

Course Syllabus

L3: Economics and Society: Insights and Essays

Course Description: This course is designed to enhance students' English language skills with a focus on improving spoken fluency, expanding vocabulary, refining grammar, and enhancing pronunciation through the analysis of various texts related to economics. See the Course Outline for more information.

Expectations:

- **Punctuality:** Students are expected to arrive on time for each class.
 - **Assignment Submission:** All assignments must be submitted at the start of class, and they must include the student's first and last name; assignments without proper identification will not be graded.
 - **Effort and Quality:** Assignments will be graded based on the effort invested and quality produced.
 - **Handwritten Notes:** Students are required to take handwritten notes during class as part of their participation grade.
 - **Language Usage:** English is the only language to be spoken in class.
 - **Respect:** Students are expected to show respect towards the instructor and their peers, refraining from offensive language or derogatory remarks.
 - **Cell Phones and Laptops:** Students may not use cell phones or laptops in class unless explicitly authorized by the teacher. Unauthorized use of said devices will result in penalization.
 - **Personal Issues:** Any personal issues with the teacher or peers should be addressed outside of class time.
 - **Academic Dishonesty:** Any breach of academic integrity will be reported to the administration. Dishonesty in assignments will result in a score of 0 for the respective assignment.
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Course Goals: By the end of the course, students should be able to:

- Demonstrate improved spoken fluency in English.
 - Expand vocabulary and apply it across various contexts.
 - Apply target grammar structures accurately and effectively.
 - Speak more confidently
 - Discuss and comprehend topics from a range of lexical fields.
 - Develop the skills needed for independent language study.
 - Collaborate effectively with their peers
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Grading: Students will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

- **Participation = 20%**
 - **Classwork/Homework = 30%**
 - **Final Exam = 50%**
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