

97-2 Preliminary Syllabus, Da-Yeh Univ

Information			
Title	中高級英語聽力與口語(二)C1	Serial No. / ID	0216 / CDC0361
Dept.	共同教學中心	School System / Class	大學日間部9年3班
Lecturer	何揚民	Full or Part-time	專任
Required / Credit	Required / 1	Graduate Class	NO
Time / Place	(二)56 / J412	Language	English

Introduction

The goal of this course is to improve students conversational ability (listening and speaking) through intensive practice. This course will emphasize on grammar, vocabulary, and culture inextricably woven into classes. There will be a variety of listening materials, including practice dialogs designed for English learners and authentic materials from online sources such as MyNorthStarLab, Clarity English and new TOEIC on ILC. The authentic content engages students, links them to language use in the outside world and encourages personal expression and critical thinking. We will explore strategies for finding important information during listening. Students will work together practicing language and participating in open-ended opinion and inference tasks. The after-class online tutorial gives students immediate feedback as they complete computer-graded language activities online; it also gives students the opportunity to submit writing or speaking assignments electronically to the instructor for feedback later. Through continuous practice, students will improve not only their listening and speaking skills, but also their ability to monitor and assess their own progress.

Outline

The goal of this course is to improve your conversational ability (listening and speaking) through intensive practice. Our work will be divided into five units, each based on a different theme. The course work will be done either individually or in small groups. In each unit, we will do a variety of speaking activities related to the unit theme, such as short speeches, presentations, role plays, and debates. We will do other activities to help you reach the listening goals in each unit. Many of the activities will be done either online or through computerized practice. Class meetings will therefore take place in J317 and J415-1, where computers and listening equipment will be available to us. As an English major, you need to constantly observe your own progress in speaking and listening. The computerized practice in this course is designed to help you in this process. There will also be listening activities every week. We will have regular quizzes to measure your progress in these activities. All freshman English majors are required to attend weekly tutorials that include online speaking and listening practice. Part of your grade in this course will depend on the effort that you make during the tutorials and outside of class to improve your speaking and listening performance.

Prerequisite

Students should have finished the Upper-Intermediate English Listening and Speaking (I).