

LIVING LANGUAGE®

INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH COURSE OUTLINE

Each course level includes **10** comprehensive lessons, with vocabulary, grammar, culture, clear and simple explanations, practice exercises, and virtual immersion activities designed to help you bring your new language to life. Each lesson includes:

- ∞ 2 Dialogues that you can hear at both Conversational and Pronunciation Speeds
- ∞ 2 Vocabulary Building Sections with full audio support
- ∞ Clear grammar notes with simple explanations and examples that you can listen to
- ∞ Vocabulary building and grammar review exercises
- ∞ Real-life and internet-based immersion activities for additional practice
- ∞ Culture notes with useful information, tips, additional vocabulary, and more

You'll also have access to:

- ∞ Downloadable Lesson Audio for practice on the go
- ∞ A comprehensive Grammar Summary, including verb conjugation charts and pronunciation tips.
- ∞ A practical Glossary
- ∞ Language Learning Tips
- ∞ A comprehensive User's Guide
- ∞ A convenient Note-taking Feature

This is what you'll learn in each lesson:

Lesson 1

Greetings and Introductions!

Review greetings and learn how to respond to them. Go over some of the essentials of English grammar, including questions in the present tense and the use of *do* and *does*.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building

- b. Vocabulary Practice 1
- c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Present Tense Spelling Rules**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Auxiliary Words *Do / Does***
 - c. Grammar 3: **Questions in the Present Tense**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Small Talk**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 2

Where do you come from?

Learn how to talk to people about where you're from. Continue to polish your fluency by reviewing the difference between *went* and *have gone*, master irregular verbs in the past and present perfect, and practice how to use *for* and *since* with these tenses.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **The Present Perfect and the Simple Past**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Verbs with Irregular Forms in the Past and Present Perfect Tenses**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Using *for* and *since* with the Present Perfect and Simple Past Tenses**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building

- b. Vocabulary Practice
- c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **History of Immigration in the United States**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 3

Daily Routines

Learn key vocabulary and expressions useful for talking about your daily routine. Learn how to discuss habits in the past with *used to* and *would*. Also, expand your knowledge of the past by reviewing negatives and questions. Finally, learn how to make polite requests.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Questions and Negatives in the Simple Past Tense**
 - b. Grammar 2: ***Used to and Would***
 - c. Grammar 3: **Polite Requests**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Being on Time: Punctuality in the US**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 4

Describing and Presenting Yourself

Master vocabulary and expressions for describing yourself and others. Master more essential grammar by learning a variety of ways to express the future.

- A. Introduction

- a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Simple Future (*Will*) vs. *To Be Going To***
 - b. Grammar 2: **Present Continuous and Simple Present to Express the Future**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Conjunctions Using the Simple Present**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **American Culture of Self-Improvement**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 5

Family

Review key vocabulary for talking about your family, and for asking about other people's families. Polish your grammar by tackling prepositions, including when to use them after certain adjectives and verbs.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Prepositions**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Adjectives Followed by Prepositions**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Verbs Followed by Prepositions**

- d. Grammar Practices 1-3
- e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Concept of Family in America**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 6

Money

Learn all the vocabulary and expressions you need to talk about money, banking, and ways of paying for things. Also review important grammar related to modals, or words like *must*, *can*, *have to*, and *want to*.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Modals of Necessity**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Modals of Advisability**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Negative Forms of Modals**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **American Economy: Free-market vs. Mixed Economies**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 7

Eating Out

Learn everything you need to know about food and restaurants, including essential vocabulary related to food and menu items, as well as expressions for ordering in a restaurant. Continue to expand your knowledge of grammar by learning about degrees of certainty, including words such as *could*, *may*, and *might*.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Degrees of Certainty in the Present Tense**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Degrees of Certainty in the Past Tense**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Degrees of Certainty in the Future Tense**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Dining Etiquette**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 8

Going Around Town

Learn how to ask for directions and get around town. Learn more about expressing location and direction, so you can say where things are, and where you're going. Master the passive voice in the present, past, and future tenses.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1

- a. Vocabulary Building
- b. Vocabulary Practice 1
- c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Present Passive**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Present Perfect Passive**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Future Passive**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **American Cities: Similarities and Differences**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 9

Shopping and Running Errands

Learn everything you need to know about stores, shopping and running errands. Continue to build your knowledge of natural English grammar with tag and negative questions.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Tag Questions**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Negative Questions**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Statements Using Negative Adverbs**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice

- c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Credit Cards and Shopping Culture in the United States**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit

Lesson 10

Communication

Learn essential vocabulary and expressions for speaking on the phone, leaving messages, and checking voicemail. Learn the grammar necessary for using reported speech.

- A. Introduction
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Culture Stop
 - c. Discovery Activity
- B. Conversation 1
 - a. Dialogue
 - b. Discovery Activity
- C. Vocabulary 1
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice 1
 - c. Vocabulary Practice 2
- D. Grammar
 - a. Grammar 1: **Reported Speech**
 - b. Grammar 2: **Reported Speech with Modal Verbs**
 - c. Grammar 3: **Questions**
 - d. Grammar Practices 1-3
 - e. Grammar Review
- E. Conversation 2
 - a. Dialogue
- F. Vocabulary 2
 - a. Vocabulary Building
 - b. Vocabulary Practice
 - c. Discovery Activity
- G. Finish
 - a. Culture Stop: **Cell Phones**
 - b. Language Task
 - c. Exit