

Syllabus checklist

	Grammar	Vocabulary	Pronunciation	Speaking	Listening	Reading
1						
4	A Who's who?	word order in questions	common verb phrases, classroom language	vowel sounds, the alphabet	talking about dates and times	dates and times
6	B Who knows you better?	simple present	family, personality adjectives	third person and plural -s	describing a person you know well	understanding an anecdote Who knows you better, your family or your friends?
8	C At the Moulin Rouge	present continuous	the body, prepositions of place	vowel sounds	describing a painting	understanding a guide song: <i>Ain't got no – I got life</i>
10	D The Devil's Dictionary	defining relative clauses (<i>a person who ... , a thing that ...</i>)	expressions for paraphrasing: <i>like, for example, etc.</i>	pronunciation in a dictionary	giving definitions	TV game show: <i>What's the word?</i> The Devil's Dictionary
12	PRACTICAL ENGLISH At the airport					
13	WRITING Describing yourself					
14	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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16	A Right place, wrong time	simple past: regular and irregular verbs	vacations	-ed endings, irregular verbs	your last vacation	an interview about a disastrous vacation The Travel Magazine
18	B A moment in time	past continuous	prepositions of time and place: <i>at, in, on</i>	/ə/ and /ər/	describing famous photos	Lovers at the Bastille Famous photographs by Harry Benson and Willy Ronis
20	C Fifty years of pop music	questions with and without auxiliaries	question words, pop music	/w/ and /h/	favorite music, music quiz	song: <i>Imagine</i> Who wrote <i>Imagine</i> ?
22	D One October evening	<i>so, because, but, although</i>	verb phrases	the letter <i>a</i>	retelling a story	Hannah and Jamie: the end of the story Hannah and Jamie: a short story
24	PRACTICAL ENGLISH At the conference hotel					
25	WRITING The story behind a photo					
26	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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28	A Where are you going?	<i>going to, present continuous (future arrangements)</i>	<i>look (for, through, etc.)</i>	sentence stress	talking about plans and arrangements	an interview with Marina Airport stories
30	B The pessimist's phrase book	<i>will / won't (predictions)</i>	opposite verbs	contractions (<i>will / won't</i>), /ə/ and /oʊ/	making positive predictions	a radio program about positive thinking
32	C I'll always love you	<i>will / won't (promises, offers, decisions)</i>	verb + <i>back</i>	word stress: two-syllable words	<i>I'll</i> game	song: <i>White flag</i> Promises, promises
34	D I was only dreaming	review of tenses: present, past, and future	verbs + prepositions	sentence stress	interpreting dreams	psychoanalyst and patient book extract: Understanding your dreams
36	PRACTICAL ENGLISH Restaurant problems					
37	WRITING An informal letter					
38	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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40	A From rags to riches	present perfect (experience) + <i>ever, never</i> ; present perfect or simple past?	clothes	vowel sounds	interviewing a partner about clothes	street interviews: Zara song: <i>True Blue</i> Zara
42	B Family conflicts	present perfect + <i>yet</i> and <i>already</i>	verb phrases	/h/, /y/, and /dʒ/	Has he done it yet? (information gap)	Problems with your teenage children?
44	C Faster, faster!	comparatives, <i>as ... as / less ... than ...</i>	time expressions: <i>spend time, waste time, etc.</i>	sentence stress	questionnaire: <i>Are you living faster?</i>	vox pops: living faster We're living faster
46	D The world's friendliest city	superlatives (+ <i>ever</i> + present perfect)	opposite adjectives	word stress	talking about experiences	London The world's friendliest city
48	PRACTICAL ENGLISH Lost in San Francisco					
49	WRITING Describing where you live					
50	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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52	A Are you a party animal?	uses of the infinitive	verbs + infinitive	word stress	interview a partner about parties	conversations at a party What to say (and what not to say) to people at parties
54	B What makes you feel good?	uses of the -ing form of verbs	verbs followed by -ing	/ɪ/	discussing personal information	radio program about learning to sing What makes you feel good?
56	C How much can you learn in a month?	<i>have to, don't have to, must, must not, can't</i>	modifiers: <i>a little (bit), really, etc.</i>	sentence stress	talking about language learning	journalist talking about learning Portuguese How much can you learn in a month?
58	D The name of the game	expressing movement	prepositions of movement, sports	prepositions	telling an anecdote: most exciting sporting event	song: <i>We are the champions</i> Your most exciting sporting moments
60	PRACTICAL ENGLISH At a department store					
61	WRITING A formal e-mail					
62	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					

