



ENA8 Oral Course syllabus

About EN A8 Oral Course

On this course we use diverse work methods, with which the students' linguistic competence is trained. The student is guided to pay attention to the differences between their first language and the language they are studying. Studying is done primarily in pairs and in small groups. Fluency and communication methods are trained with discussion and small oral presentations. About 2/3 of the course consists of oral exercises and about 1/3 about the oral course exam. The number of students on the course is limited to a maximum of 20 students (the duration of the oral exam is ca. 30 min/ student pair). Numerical grading

	SPEAKING	LISTENING	READING	WRITING	PROJECT
TALKING ABOUT LIFE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dealing with stress: A discussion and role play Moral dilemmas: A short drama 	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TALKING ABOUT THE MEDIA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Internet: Project Politics and the media
SPEAKING AT SCHOOL AND WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An academic tutorial: Speaking Negotiation role plays: Speaking 	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Talking about life

SPEAKING

Dealing with stress: A discussion and role play

Learning goal:

- Role-play stressful situations

Key language:

- Recognize colloquial language

SPEAKING

Moral dilemmas: A short drama

Learning goal:

- Perform a short drama

Key language:

- Recognize language for showing surprise, sympathy, and interest

Language extension:

- Practise phrases for expressing reactions

Skills focus:

- Recognize formal, informal, and semiformal language

Talking about the media

PROJECT

The Internet

Learning goal:

- Understand and respond to the content and language of an authentic documentary and newspaper article
- Create an original podcast and a blog for online publication

Key language:

- Language for expressing reactions

Authentic texts:

- BBC documentary: Digital footprints
- Telegraph newspaper article: Psychology of a troll

PROJECT

Politics and the media

Learning goal:

- Understand and respond to the content and language of an authentic documentary video and two newspaper articles, as well as political advertising
- Create an original political advertisement and undertake a formal discussion in which news articles are analysed and compared

Key language:

- Figurative and idiomatic language
- Rhetorical techniques
- Language used in newspapers
- Language for formal discussion

Language extension:

- BBC documentary: Persuasive political techniques
- Guardian newspaper article: Barack Obama inauguration speech
- Guardian newspaper article: UK newspapers and Brexit

Speaking at school and work

SPEAKING

An academic tutorial

Learning goal:

- Role-play a short academic tutorial on the arts and humanities
- Be able to recognize and use language for interrupting politely, getting time to think, and acknowledging what someone else has said

Key language:

- Phrases for giving yourself time to think, interrupting politely, and showing that you understand what someone has said or that you think they made a good point

SPEAKING

Negotiating role plays

Learning goal:

- Role-play a series of negotiations
- Be able to recognize and use language for making, accepting, and rejecting offers

Key language:

- Phrases for making, accepting, and rejecting offer



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