

# FACULTY OF ARTS AND DESIGN BACHELOR OF ARTS IN DESIGN LEARNING MODULE OUTLINE

Academic Year	2023 / 2024	Semester	1	
Module Code	ENGL2101-210,21P,21Q,21R			
Learning Module	English III			
Pre-requisite(s)	Nil			
Medium of Instruction	English			
Credits	3	Contact Hours	45 hrs	
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# **MODULE DESCRIPTION**

This is a continuation of English II in which all four macro-skills will be at an upper-intermediate level, with more emphasis given to oral and writing skills. Through theory-based practices, students will be able to read and understand texts on unfamiliar topics, write process-type and argumentative essays in a logical and cohesive way, listen to authentic materials on familiar and unfamiliar topics, and acquire the basic techniques of oral presentation.

# **MODULE INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES (ILOS)**

On completion of this learning module, students will be able to:

M1.	Discuss opinions and compare ideas, participate effectively in group discussions.		
M2.	Manipulate to tell short stories, to read short newspaper articles.		
M3.	Apply the grammatical usage by completing application forms.		



These ILOs aims to enable students to attain the following Programme Intended Learning Outcomes (PILOs):

PILOs		M1	M2	М3
P1.	Reading: Focus on building vocabulary, improving reading speed and accuracy, and developing strategies for understanding complex texts.		✓	✓
P2.	Writing: Develop writing skills, including grammar, sentence structure, and vocabulary. Introduce different types of writing, such as essays, reports, and emails, and teach how to organize ideas effectively.		✓	<b>✓</b>
P3.	Listening: Improve ability to follow along with different types of spoken English, identify main ideas, and understand important details.	✓	✓	
P4.	Speaking: Develop speaking skills, including pronunciation, intonation, and fluency. Practice in different contexts, such as giving presentations, participating in discussions, and engaging in small talk, and receive feedback on performance.	✓	✓	

# MODULE SCHEDULE, COVERAGE AND STUDY LOAD

Week	Content Coverage	Contact Hours
1-4	<ol> <li>Future Society         <ol> <li>Reading &amp; Vocab re future</li> <li>Grammar: Making Predictions</li> <li>Vocab: Society &amp; change</li> <li>Hypothetical possibilities with if</li> <li>Wordspot: Make</li> <li>Task: Decide how to spend lottery money</li> <li>Progress Test 1 &amp; Real life questions</li> </ol> </li> <li>An Amazing Story         <ol> <li>Vocab &amp; Speaking: Types of Stories</li> <li>Grammar: Past Perfect</li> <li>Listening: What is a Criminal</li> <li>Speaking: Alibi</li> <li>Grammar: Reported Speech</li> <li>Task: Tell a Ghost story</li> <li>Writing: A Narrative</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	12
5-8	<ol> <li>At rest at play</li> <li>Grammar: Obligation &amp; Permission in the present</li> <li>Grammar: Obligation &amp; Permission in the past</li> <li>Task: Present your Opinions</li> <li>Reading &amp; Vocabulary</li> <li>Wordspot: do</li> <li>Progress Test 2 Writing: Linking Words</li> <li>Special Occasions</li> <li>Grammar: Could have, should have, would have</li> <li>Grammar: Imaginary situations in the past with if</li> <li>Vocab: Problems &amp; Solutions</li> <li>Wordspot: Think</li> <li>Task: Find solutions to problems</li> <li>Song: Out of Reach</li> </ol>	12

	5.	The Best Things in Life	
		5.1 Speaking: Discussing likes and dislikes, Comparing ideas,	
		Presenting results	
		5.2 Grammar: Gerunds after verbs of liking and disliking, Like doing	
		and would like to do	
		5.3 Vocabulary: Hobbies and interests, Words connected with "like"	
		5.4 Reading: When An Interest Becomes an Obsession	
	6.	Got to Have It!	
		6.1 Speaking: Agreeing, disagreeing & making suggestions	
9-11		6.2 Listening: Listening for specific details	9
		6.3 Grammar: Present simple passive, Past simple passive	
		6.4 Vocabulary: Everyday objects	
		6.5 Reading: The World's Most Popular	
	7.	Choosing the Right Person	
		7.1 Speaking: Discussing preferences, Explaining choices	
		7.2 Listening: Note-taking	
		7.3 Grammar: Present perfect continuous, Present perfect simple	
		7.4 Vocabulary: Personal characteristics	
		7.5 Writing: Completing an application form	
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	8.	Money, Money	
		8.1 Speaking	
		Telling a story	
		8.2 Grammar	
		Past perfect	
		Past time words	
		8.3 Vocabulary	
		Money	
		Words connected with make	
		8.4 Reading	
		Newspaper articles	
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	9.	Imagine	
		9.1 Speaking	
		Giving opinions and discussing suitability	
		9.2 Grammar	
		Conditional sentences with would	
		Will and would	
		9.3 Reading	
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		<ul> <li>9.3 Reading Reading song lyrics</li> <li>9.4 Writing Writing paragraphs about possible events in the future</li> </ul>	



### **TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES**

In this learning module, students will work towards attaining the ILOs through the following teaching and learning activities:

Teaching and Learning Activities		M2	M3
T1. Lectures	✓	✓	✓
T2. Videos	✓	✓	✓
T3. Pair and group work	✓	<b>√</b>	✓
T4. Role plays		<b>√</b>	✓
T5. Class practice	✓	✓	✓

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Attendance requirements are governed by the Academic Regulations Governing Bachelor's Degree Programmes of the Macao Polytechnic University. Students who do not meet the attendance requirements for the learning module shall be awarded an 'F' grade.

# **ASSESSMENT**

In this learning module, students are required to complete the following assessment activities:

Assessment Activities	Weighting (%)	ILOs to be Assessed		
A1. Participation Attendance, positive involvement	20%			
A2. Quizzes & Assignments A series of homework assignments & quizzes will be set during the semester.	15%	M1 · M2 · M3		
A3. Mid Term A midterm exam will be held during the semester.	15%			
A4. Final Exam  The final exam will cover learning module content from the entire learning module period.	50%			

The assessment will be conducted following the University's Assessment Strategy (see <a href="https://www.mpu.edu.mo/teaching\_learning/en/assessment\_strategy.php">www.mpu.edu.mo/teaching\_learning/en/assessment\_strategy.php</a>). Passing this learning module indicates that students will have attained the ILOs of this learning module and thus acquired its credits.

### **MARKING SCHEME**

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



# **REQUIRED READINGS**

# Textbook(s)

1. Cunningham, S. & Moor, P., (2005). New Cutting Edge Intermediate. Essex: Longman.

### STUDENT FEEDBACK

At the end of every semester, students are invited to provide feedback on the learning module and the teaching arrangement through questionnaires. Your feedback is valuable for instructors to enhance the module and its delivery for future students. The instructor and programme coordinators will consider all feedback and respond with actions formally in the annual programme review.

### **ACADEMIC INTEGRITY**

The Macao Polytechnic University requires students to have full commitment to academic integrity when engaging in research and academic activities. Violations of academic integrity, which include but are not limited to plagiarism, collusion, fabrication or falsification, repeated use of assignments and cheating in examinations, are considered as serious academic offenses and may lead to disciplinary actions. Students should read the relevant regulations and guidelines in the Student Handbook which is distributed upon the admission into the University, a copy of which can also be found at <a href="https://www.mpu.edu.mo/student\_handbook/">www.mpu.edu.mo/student\_handbook/</a>.