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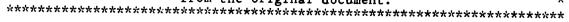
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#### **ABSTRACT**

This document is one of a series of student workbooks developed for workplace skill development courses or workshops by Mercer County Community College (New Jersey) and its partners. Designed to improve the English speaking and reading skills of non-English-speaking hospital housekeeping and food service staff, the course focuses on the skills needed to communicate effectively on the job. The materials for the 24-hour course include the following: a course outline; objectives; a topical outline; a curriculum outline; vocabulary; 12 lessons for English as a Second Language (ESL) Level II and 16 lessons in Basic ESL for dietary and housekeeping hospital staff. Lessons consist of objectives, information, and exercises. Topics covered are as follows: understanding and applying directions, patient relations, understanding forms, and reporting information. (KC)





# ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE II FOR HOSPITAL STAFF

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# OVERVIEW OF WORKPLACE LITERACY PROJECT Skills for Tomorrow, NOW

The Workplace Literacy Project resulted from a Department of Education grant, plus in-kind contributions from a partnership with General Motors Inland Fisher Guide Plant, Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory, and St. Francis Medical Center. The project is an attempt to find solutions to the growing "skills gap" in industry today. More than 25 million Americans cannot read the front page In addition, workers whose average ages are of a newspaper. rising, must produce in a technological environment that may not have existed when they began working. This lack of knowledge makes it difficult to compete in a technologically changing workplace. Moreover, an increasing number of immigrants have entered the workforce with limited English communication skills. to this growing need, the Federal government provided a grant to Mercer County Community College and its partners to develop ways to enrich and expand employees' basic workplace knowledge. The aim of also to improve the self-esteem of project was participants.

Support for the projec+ was solicited from all levels of company management and the unions. In addition, an advisory council, comprising key management and employees from each company determined the design, goals, and time-frame of the project. Each company provided a liaison person from their site, and MCCC hired a director to manage the program. Employee release time for classes was site-specific.

Participation in the program was voluntary. Information about classes was disseminated through company letters, flyers, union notices, notices included with paychecks, and open forums with supervisors and employees.

The ABLE test was used for normative pre and post testing. Other types of evaluations varied from course to course. MCCC counselors met with each student to discuss present and future educational objectives.

Courses were offered in reading, business writing, math, science, and English as a Second Language. In addition, there were workshops in problem solving, stress management, and other work survival skills. The curricula for the courses were customized for each worksite to be as job focused as possible.

It is our hope that this program will serve as a model for other organizations to empower their employees with the skills needed to succeed in the changing technological workplace, today and in the future.



#### COURSE OUTLINE

#### ESL -LEVEL 2 - FOR HOSPITAL STAFF

Course designed to improve the English speaking and reading skills of hospital housekeeping and food service staff. The curriculum focuses exclusively on skills needed to communicate effectively on the job. Lessons include vocabulary, grammar, form completion, and role playing.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- o Communicate effectively in English with patients and staff
- o Read information needed to perform job effectively
- o Complete forms correctly
- o Report information to supervisors and patients

#### TOPICAL OUTLINE

- o Understanding and applying directions
  - hospital signs
  - names for places/things
  - numbers
  - locations
  - sequence
- o Patient relations
  - greetings and small talk
  - requests
  - time phrases and real time
- o Understanding forms
- o Reporting information

#### OTHER

o 24 hours



# SFMC/MCCC WORKPLACE SKILLS PROJECT HOUSEKEEPER/DIETARY CURRICULUM

#### FALL 1991

### Goals of English as a Second Language Program:

- 1. Understanding and applying directions
- 2. Patient services and communication
- 3. Completing forms
- 4. Reporting information

#### Method:

Oral communication and role playing situations

#### Communications needs:

#### Housekeepers need to communicate with:

- ♦ VP General Services -
- ♦ Chief Supervisor -
- ♦ Supervisor -
- ♦ Immediate Supervisor
- ♦ Senior Housekeeper
- ♦ Co-workers
- ♦ Patients
- ♦ Nurses

