

Instructions to use Rosetta Stone through Mason

Before you start, you need to get a G-number for Mason.

Then you need to get your Mason UserID (probably your first initial and last name) and set up your Mason password.

If you want to use Rosetta Stone on a smartphone, download either the iPhone app or the Android app. (Search for Rosetta Stone in the store.)

You will have to execute all of the following steps each time you log on to Rosetta Stone. You can do this on a smart phone or on your PC, and you can switch between them. I think the PC is best when I'm at home, but use the iPhone app when I'm out and about. It will remember your progress as you switch between devices.

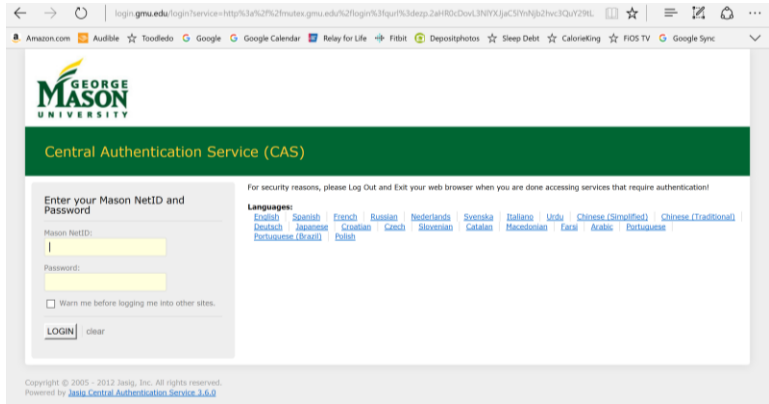
Go to library.gmu.edu/rosetta

The screenshot shows the website for Rosetta Stone Language Learning Software. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for Search, Learn, Use the Libraries, User Information, and About. Below that, the page title is "Rosetta Stone Language Learning Software". A blue banner reads "LIBRARY SOLUTION" and "Rosetta Stone Education". The main heading is "Available from University Libraries". Below this, there's a paragraph about Rosetta Stone being premier software for language learning, followed by a list of features: it takes the average learner 50 hours to complete a chosen language level, and it offers best practices for learning. A section titled "Language Learning Software Set-up" provides information about computer systems and accessories. To the right, there's a photograph of a large hall with many flags hanging from the ceiling.

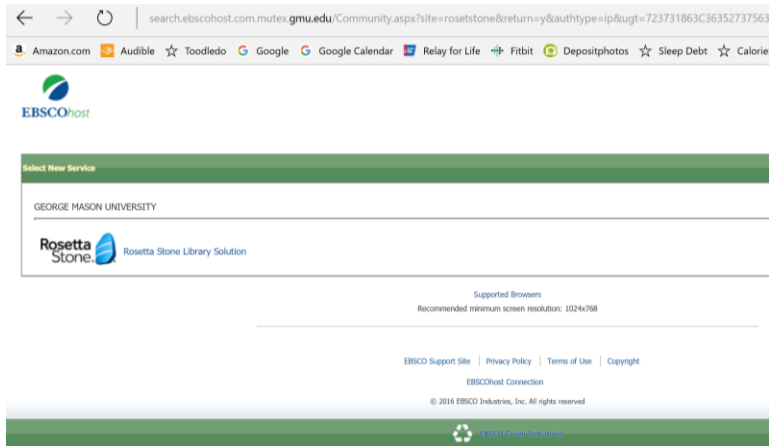
Page down to where it says **“How to get started with software”**

The screenshot shows the "How to get started with software?" section. It begins with the instruction to access Rosetta Stone by clicking on a link. Below this, there's a list of steps: 1. Alternatively, you can go to library.gmu.edu and click on the Databases tab. 2. Enter your GMU email address and a user id. 3. Create a password. 4. Select the language you want to learn. A "Frequently Asked Questions" section follows, with links to questions like "How do I change language selection?" and "Can I learn more than one language at a time?". Below the FAQ, there are three bullet points: 1. Desktop access plus instructions for syncing with mobile apps. 2. Practice your language skills such as listening to music, reading the news, or watching movies. 3. Find a language learning partner. At the bottom, there's a footer with links for Library A-Z, Forms, Employment, Accessibility, Privacy, Staff Directory, and Staff Only, along with social media icons for RSS, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and LinkedIn.

