

*An Introduction to Language and Linguistics*  
**Links to websites - Chapter 8**

**Language Change** - Shaligram Shukla and Jeff Connor-Linton

**Chronology of Events in the History of English**

<http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~kemmer/Words/chron.html>

**Quantitative Methods in Language Classification**

Describes a project exploring novel methods for language comparison and classification

<http://www.shef.ac.uk/language/quantling/>

**Old English Pages**

An encyclopedic compendium of resources for the study of Old English and Anglo-Saxon England

[http://www.georgetown.edu/faculty/ballc/oe/old\\_english.html](http://www.georgetown.edu/faculty/ballc/oe/old_english.html)

**Old English at University of Calgary**

Online courses in Old English and Old English literature

<http://www.ucalgary.ca/UofC/eduweb/engl401/>

**The Great Vowel Shift**

Animated vowel charts, as well as sound samples from Chaucer and Shakespeare, and a comparison of a dialogue as it was spoken during four periods, from Middle English to 1750

<http://alpha.furman.edu/~mmenzer/gvs/>

**The History of English Phonemes**

Traces the development of the phonemes of English from the Old English period into Present-Day English

<http://alpha.furman.edu/~wrogers/phonemes/>

**Labyrinth Library: Middle English Bookcase**

Links to a number of online Middle English texts

<http://www.georgetown.edu/labyrinth/library/me/me.html>

**WordOrigins.org**

Etymology of more than 400 words and phrases

<http://www.wordorigins.org/>

**HEL: History of the English Language**

List of links

<http://ebbs.english.vt.edu/hel/hel.html>

**Tok Pisin Page**

Grammatical characteristics, sound samples, and further links

<http://www.ida.liu.se/~g-robek/PNG-TokPisin.htm>