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### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Interpret corpus data using techniques such as concordancing, collocation and keywords.
- Describe the main methodological underpinnings behind corpus linguistics.
- Apply corpus linguistic techniques to the analysis of different types of data.
- Collect own corpora.
- Design research studies using corpus methods.
- Explain corpus methods as well as a range of applications of this versatile methodology.
- Perform corpus analysis using a range of corpus tools such as #LancsBox, CQPweb, USAS and BNClab.

#### **SYLLABUS**

- Introduction to corpus linguistics and basic techniques: concordancing
- Further corpus techniques: collocation and keywords
- Corpus-based discourse analysis
- Building a corpus: tagging and processing data
- Sociolinguistics: analysing BNC1994 and BNC2014
- Textbook and dictionary construction
- Language learning and corpus linguistics

Swearing extravaganza: looking at language and society

