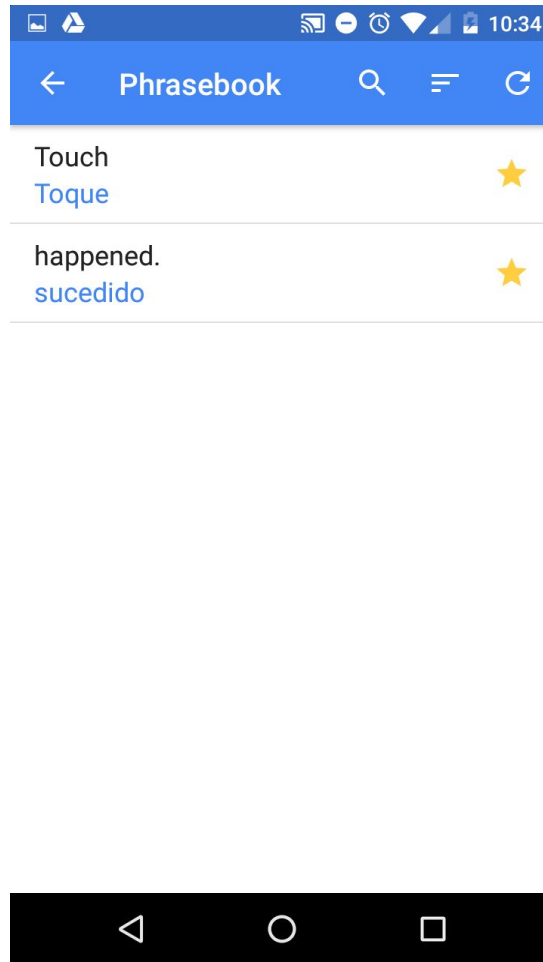
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- The writing translator. With this the students can write out the word they do not understand and it will translate into their typical language.

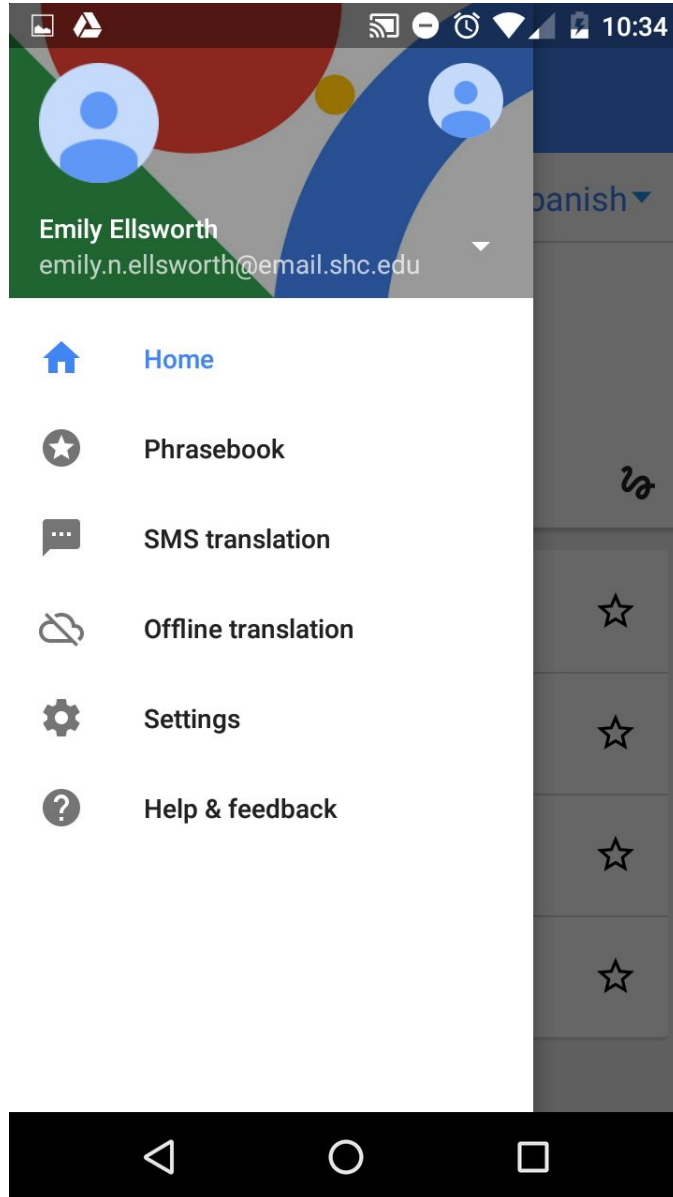


Each translation has alternate translations, definitions, and is archived until students want to get rid of them.

They can even long term save certain phrases in their Google Translate Phrasebook.



This App works both on and offline and can be applied to other cellular, tablet, or laptop applications.



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