

Princess Chulabhorn Science High School

Course Syllabus

Department Foreign Language Department

Subject English for Specific Purpose 1 (ENG 30214)

Credits 1.5

Teaching period 3 periods / week

Grade Level 11

Semester 1

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Course Description

Study in grammatical structures and vocabulary used in academic writing. Study root of words and distinguish between various functions of words in a complex content. Practice Listening from TOEFL and IELTS and study the use of informal language. Compare the use of languages in academic writing and conversations. Practice communicating their ideas about scientific and technological topics taken from different reading passages. Study the forms and contents of TOEFL and Entrance Examination for getting familiar with it.

Learning Outcomes

- 1. Pronounce English with standard accent (IPA).
- 2. Present science project and answer the audience's questions.
- 3. Get the IELTS scores more than 6 in interview.
- 4. Enhance listening and note taking skills.
- 5. Take notes word by word 95 percent correctly from academic textbooks.
- 6. Achieve 80 percent of listening test from TOEFL.
- 7. Use SOR3 for academic reading.
- 8. Read the passage with the speed 250 word per minute and understand the passage at less 70 percent.
- 9. Achieve 80 percent of reading test from TOEFL.
- 10. Read sentences correctly.
- 11. Write paragraph by combing group of words and comparing
- 12. Get level 5 in writing

Course Contents

Listening 1. Short conversation

2. Long conversation

3. Dictation

4. Note-taking

Speaking 1. General Speaking

2. Conversation

Reading 1. Narration

2. Exposition

Writing 1. Sentences / Paragraphs

2. Essays

Course Policies

- 1. Bring a pen or pencil and a notebook to every class. You will be expected to take notes and to save all materials from class.
- 2. If you are late, enter the classroom quietly.
- 3. If you cannot come to class, I expect a note to explain your absence BEFORE that class or by the next class.
- 4. If you miss more than 20 percent of class without a proper excuse, you will not be permitted to take the final exam. When you miss class, you lose class participation points.
- 5. Homework is to be handed on the date.
- 6. All homework written in pen or typed on A4 paper.
- 7. Any homework written in pencil will not be corrected.
- 8. It is your responsibility to know assignments and due dates. Ask a classmate or a teacher as soon as you miss a class. Do not wait!
- 9. Late homework will reduce credit.
- 10. Switch off your mobile phones and all devices while studying.

Teaching Table

Week	Date	Periods	Core-contents	Expected learning Outcome
1	$18^{\text{th}} - 22^{\text{nd}}$	1 st	Course orientation	
	May 25 th -29 th	$2^{\text{nd}} - 3^{\text{rd}}$	Pretest (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	
2		4 th	TOEFL orientation	
	May 1 st -5 th	$5^{\text{th}}-6^{\text{th}}$	Listening (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	4,5,6
3	1 st -5 th June	7 st	Listening (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Listen - Physics	4,5,6
		8 th – 9 th	Listening (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Lecture – Physics / Getting ready to Listen – Astronomy	4,5,6
4	8 th -12 th June	10 th	Listening (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Lecture – Astronomy / Getting ready to Listen – Technology	4,5,6
		11 th - 12 th	Listening (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Lecture – Technology	4,5,6
5	15 th -19 th	13 th	Listening Test – Environment	4,5,6
	June	14 th - 15 th	Speaking (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Speak – Student Conversation	1,2,3
6	22 nd -26 th June	16 th	Speaking (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Speak – Student Conversation (3 steps)	1,2,3
		17 th – 18 th	Speaking (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Speak – Student Conversation (Integrated)	1,2,3
7	29 th June – 3 rd July	19 th	Speaking (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Speak – Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
		20 th -21 st	Speaking (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting ready to Speak – Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
8	6 th -10 th July	22 nd	Speaking Test - Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
	•	23 rd -24 th	Speaking Test - Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
9	13 th -17 th July	25 th	Speaking Test - Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
	•	26 th -27 th	Speaking Test - Technology Passage and Lecture	1,2,3
10	20 th -24 th	28 th	Midterm examination	1,2,3,4,5,6
	July	29 th -30 th	Midterm examination	1,2,3,4,5,6
11	27 th - 31 st July	31 st	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting Ready to Read - Physics	7,8,9,10
	-	32 nd -33 rd	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS) Getting Ready to Read – Physics	7,8,9,10

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12	3 rd - 7 th	34 th	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
	August		Getting Ready to Read – Astronomy	
	_	35 th -36 th	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
			Getting Ready to Read – Astronomy	
13	$10^{\text{th}} - 14^{\text{th}}$	37 th	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
	August		Getting Ready to Read – Environment	
		38 th -39 th	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
			Getting Ready to Read – Environment	
14	$17^{\text{th}} - 21^{\text{st}}$	40 th	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
	August		Getting Ready to Read – Technology	
		41 st - 42 nd	Reading (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	7,8,9,10
			Getting Ready to Read – Technology	
15	24 th - 28 th	43 th	Reading Test Getting Ready to Read –	7,8,9,10
	August		Geography	
		44 th - 45 th	Reading Test Getting Ready to Read –	7,8,9,10
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16	31 st August	46 th	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
	- 4 th	tbtb	Getting Ready to Write – Physics	
	September	47 th -48 th	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
	_thth	, , th	Getting Ready to Write – Physics	
17	7 th - 11 th	49 th	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
	September	- o th	Getting Ready to Write – Astronomy	
		$50^{\text{th}} - 51^{\text{st}}$	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
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18	14 th - 18 th	52 nd	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
	September	53 rd -54 th	Getting Ready to Write – Astronomy	5 11 10
		5314 -5411	Writing (based on TOEFL and IELTS)	5,11,12
10	21 st - 25 th	r nd	Writing Test (Take home) Geography	5.7.0.0.10.11.10
19		55 nd	Review	5,7,8,9,10,11,12
20	September	56 rd -57 th 55 nd	Review	5700101110
20	28 st	33	Final examination	5,7,8,9,10,11,12
	September – 2 nd		Final examination	
	October			

Evaluation

The final grade, which students obtain for the course, will be based on the following components which add up to 100 percent.

1.	Midterm Examination	20 %
2.	Final Examination	20 %
3.	Class attendance and Participation	10 %
4.	Listening Test	10 %
5.	Speaking Test	10 %
6.	Reading Test	10 %
7.	Writing Task	10 %
8.	Presentation Task	10 %

Assessment Criteria

The final assessment is criterion – referenced. All the raw scores will be assessed as followings:

100 - 80	Grade 4
79 – 75	Grade 3.5
74 – 70	Grade 3
69 – 65	Grade 2.5
64 – 60	Grade 2
59 – 55	Grade 1.5
54 – 50	Grade 1
49 - 0	Grade 0