#### Dietary need to communicate with:

- ♦ Chief Supervisor -
- ♦ Supervisor -
- ♦ Co-workers
- Patients
- Nurses

## Authority (from low to high)

- ♦ Unit Supervisor
- ♦ Kitchen Manager Lillian Deason
- ♦ Assistant Director Rich Dello Bueno
- ♦ Director Mike Manning



#### LEVEL ONE:

#### Curriculum Outline

- I. Understanding and Applying Directions: 6 hours
  - ♦ Expectations
    - 1. Recognizing Hospital signs
      Vocabulary Proper names for places/things
    - Recognizing room numbers
       Vocabulary Cardinal numbers (873)
    - 3. Going to correct locations
      Vocabulary Ordinal numbers first floor, ground
      floor
    - Putting items in correct place, or doing tasks in sequence
       Vocabulary - first, last, middle, in front of, behind, over, under, between, etc.

# II. Patient Relations 6 hours

- Expectations
  - 1. Greetings and small talk

Good morning, \_\_\_\_, I am \_\_\_\_, your housekeeper for today/or I have your lunch

Weather-it is hot today

Proper titles

Mr., Mrs., Ms.

Have a nice day

Personal identification - My name is

- 2. Requests from patients and supervisors
- Implications of present, future, questions form of expression

May I come in?

May I clean your room now?

Go to Room 324 next, later, after,

etc.

Could I have some water?

(medical rational for negative
answer)

How long have you been (perfectionse)

- Understanding time phrases (approximate time present and past)
  - In ten minutes
  - In one hour
  - Later
  - Soon
- 4. Real time (for time clocks and time sheets)
  - Months, days of week, hours and minutes
  - discharges are at 12:00 not about 12:00
  - Meals on Wheels at 10:30



#### III. Understanding forms 6 hours

- ♦ Expectations
  - Use actual forms to translate information
     Work schedule
     menus
     vacation request
     late tray signs
     truck logs
     memos, etc.
  - Understanding pay stubs Calculate hours worked, difference in pay for shifts
  - 3. Interpreting work schedules
    - days off
    - time off
    - where to be when
    - reading charts
  - 4. Time clock Press A (arrive), press enter Press D (leave), press enter

#### IV. Reporting Information 6 hours

- ♦ Expectations
  - Calling in sick or late providing complete, accurate information
     -System person calls in one hour before to be paid (dietary, or after 6 am (Environmental Services)
  - 2. Reporting repairs
  - 3. Feporting patient requests
  - 4. Accidents Vocabulary

Be careful

- hurt, pain, rash, swell, bleed
  5. Safety issues
  Fire extinguisher, chemicals, infection control,
- 6. Emgergency Evacuation signs Map reading, universal symbols = stairs, door, fire extinguisher
- 6. SS#, Telephone #



#### Vocabulary

Identify supplies - visual, oral and written Housekeeping batteries, charger beds bags basic cleaning basket bath and tub buff machine caution wet floors colors - black (patient trash cans) blue (linen and soiled and contagious) beige and gold (for cleaning cart) green (confidential - burn contents) clear (recycling) 8th floor psych floor - colors: blue- isolation - respiratory X=wear mask gold-reverse isolation-burn patient yellow-contact isolation colors - purple (floor stripper) white (wax refinisher) blue (Windex) Uniforms - blue and white- seniors who want to be supervisors - gold (cleaning) complete cleaning cor, corridor do not throw out dust floor gloves and mask green-red=safety keep lav, lavatory lunch qom non-patient ob/gyn patient patient bedding pt. rm. lav. = patient's room lavatory recycling soap smoking lounge stairs



stairwell storage room stripper visitor's lounge Thor trash

#### Vocabulary

Federal gross pay holiday insurance meals net pay overtime regular shifts sick State totals uniforms vacation vacation weekends time and a half