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64	A If something bad can happen, it will	<i>if + present, will + base form (first conditional)</i>	confusing verbs	vowels	inventing some new Murphy's Laws	Murphy's Law
66	B Never smile at a crocodile	<i>if + past, would + base form (second conditional)</i>	animals	stress and rhythm	questionnaire: Would you survive? a survival expert song: <i>Wouldn't it be nice?</i>	Nature's perfect killing machine
68	C Decisions, decisions	<i>may / might (possibility)</i>	word building: noun formation	sentence stress, <i>-ion</i> endings	Are you indecisive?	How to make decisions
70	D What should I do?	<i>should / shouldn't</i>	<i>get</i>	/ʊ/, sentence stress	discussing advice	radio program: <i>What's the problem?</i> What's the problem?
72	PRACTICAL ENGLISH At the pharmacy					
73	WRITING Writing to a friend					
74	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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76	A Famous fears and phobias	<i>present perfect + for and since</i>	words related to fear	/ɪ/ and /aɪ/, sentence stress	pairwork interview	interview about a phobia We're all afraid...
78	B Born to direct	<i>present perfect or simple past?</i>	biographies	word stress	talking about a member of your family	radio program: Sofia Coppola biographies: Hitchcock and Tarantino
80	C I used to be a rebel	<i>used to</i>	school subjects: <i>history, geography, etc.</i>	sentence stress: <i>used to / didn't use to</i>	talking about school days	listening to Melissa song: <i>It's all over now</i> A famous rebel – but was he really?
82	D The mothers of invention	<i>passive</i>	verbs: <i>invent, discover, etc.</i>	<i>-ed</i> , sentence stress	passives quiz	things invented by women surprising facts
84	PRACTICAL ENGLISH A boat trip					
85	WRITING Describing a building					
86	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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88	A I hate weekends!	<i>something, anything, nothing, etc.</i>	adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> and <i>-ing</i>	/ɛ/, /oʊ/, and /ʌ/	talking about weekends	radio news The weekend
90	B How old is your body?	<i>quantifiers, too, not enough</i>	health and lifestyle: <i>use sunscreen, etc.</i>	/ʌ/, /u/, /aɪ/, and /ɛ/, linking	What's your body age?	How old is your body?
92	C Waking up is hard to do	<i>word order of phrasal verbs</i>	phrasal verbs	/g/ and /dʒ/	Are you a morning or evening person?	Are you a morning or evening person? song: <i>I say a little prayer</i> Are you allergic to mornings?
94	D "I'm Jim." "So am I."	<i>so / neither + auxiliaries</i>	similarities	vowel and consonant sounds, sentence stress	find someone like you	completing a dialogue Reunited
96	PRACTICAL ENGLISH On the phone					
97	WRITING Giving your opinion					
98	REVIEW & CHECK What do you remember? What can you do?					
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100	A What a week!	<i>past perfect</i>	adverbs: <i>suddenly, immediately, etc.</i>	review of vowel sounds, sentence stress	retelling stories	Fact is always stranger than fiction.
102	B Then he kissed me	<i>reported speech</i>	<i>say, tell, or ask?</i>	rhyming verbs	reporting information	song: <i>Then he kissed me</i>
104	REVIEW & CHECK Grammar Quick grammar check for each File					
106	REVIEW & CHECK Vocabulary and Pronunciation Quick check of vocabulary, sounds, and word stress					
108 Communication						
118 Audioscripts						
126 Grammar Bank						
144 Vocabulary Bank						
156 Sound Bank						