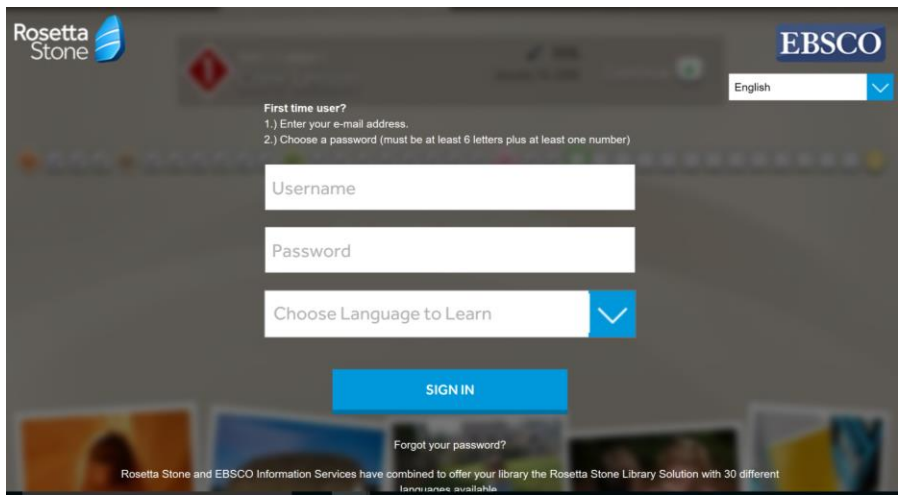
Click on the blue link **Rosetta Stone**.



Enter your **Mason NetID** and **password**.

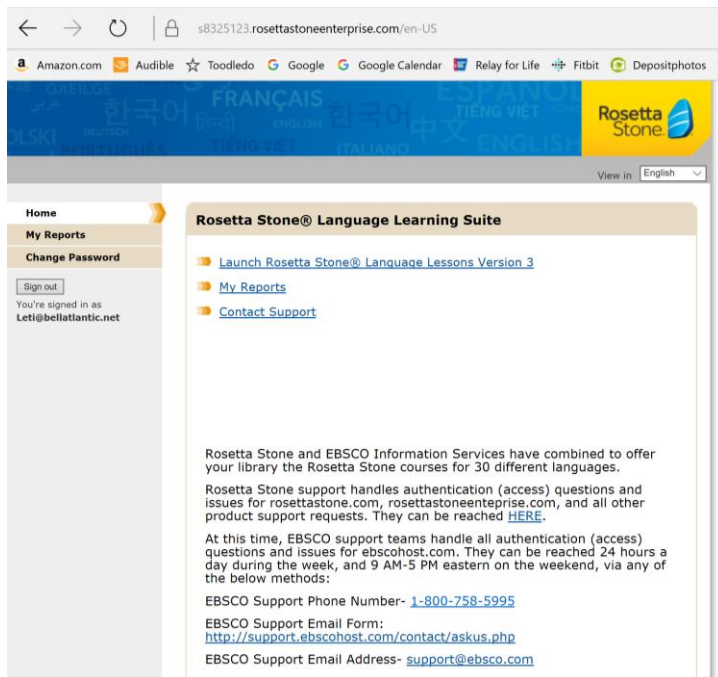


Click on the blue **“Rosetta Stone Library Solution.”**



The first time through, enter your email for the username and create a password. After that, every time you login, use the same username and password. Select the language you want to learn, and click “Sign In.”

This is the screen you will see once you are logged in:



Click on the blue “Launch Rosetta Stone Language Lessons Version 3”

If you are doing this on an iPhone, it will now ask if you want to open in the Languages app – say yes. (I assume it works the same for Android.) If you are on your computer, just wait and it will open Rosetta Stone in a separate window on your PC.

If you’re using a smartphone, just continue with the app.

If you’re on a PC, it will ask you what language you want to learn (even though you already entered this when you logged on.) It will then ask you your level.

Then the course will be loaded.

I hope this helps. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at leti@verizon.net.

Regards,

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