#### Dietary

all cans and plastic only cart caution cereal, specific types condiments - specific types, including salt and salt-free danger fire extinguisher food items-breakfast, lunch, dinner glass hot no loose trash pitcher pull in case of a fire recycle only silverware - knife, fork, soup spoon (tablespoon), teaspoon toast, breads trash bags only wash your hands before handling food wet floor i 0

#### Shifts:

8-4:30 - patient servicescontact with patients

6 am - 2:30 pm - general services (offices)

2-10:30 general services - floor, discharge, emergency rooms

Lesson:

#### Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Correctly identify hospital signs.
- 2. Correctly identify room numbers.
- 3. Correctly identify colors.
- 4. Greet patients, co-workers, and supervisors.
- 5. Relay simple information to patients, co-workers, and supervisors.
- 6. Ask simple questions.



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#### Lesson 1

Vocabulary: Hospital signs Colors Room Numbers

Verb tenses: simple present

role plays: greetings simple info.

FORM:	Project Assignment Sheet Room numbers
What What Is th	uoes this sign mean? It means color is this sign? It is room is this? This is room number is room # or # ? it is. No. it isn't.
Readi	ng of room numbers: 123 can be read as "one, twenty three" or one hundred twenty three'
	479 can be read as "four, seventy nine" or "four hundred seventy nine"
	196 can be read as "one, oh six" or one hundred six"
	continue with other examples
Greet	Hello, my name is  I am your nousekeeper.  Hy name is and I have your lunch.  Good morning / good afternoon / good evening  Have a nice day  Review of proper titles: Mrs., Mr., Ms.
Role	<pre>plays: "Hello, now are you today?" "Fine, and you?" "Just fine, thanks."</pre>
	"Hello, how are you doing today?" "Not too bad. What about you?" -"Okay."
Rela	ying simple information:  My name is  My telephone number is  My social security number is
Askı	ng simple <b>qu</b> estions:   wha <b>t</b> is <b>yo</b> ur name?



What is your telephone number? What is your social security number?



Lesson: 2

#### Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- Correctly ask for directions to locations in the hospital.
- 2. Go to correct location when given directions.
- 3. Give directions to locations in the hospital when asked.
- 4. Use ordinal numbers to identify floors of the hospital.
- 5. Ask questions containing possessives.
- 6. Correctly use simple present tense and command forms.
- 7. Correctly ask, give, and follow directions involving where to place items.
- 8. Follow a hospital map.
- 9. Demonstrate understanding of a trayline assignment sheet.



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#### Lesson #2

Vocabulary:
cart items
menu items
ordinal numbers
possessives

verb tense: simple present commana form rote plays: giving and asking dir.

Ordinal numbers: first, second, third, etc.
Practice use of ordinals with floors:
We are on the third floor.

FORMS: hospital map, trayline assignment sheet

Q:A
Which floor are we on? We are on the \_\_\_\_\_ floor.
Which floor is the \_\_\_\_\_ on?

Directions -vocabulary with prepositions: to the left/right. straight ahead, around the corner, down the hail, upstairs, downstairs, across the hall, elevator, get in/get out of, stairs.

Q/A
Where is the elevator?
Where are the stairs?
On which floor do you get into the elevator?
On which floor do you get out of the elevator?
Do you take the stairs or the elevator?

Possessives: my book. mine: your book. yours: etc.

Q.A Is this my pen or your pen? Is this mine or yours? Whose pen is this?

More complicated directions with possessives: Where is the unit clerk's desk? Which floor is Dr. Smith's office on? Where is the men's room?

Role Plays: Asking and giving directions

- -- "Excuse me. Where is the elevator?"
  -- "It's straight ahead and to the right."
  -- "Thank you."
  -- "You're welcome."
- -- "Excuse me. How do I get to the cafeteria?"
- -- "Go downstairs to the first floor."
- -- "No problem."



- -- "Excuse me. Which way is Dr. Camp's office?"
- -- "I'm sorry. I don't know. Ask at the desk."
- -- "Okay. Thanks."
- -- "You're welcome."
- -- "Where do I put the orange juice?"
- --- 'Put it next to the plate. to the left."
- -- "Where do I put the soup?"
- -- "Place it next to the sandwich. to the right."



