



Basic Course Information

Semester:	Fall 2023	Instructor Name:	Christopher Cardona
Course Title & #:	Speak & Listen for Low Int ESL	Email:	Christopher.Cardona@Imperial.edu
CRN #:	10162	Webpage (optional):	
Classroom:	205	Office #:	2781
Class Dates:	Aug 14 – Dec 9, 2023	Office Hours:	MW 1:00pm – 2:30pm on ground (Face-to-Face); T 7:00am – 7:30am on ground (Face-to-Face); R 7:00am – 7:30am online via Zoom
Class Days:	MW	Office Phone #:	760.355.6337
Class Times:	7:30am – 10:00am	Emergency Contact:	Staff Support Technician Lency Lucas 760.355.6337
Units:	5	Class Format/Modality:	Face-to-Face (on-ground)

Course Description Course Prerequisite(s) and/or Corequisite(s)

ESL 013 is a grammar-based listening and speaking class in an English only environment for the intermediate ESL student. Students will further develop listening comprehension and will increase fluency, accuracy, and confidence in oral production.

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Apply knowledge of ESL pronunciation rules in oral and/or aural exercises.
2. Participate in speeches, conversation, and presentations utilizing the format and vocabulary of the identified speech act.
3. Listen to a passage or conversation to identify the main ideas and supporting details either orally or in writing.

Course Objectives

1. Development of knowledge and use of verb tenses.
2. Development of knowledge and use of affirmative, negative, and interrogative sentences.
3. Development of knowledge and use of modal auxiliary verbs.
4. Development of knowledge and use of comparative, superlative, and equative adjectives.
5. Development of knowledge and use of nouns and pronouns.
6. Development of knowledge and use of object pronouns and phrasal verbs.
7. Development of correct pronunciation of vowels and consonants and corresponding receptive skills.
8. Oral production of dialogs.
9. Development of situational/functional English.
10. Development of receptive listening skills.
11. Development of knowledge and use of vocabulary.



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Textbooks & Other Resources or Links

21st Century Communication, listening, speaking, and critical thinking, level two

Edition: 2nd

ISBN: 9780357855980

Author: Williams

Publisher: Heinle

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21st Century Communication, listening, speaking, and critical thinking, level two workbook (online, the necessary code comes with the text),

Notebook with notebook paper.

English/English dictionary (Longman recommended.)

Other texts as assigned.

Course Requirements and Instructional Methods

Students will be required to do homework activities in the text and online workbook and be prepared to review them in class. Each unit requires group discussions that will allow students to practice English listening and speaking skills and group/individual oral presentations. Furthermore, each unit has listening, speaking, critical thinking, pronunciation, and note taking skills activities. Students will also be given dictations for some of the listening sections in each unit.

Out of Class Assignments: The Department of Education policy states that one (1) credit hour is the amount of student work that reasonably approximates not less than one hour of class time and two (2) hours of out-of-class time per week over the span of a semester. WASC has adopted a similar requirement.

Course Grading Based on Course Objectives

Your grade will be based on a point system. You will receive points for unit exams and quizzes, oral presentations, the final examination, online homework, and class participation. Exams are not weighted. Any points earned in this course will improve the final grade. Participation in class and on assignments will benefit the students' overall grades. In order to pass this course, participation is essential.

Academic Honesty (Artificial Intelligence -AI)

IVC values critical thinking and communication skills and considers academic integrity essential to learning. Using AI tools as a replacement for your own thinking, writing, or quantitative reasoning goes against both our mission and academic honesty policy and will be considered academic dishonesty, or plagiarism unless you have been instructed to do so by your instructor. In case of any uncertainty regarding the ethical use of AI tools, students are encouraged to reach out to their instructors for clarification.

Course Policies

Attendance will earn points regularly. If two consecutive classes are missed without contacting the professor, student will be dropped from the course for failure to participate or show interest in continuing. Communication is important, so please send an email if you plan to be absent.



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No class September 4, 2023