

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES IN SINO-LUSOPHONE TRADE RELATIONS LEARNING MODULE OUTLINE

Academic Year	2023/2024	Semester	2		
Module Code	ENGL1102				
Learning Module	English II				
Pre-requisite(s)					
Medium of Instruction	English				
Credits	3	Contact Hours	45 hours		
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MODULE DESCRIPTION

This is the second of the two elementary English courses. The course aims to increase students' skills and competence in using English in general situations, as well as in the workplace. Besides developing students' use of the four language skills (speaking, listening, reading, and writing), substantial emphasis is placed on oral and listening skills in class. Interaction is encouraged through a number of communicative activities. The integration of authentic materials also enhances the usefulness of the course.

MODULE INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES (ILOS)

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

M1.	Expand vocabulary and improve oral and listening skills;
M2.	Increase knowledge of grammar and improve grammatical accuracy;
M3.	Participate and lead in small group discussions;
M4.	Exchange personal and factual information;
M5.	Communicate confidently in a variety of everyday situations.



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

PILOs		M1	M2	М3	M4	M5
P1.	Show written and oral proficiency in the Portuguese language;					
P2.	Identify theories, concepts, and frameworks, and regulations in core areas of international business and trade;					
P3.	Identify the challenges and opportunities of globalization;					
	Characterize the specific realities of the Portuguese Speaking Countries in the domains of history, culture, and economy;					
P5.	Consolidate knowledge about the history, culture and economy of China;					
P6.	Select and apply business research methods, tools and techniques to support the process of decision making;					
P7.	Demonstrate ability to conduct international negotiations;	✓		✓	✓	✓
P8.	Promote creativity and innovation in business practices;					
P9.	Design unique and original solutions to respond to business problems or opportunities in the domain of international trade;					
P10	. Communicate successfully to different audiences;	✓	✓	√	✓	✓
P11	. Work effectively as a team member;	✓		√	✓	√
P12	Demonstrate awareness of the importance of ethical decision making in business;			✓	✓	✓
P13	. Contribute to the launch and management of new ventures;			✓		✓
P14	. Learn continuously in academic and professional contexts.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

MODULE SCHEDULE, COVERAGE AND STUDY LOAD

Week	Content Coverage	Contact Hours
	☐ General Course Introduction	
1.	☐ Unit 8	3
	- Facts vs Fiction	
	- Past Simple: Negative Form	
	☐ Unit 8	
2.	- Adjective to Describe Stories	3
	- Past simple: Question Form	
	- Arranging an Evening Out	
	☐ Unit 9	
3.	- Comparative Adjective	3
	- Describing Objects	
	- Famous Markets	
	☐ Unit 9	
4.	- Superlative Adjective	3
	- Shops and Services	
	- Writing: Giving Tips on How to Behave	

Week	Content Coverage	Contact Hours
	☐ Unit 10	
5.	- Present Continuous	3
	- Clothes	
	- Asking for Goods and services	
	☐ Unit 10	
6.	- Present Simple or Continuous?	3
	- Describing Personality	
	- Writing: Describing People	
	☐ Midterm Test	_
7	- Revision	3
	- Midterm	
	☐ Unit 11	
8	- Question Words	3
	- Animals and Natural Features	
	- Animals in Danger	
	☐ Unit 11	
9	- Quantifiers: a lot of, a little, a few, not any, not much, not many	3
	- Big Numbers	
	- Writing: A Descriptive Essay	
	☐ Unit 12	
10	- Going to for Future Intentions	3
	- Celebrations and Parties	
	- Writing: Information to Promote a Festival (1)	
	☐ Unit 12	
11	- Would like to and want to for Future Wishes	3
	- Weather and Seasons	
	- Writing: Information to Promote a Festival (2)	
	☐ Unit 13	
12	- Have to and Don't have to	3
	- School and University Subjects	
	- Completing a Career Questionnaire	
	☐ Unit 13	
13	- Might and will	3
	- Education and Training	
	- A Dream Come True	
	☐ Unit 14	
14	- Present Perfect (unfinished time & with EVER)	3
	- Way of Communicating	
	- Revision	
15	☐ Final Examination	3
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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	M1	M2	М3	M4	M5
T1. Lectures	√	√	√	√	√
T2. Audio/Videos	√	√	√	√	✓
T3. Role-plays	√	√	√	√	✓
T4. Group Discussions	√	√	✓	√	✓
T5. Group Presentations	√	√	_	√	_

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 and in-class performance	10	M1-5
A2. Class / Group assignments	10	M1,2,4, and 5
A3. Homework assignments	10	M2,4, and 5
A4. Quizzes	10	M1,2, and 4
A5. Midterm test	20	M2,3,4, and 5
A6. Final written examination	40	M2,3,4, and 5

The assessment will be conducted following the University's Assessment Strategy (see www.mpu.edu.mo/teaching learning/en/assessment strategy.php). Passing this learning module indicates that students will have attained the ILOs of this learning module and thus acquired its credits.

MARKING SCHEME

This course is graded on a 100-point scale, with 100 being the highest possible score and 50 the pass score. For more details, see point 5.4 of the University's "Evaluation Strategy" (see https://www.mpu.edu.mo/teaching_learning/pt/assessment_strategy.php).

Students with a score of less than 35 in the final examination must take the re-sit examination even if the overall score for the module is 50 or above.



REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS

- 1. Sarah Cunningham, Peter Moor & Araminta Grace: Cutting Edge Third Edition: Elementary Student's Book with DVD-ROM, Pearson Education Ltd, 2013.
- 2. Sarah Cunningham, Peter Moor & Araminta Grace: Cutting Edge Third Edition: Elementary Workbook with Key, Pearson Education Ltd, 2013.

REFERENCES

- 1. Raymond Murphy & William R. Smalzer: Grammar In Use Intermediate, Cambridge University Press, 2007.
- 2. Mario Rinvolucri: Grammar Games: Cognitive, affective and drama activities for EFL students, Cambridge University Press, 1984.
- 3. Gary Blake & Robert W. Bly: The Elements of Business Writing, Longman, 1991.
- 4. Tricia Hedge: Teaching and Learning in the Language Classroom, Oxford University Press, 2000.

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 www.mpu.edu.mo/student handbook/.