Lesson: 3

# Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Correctly use placement prepositions.
- 2. Correctly follow sequence commands.
- Correctly use an environmental services checklikst, a tray assignment form, and a quality control check sheet.



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Lesson 3

Vocabulary: Prepositions (placement)

Sequence: first, last,

Before, after

Verb tenses: simple present command form

role plays: questions of seq.

pres. progr.

Vocapulary: next to, in front of, behind, between, across from, under, over, on, etc.

FORMS: Environmental services checklist, tray assignments. quality control check sheet

O/AWhere is the cleaner? It is next to the prush. Where is the brush? It is on the cart, behind the bottle. Is the cleaner in the closet or on the cart?

Sequence/Commands phrasal verbs: take X from Y. put X back. take X off. put X on. put X away, place X, put X, remove X

#### Commands:

Put X on the cart. Take X from the cart.

What are you doing? I am putting X on the cart.

Time words: now. before, after, first, last, then

Directions: First put the cleaner on the cart, then take the brush off of the cart. Last, put the brush back on the cart.

FORMS to be used: Quality Control Check sheet. Tray Assignment sheet

#### Role Plays:

- -- Where do I put the milk?"
- -- "On the tray, next to the plate."
- -- "Okay. thanks."
- -- "You're welcome."
- --- "What are you doing now?"
- --"I'm putting the products on the cart."
- -- "Are you putting the products away?"
- -- "No. I'm not."
- -- "Do I vacuum or dust first?"
- -- "Dust first, then vacuum."



-- "What do I do first?" -- "Dust first. then vacuum."

# Role play:

- --"Are you putting the plates away?"
  --"No, I'm not."
  --"When do you put them away?"
  --"I put them away after I clean them."



Lesson: 4

#### Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Ask and answer questions involving real time.
- 2. Fill in time correctly on worksheets.
- 3. Correctly use the simple past tense in sentences.
- 4. Use correct terms for asking permission and making requests.
- 5. Demonstrate understanding of simple requests made by patients and supervisors.



#### Lesson #4

Vocabulary: real time

Verb tenses: Role plays:

simple past (did and was)

permissives and requests

Time vocabulary: days, months, aimost, exactly, a.m., p.m., noon, midnight, at night, in the afternoon/morning, on the weekend, during the week, ago, last week/month/year. seasons, orginals with dates.

FORMS: worksheet, late tray logs, schedules (simple schedules at first)

Past Tense:

I cleaned this room yesterday, but I didn't clean the other room.

I put the sugar on that tray, but I didn't put salt

I saw Mr. Jones three days ago. She watched T.V. last week.

O/A

What's the date today? Today is August 23. 1991. What was the date yesterday? Yesterday was Aug. 22. 1991. Is today Monday or Tuesday? It's Tuesday. Was yesterday Monday or Sunday? It was Monday. When did you see Mrs. Lewis? I saw her two days ago. How long ago did you see her? I saw her two days ago. What did you do yesterday? I dusted the rooms.

Review of prepositions (for time use): I work during the week, but not on the weekeng. We celebrate Christmas on December 25th. We delebrate Christmas In December. My pirthday is in the fall.

Permissives and requests: May I? Can I?

Role plays:

-- "May I come in?"

-- "Yes. come right in."

-- "May I take your tray?"

-- Yes. thank you."

-- "You're welcome."

-- 'May I have some water?"



- -- "Let me call your nurse for you."
- -- "Can I have some ice cream with dinner?"
- -- "Let me get your nurse for you."
- -- "Could you open the window?"
- -- "I'll get your nurse for you, okay?"
- -- "Thanks a lot."
- -- "Could you give me that magazine there?"
- -- "Sure. Here you are."
- -- "Thanks a lot."
- -- "Don't mention it."



