

English Communication II

Course Introduction

This course is a continuation of English Communication I and aims to cultivate a basic ability to communicate in English in the community. Students will be divided into 3 levels: upper, middle, and lower. Through coordinated classes and materials, native English-speaking teachers will teach the four skills comprehensively, but focus especially on listening and speaking.

Goals:

1. Improve students' listening ability through bottom-up processing dictations & top-down processing video exercises.
2. Train students to do a 3-minute time-order and space-order presentation.
3. Expand students' vocabulary knowledge through weekly exercises and testing.
4. Give students many structured opportunities to express themselves in pairs and groups.

In class, you will practice dictation, listening comprehension, discussion and presentations with a partner and in small groups. In addition, you will do homework each week consisting of vocabulary building and listening exercises and dictation. Your grade is based on the following:

Grades:

2 Tests	40%
2 Presentations	30%
Homework, quizzes, and class work	30%

Homework:

The assigned homework each week can be found by going to the following URL:
<http://culliganco.com/AoyamaCCS/EC2/index.html>

Attendance:

You must attend classes. Your grade will be reduced if you are absent. If you are more than twenty minutes late for a class, you will be marked as absent on that day. If you are late twenty minutes or less, you will be marked as late on that day. Three late attendances count as one absence. **If you are absent four times, you will FAIL this course.**

授業には出席しなければなりません。欠席すると成績は下がります。授業に20分以上遅刻すると「欠席」の扱いになります。20分未満の遅れは「遅刻」になります。「遅刻」を3回すると1回の「欠席」の扱いになります。4回欠席したらこの授業の成績は「不合格」となります。

Course Schedule

- Week 1**
Sept 18
- In Class**
- 1) Class Course Introduction - Course objectives
 - 2) Form-Focused Dictation1 (FFD1)
 - 3) Practice making questions
- Homework**
- Watch Video Music (a,b) and answer questions. Discussion Questions Dictation 1 (DQD1) & Word Set 1 exercises
- Week 2**
Sept 25
- In Class**
- 1) Homework & Review Quiz
 - 2) FFD2
 - 3) Video Music (a, b)
 - 4) DQD1 – Music
 - 5) Explanation Presentation 1 – Music
- Homework**
- Watch Video Music (c,d) and answer questions & Word Set 2 exercises
- Week 3**
Oct 2
- In Class**
- 1) Homework & Review Quiz
 - 2) FFD3
 - 3) Video Music (c, d)
 - 4) Video Music Discussion
 - 5) Presentation 1 – Music preparation
- Homework**
- Word Set 3 exercises & Prepare & practice Presentation 1
- Week 4**
Oct 9
- In Class**
- 1) Homework & Review Quiz
 - 2) Presentation 1 Round Robin: Topic - MUSIC.
- Homework**
- Watch Video “How to Use YouTube for Listening” (a) & answer questions, DQD 2 – YouTube Word Set 4 exercises
- Week 5**
Oct 16
- In Class**
- 1) Homework & Review Quiz
 - 2) FFD4
 - 3) Video “How to Use YouTube for Listening”(a)
 - 4) DQD2 – YouTube
 - 5) Prepare presentation 2 YouTube video
- Homework**
- Watch Video “How to Use YouTube for Listening” (b) & answer questions, Word Set 5 exercises & Prepare presentation 2 Topic - YouTube
- Week 6**
Oct 23
- In Class**
- 1) Homework & Review Quiz
 - 2) FFD5
 - 3) Midterm test review
 - 4) Round Robin Presentation 2 – YouTube
- Homework**
- Prepare for Midterm Test

Week 7	In Class
Nov 6	Midterm Test
	Homework
	Watch Video Sports (a, b) and answer questions; DQD3 – Sports, Word Set exercises 6
Week 8	In Class
Nov 13	1) Homework & Review Quiz
	2) FFD6
	3) Video 3 Sports (a, b)
	4) DQD3 - Sports
	5) Prepare Presentation 3 Topic – Sports
	Homework
	Watch Video 3 Sports (c, d) and answer questions; Word Set 7 exercises & Prepare Presentation 3 Topic – Sports
Week 9	In Class
Nov 20	1) Homework & Review Quiz
	2) FFD7
	3) Video 3 Sports (c, d)
	4) Round Robin Presentation 3 Topic – Sports
	Homework
	Watch Video Past & Future (a, b) & answer questions; DQD4, Word Set 8 exercises
Week 10	In Class
Nov 27	1) Homework & Review Quiz
	2) FFD8
	3) Video Past & Future (a, b)
	4) DQD4
	5) Prepare Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
	Homework
	Video 4 Past & Future (c, d), Prepare Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future, Word Set 9 exercises
Week 11	In Class
Dec 4	1) Homework & Review Quiz
	2) FFD9
	3) Video 4 Past & Future (c, d)
	4) Round Robin Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
	Homework
	Word Set 10 exercises, Practice Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
Week 12	In Class
Dec 11	1) Homework & Review Quiz
	2) FFD10
	3) Formal Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
	Homework
	Practice Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
Week 13	In Class

Dec 18 Formal Presentation 4 Topic – Past & Future
Homework
Prepare answers for DQD 3 & DQD 4, Review FFD 6 – 10, & Word Sets 6 - 10

Week 14 **In Class**
Jan 8 1) Homework & Review Quiz
2) Discussion using DQD 3 & DQD 4
3) Final Test Review
Homework
Review all materials.

Week 15 **In Class**
Jan 15 Final Test
Homework
Check the portal for any additional information.