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Office Room Number 2789 (Science Building-2nd Floor Arts and Letters Dept.)

English 011: Speaking and Listening for ESL 1 (5 Units) Class Code: 20724 200-213 TR 12:55-3:25

Course Description

Recommended Companion Courses: ESL 001, ESL 041, ESL 042, ESL 051, ESL 052.

ESL 011 is a grammar-based speaking class in an English-only Environment for the beginning or false-beginning ESL student. Listening comprehension and speaking skills will be developed through basic dialogues, modeled tasks, and communicative activities. (Nontransferable, nondegree applicable)

Required Texts

Fifty-Fifty Intro (A Speaking and Listening Course) (3rd Ed.) (BLUE)

ISBN: 9789620056642

Materials: 15 Question Scantrons

Course Outcomes

By the end of this course you will be able to:

- Produce a fluent and grammatically correct response in oral English from an aural English prompt.
- Produce fluent and grammatically correct questions in oral English using a pictorial prompt.
- Produce fluent and comprehensible 3rd person (-s) endings in Oral English from verbs learned in class.
- Produce an oral response using the vocabulary learned in class.
- Produce appropriate rise or falling intonation in yes/no questions and wh-questions

*Please Note: You must pass the oral final exam to pass the class.

Attendance

- A student who fails to attend the first meeting of a class or does not complete the first mandatory activity of an online class will be dropped by the instructor as of the first official meeting of that class. Should readmission be desired, the student's status will be the same as that of any other student who desires to add a class. It is the student's responsibility to drop or officially withdraw from the class. See General Catalog for details.
- Regular attendance in all classes is expected of all students. A student whose continuous, unexcused
 absences exceed the number of hours the class is scheduled to meet per week may be dropped. For online
 courses, students who fail to complete required activities for two consecutive weeks may be considered to
 have excessive absences and may be dropped.
- Absences attributed to the representation of the college at officially approved events (conferences, contests, and field trips) will be counted as 'excused' absences.

Classroom Etiquette

- <u>Electronic Devices:</u> Cell phones and electronic devices must be turned off and put away during class unless otherwise directed by the instructor.
- <u>Food and Drink</u> are prohibited in all classrooms. Water bottles with lids/caps are the only exception. Additional restrictions will apply in labs. Please comply as directed.

- <u>Disruptive Students:</u> Students who disrupt or interfere with a class may be sent out of the room and told to meet with the Campus Disciplinary Officer before returning to continue with coursework. Disciplinary procedures will be followed as outlined in the General Catalog.
- <u>Children in the classroom:</u> Due to college rules and state laws, no one who is not enrolled in the class may attend, including children.

Academic Honesty

- <u>Plagiarism</u> is to take and present as one's own the writings or ideas of others, without citing the source. You should understand the concept of plagiarism and keep it in mind when taking exams and preparing written materials. If you do not understand how to correctly 'cite a source', you must ask for help.
- <u>Cheating</u> is defined as fraud, deceit, or dishonesty in an academic assignment or using or attempting to use materials, or assisting others in using materials, or assisting others in using materials, which are prohibited or inappropriate in the context of the academic assignment in question. Anyone caught cheating will receive a zero (0) on the exam or assignment and the instructor may report the incident to the Campus Disciplinary Officer, who may place related documentation in a file. Repeated acts of cheating may result in an F in the course and/or disciplinary action. Please refer to the General School Catalog for more information on academic dishonesty or other misconduct. Acts of cheating include, but are not limited to the following:
 - plagiarism
 - o copying or attempting to copy from others during an examination or on an assignment;
 - o communicating test information with another person during an examination;
 - o allowing others to do an assignment or portion of an assignment
 - o use of a commercial term paper service

Campus Services for You

- <u>Blackboard</u> support center: http://bbcrm.edusupportcenter.com/ics/support/default.asp?deptID=8543
- <u>Learning Labs</u>: There are several 'labs' on campus to assist you through the use of computers, tutors, or a combination. Please consult your college map for the Math Lab, Reading & Writing Lab, and Learning Services (library). Please speak to the instructor about labs unique to your specific program
- <u>Library Services:</u> There is more to our library than just books. You have access to tutors in the learning center, study rooms for small groups, and online access to a wealth of resources.

Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS)

Any student with a documented disability who may need educational accommodations should notify the instructor or the Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSP&S) office as soon as possible. The DSP&S office is located in Building 2100, telephone 760-355-6312 if you feel you need to be evaluated for educational accommodations.

Student Counseling and Health Services

Students have counseling and health services available, provided by the pre-paid Student Health Fee. We now also have a fulltime mental health counselor. For information see<a href="http://www.imperial.edu/students/stud

Student Rights and Responsibilities

Students have the right to experience a positive learning environment and due process. For further information regarding student rights and responsibilities please refer to the IVC General Catalog available online at http://www.imperial.edu/index.php?option=com_docman&task=doc_download&gid=4516&Itemid=762

Information Literacy

Imperial Valley College is dedicated to help students skillfully discover, evaluate, and use information from all sources. Students can access tutorials at http://www.imperial.edu/courses-and-programs/divisions/arts-and-letters/library-department/info-lit-tutorials/

Grading

Presentations 50% (Presentations are 25 points each.)

Quizzes/Exams 40% (Spelling quizzes are 10 points and scantron quizzes are 15 points each)

Attendance 10%

100%

Tentative Schedule

Week l
Introductions, Classroom Verbs, Imperatives, Numbers and Alphabet
Week 2
Quiz 1, The Verb BE: Present
Week 3
Quiz 2 The Present Progressive
Week 4
Quiz 3, The Present Progressive (continued)
Week 5
Quiz 4 The Simple Present
Week 6
Quiz 5 The Simple Present (continued)
Week 7
Quiz 6 The Verb BE: Past
Week 8
MIDTERM
Week 9
Quiz 7 The Simple Past
Week 10
Quiz 8, The Simple Past (continued)
Week 11
Quiz 9 Nouns, Adjectives, Articles, can/can't
Week 12
Quiz 10 Continue with Nouns, Adjectives, Articles, can/can't
Week 13
Quiz 11 Pronouns, Quantity Expressions, There Is/There are

Week 14
Quiz 12 Modifiers, Comparisons, and Prepositions
Week 15
The future with <i>Be Going To</i>
Week 16

Final Examinations