Lesson: 5

# . Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Use and understand time phrases such as "in ten minutes".
- 2. Correctly relay information concerning illness.
- 3. Correctly use simple future tense in sentences.
- 4. Correctly use the causatives let and make.
- 5. Correctly ask for time off.
- 6. Correctly complete overtime, time sheet, and worksheets



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#### Lesson #5

Vocabulary: time expressions sick expressions

Verb tenses: Role Plays: simple future causatives let/make

asking for time of: calling in sick

Vocabulary: in 10 minutes, i hour from now, soon, next. next week/month/weekend/year, after; have a headache. stomache ache. backache: have a cold. the flu (influenza). have a fever. take your temperature

FORMS: overtime, time sheet, worksheet

Simple future tense: I will go to room #45 next. I will work next week, but I will not work next weekend. We won't put the sait on those trays.

07 A Where will you go after you diean this room? I will go to the next room. When will you pick up the trays? I will pick them up soon.

Causatives:

My supervisor lets me eat lunch in the dafeteria. My supervisor makes me come to work on time. I don't let the patients move the cart. I don't make the guard wait for me. Pizza makes me sick. Let me know if we can take the trays away. I'll let you know when the next holiday is.

G/A Does working make you tired? Will the doctors let the new patients exercise? What makes you sick? Who let you know about the party?

Phrasal verbs: take off, be orf, have off, dali in alom. pick up, arop off

When will you pick up the garbage pags? I'll pick them up in one hour. Will you have August 30th off? Yes. I will. Will you take off your birthday? No. I won't. Because I have a neadacne. I will call in sick.

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#### Role Plays:

--"Hello, this is \_\_\_\_\_\_. I am calling in sick today."
--"Are you okay?"
--"No, I have a headache and a fever."
--"Okay, I'll let your supervisor know. Take care."
--"Thank you."
--"I want to have some time off this weekend."
--"How about Saturday morning?"
--"That will be fine. Thanks."
--"Sure."

Lesson: 6

#### Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- Correctly relay information using frequency and duration time words.
- 2. Correctly use the present perfect tense in sentences.
- 3. Correctly complete a time sheet.
- 4. Correctly complete staff check in and out procedures.
- 5. Engage in simple small talk not directly related to work responsibilities.



#### Lesson #6

Vocabulary:
frequency time words
duration time words
this week etc.

verb tense: pres. perf.

role plays:
checking in/out
 with time clock
small talk

Vocabulary: ever. lately, frequently, recently, elready, yet, so far, this week/month/year, since, for, regular time, overtime, time and a half, compensation time

FORMS: Review of time sheet (how many hours have I worked?)

Present perfect:
I have worked three days this week.
So far, I have cleaned 10 rooms.
We have never been to the train station.
I have aiready put the milk on the trays.

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Have you cleaned this room yet? Yes, I have.
Have you picked up the trays yet? No. I naven't.
Have they ever visited the third floor? No. they naven't.
Have you ever visited NY? Yes I have.
(When did you go?/I went)

How long have you worked here? I have worked here for 4 months.

How long has she worked here? She has worked here since 1990.

Pole plays:

- -- "How many hours have you worked this week?"
- --"I have worked 45 hours this week."
- -- 'You are eligible for overtime."
- -- 'Great. Thanks for telling me."
- -- "Have you checked in yet?"
- -- 'Yes. I have.'
- -- "How do I check in?"
- -- 'Push A when you arrive, and D when you depart."
- -- 'Let me see if I ve got this straight. A for arrive. and D for depart."
- -- 'That's right."
- -- Okay. thanks."

Smail talk role plays:

- -- "Have you ever peen to Philadelphia?"
- -- "Yes. I have."



- --"When did you go?" -- "I went a month ago."
- -- "Have you seen the weather today?"
- -- "Yes. it's very nice / cold / hot."

Contrasting pres. perf. and simple past:

- -- "Have you seen any good movies lately?"
- -- "Yes. I have."
- -- "Oh really? What did you see?" -- "I saw \_\_\_\_\_"
- -- "Did you like it?"
- -- "Yes. I thought it was \_\_\_\_\_."

