

Macao Polytechnic Institute

School of Arts

Bachelor of Arts in Visual Art

Module Outline

Academic Year 2021 / 2022 Semester 1

Learning Module	English V	Class Code	ENGL3101		
Pre-requisite(s)	Nil				
Medium of Instruction	English			Credit	2
Lecture Hours	30 hrs	Lab/Practice Hours	0 hrs	Total Hours	30 hrs
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Description

The primary focus of this learning module is to enhance students' language competence at an A2-A2+ level on the Common European Framework of reference for languages. At this level, commonly referred to as 'threshold', students will be moving towards;

- understanding the main points of clear standard input on familiar matters regularly encountered in work, school, leisure, etc.
- dealing with most situations likely to arise while travelling in an area where the language is spoken.
- producing simple connected text on topics that are familiar or of personal interest.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this learning module, students will be better able to:

<p>Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Give short presentations fluently - Discuss core component related issues fluently - Ask and answer questions - Ask for and give opinions - Ask for information and check understanding <p>*The above will be applied to the different core components.</p>	<p>Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Predict what they are going to listen to - Listen for gist - Listen for specific information - Listen for detail <p>Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Read a longer text for gist - Read for specific information and/ or detail
<p>Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write a personal profile - Describing places - Write slogans - Write a persuasive argument <p>At the same time improving their ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Make notes while reading - Make notes during a talk - Select and use appropriate linking words 	<p>Vocabulary development</p> <p>Recognize and productively use vocabulary related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Movies - Art - Music - Design - Advertising <p>As well as selected:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Verbs + prepositions - Adjectives - Connectives
<p>Grammar</p> <p>Productively use:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Question Forms - Similarities and Contrasts - Have to, don't have to, can, can't - Will, won't - Present Perfect simple - Passives 	

Content

Week	Topic	Optional Components
1	Exchanging Personal Information. Hobbies and interests	
2	Travelling Abroad	
3	Movies, videos, social media	
4	Art and design	
5	Preparing for an Interview	
6	Music	
7	Networking/Socialising	
8	Teaching and writing e-mails	
9	Iconic Designs and Designers	
10	Advertising	
11	Review	
12	Speaking Test	

Teaching Method

Lectures mainly assisted by presentations, discussions, and audio-visual materials

Attendance

Attendance requirements are governed by the “Academic Regulations Governing Bachelor’s Degree Programmes of Macao Polytechnic Institute”.

Assessment

This learning module is graded on a 100 point scale, with 100 being the highest possible score and 50 being the passing score.

	Item	Description	Percentage
1.	Participation	Continuous assessment	10 %
2.	Project 1	TBA during the semester	15 %
3.	Midterm Exam	Speaking Exam	10 %
4.	Project 2	TBA during the semester	15 %
5.	Final Exam	Final Examination	50 %
		Total Percentage:	100 %

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Reference

Websites:

A variety of supplementary online material will be used, with a focus on being topical, relevant and personalized towards the students' interests.