



TAITRA
International Trade Institute

General English 1 (July - September 2022)

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Frequency and duration: 10 x two-hour classes

Course Aim

The aim of the General English class is to provide a stress-free environment in which students can learn English on a variety of topics. Particular emphasis is placed on students having the opportunity to speak as much as possible. Therefore, students will be encouraged to give their opinions on the different topics covered and share their life experience during each class.

Course Description

General English 1 aims to provide students with suitable vocabulary to enable them to discuss different topics. It also presents ideas for students to discuss, which will improve their critical thinking skills. Different areas of grammar are also introduced during the course and opportunities to practice these are provided through listening and written exercises.

Class Materials

The chosen book for this course is *English for the 21st Century* (Intermediate level) by Jake Hughes and Fiona Scott-Barrett. The book was written for Caves Books in association with Garnet Education. It follows a modular approach with each unit covering a separate topic.

The book has eight units and the first four will be covered in the General English I course. After it, students will have the opportunity to sign up for the General English 2 course, which will finish the book.

The course will be taught online and students will need to download *MS Teams* to their computers to take part in the online sessions.

Course Topics:

Week	Topic	Grammar / Additional Materials
1 - 2	Unit 1 Big Questions	Review of Tenses
3 - 4	Unit 2 Stories	Past Simple & Past Continuous
5	Unit 1 and 2 Review	Progress Test Units 1 and 2
6 - 7	Unit 3 Movement	The Passive
7 - 8	Unit 4 Logical Thinking	Progress Test Units 3 and 4
10	Final Review	Final Review



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General English 3 (July - September 2022)

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Frequency and duration: 10 x two-hour classes

Course Aim

The aim of the General English class is to provide a stress-free environment in which students can learn English on a variety of topics. Particular emphasis is placed on students having the opportunity to speak as much as possible. Therefore, students will be encouraged to give their opinions on the different topics covered and share their life experience during each class.

Course Description

General English 3 aims to provide students with suitable vocabulary to enable them to discuss different topics. It also presents ideas for students to discuss, which will improve their critical thinking skills. Different areas of grammar are also introduced during the course and opportunities to practice these are provided through listening and written exercises.

Class Materials

The chosen book for this course is *English for the 21st Century* (Upper-Intermediate level) by Jake Hughes and Fiona Scott-Barrett. The book was written for Caves Books in association with Garnet Education. It follows a modular approach with each unit covering a separate topic.

The book has eight units and the first four will be covered in the General English 3 course. After it, students will have the opportunity to sign up for the General English 4 course, which will finish the book.

The course will be taught online and students will need to download *MS Teams* to their computers to take part in the online sessions.

Course Topics:

Week	Topic	Grammar / Additional Materials
1 - 2	Unit 1 Development	Present Perfect Simple & Continuous
3 - 4	Unit 2 Change	Past Perfect
5	Unit 1 and 2 Review	Progress Test Units 1 and 2
6 - 7	Unit 3 Culture	Review of Modals
7 - 8	Unit 4 Identity	Comparatives and Modifiers
10	Final Review	Progress Test Units 3 and 4