Lesson: 7

# Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Use superlatives in sentences.
- 2. Fill out bank deposit and withdrawal slips.
- 3. Understand information included on their pay stubs.
- 4. Complete a checkout record.
- 5. Use the passive voice in sentences.
- 6. Ask opinion questions.



#### Lesson #7

Vocabulary: superiatives pay stub vocap. bank vocab. verb tense: passive voice roie piays: ù about stub asking for opinion

Vocabaulary: deducted, weekly/month/y/yearly, FICA, Federal taxes, state taxes, IRS, to file a return, deposit, withdraw, slip, account, by (time word) vs. until, by (agent indicator), endorse.

FORMS: pay stub, checkout record (bed sheet), bank forms

Phrasal verbs: take out. put in. drive up. wark up. break down, add up. set up. fill out. look up

Passive voice:
The beds are made by 3:00 p.m.
Dinner is served until 10:00 pm.
Breakfast is not served until 7:00 a.m.
The menu is broken down into 3 areas.
My salary is added up at the end of the year.
Taxes are taken out for every paycheck.
The form is filled out in pen.

With agent:

Dinner is cooked by the people in the kitchen. The beds are made by the environmental control staff. Our schedules are put on the board by our supervisors.

How much is taken out every month?
How often is the garbage taken out?
When are the hours written on the shedule?
Are the rooms cleaned before or after the patient leaves:
Is the time clock set up near the entrance?

#### Bank role plays:

--'I want to make a deposit."

- "Fill out this form and give it to me with your check."

-- "Where do I sign this form?"

- At the bottom.

--"I want to make a withdrawal."

-- "Fill out this form, and put your account number there."

-- "Here you are."

-- "How would you like this? Big bills or small bills?"

-- "Two twenties and a ten, please."

-- "Here you go."



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-- "Thanks."

--"I want to cash this check."

-- "Did you endorse it?"

-- "Yes. I did."

-- "Do you have an account here?"

-- "Yes, but I don't remember the number."

-- "No problem. we can look it up."

Superlatives: more, the most: less. the least: good. better. the best: bad. worse. the worst

You are taller than I am. He is taller than you are. He is the tallest person in the room.

Dusting is more difficult than vacuuming, but cleaning the windows is the most difficult.

Staying in a regular room is less expensive than staying in a private room.

The breakfast trays are the least heavy, but the dinner trays are the heaviest.

Small talk role plays:

-- "What is the best restaurant in Trenton?"



Lesson: 8

#### Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- Ask for and relay information concerning the duration of actions.
- 2. Correctly use causatives in sentences.
- 3. Report equipment breakdowns.
- 4. Understand information concerning special project assignments.
- 5. Ask, answer, and understand information concerning cycle schedules.



#### Lesson #8

Vocabulary: repair vocab. it takes X to do Y time words verb tense: causatives role plays: reporting preakdowns

Vocabulary: machinery (specific names for machines), repairman, serviceman, cycle, have trouble with, out of order, usually, only X time, once, only X minutes

FORMS: special project forms, cycle schedule

Time: expression of duration of action

It usually takes 2 hours to clean all of the rooms. It took me 2 1/2 hours yesterday.

It will take me only 2 hours today.

it has taken us 3 hours to read the paper once.

It will take longer to read it two times.

32/A				
How long does it take to			?	
Noes it take longer to Which takes the longest?	or	to	# 1 man # 1 man   1 ma	?

#### Causatives:

We get the machines fixed every week. We get the repairman to fix the machines every week. I have the nurse pring the patient water. I have the water brought to the patient (by the nurse).

# Q/À

How often do you get your hair cut? Who do you get to help you with the cart? When do you have the trays ready?

Role plays: reporting breakdowns

- -- "The vacuum cleaner is broken. It needs to be fixed."
- -- "What's the problem?"
- -- "It's making a funny noise."
- -- "Okay. Thanks for letting me know. I'll get it fixed."
- --"I think the elevator is out of order."
- -- "It was working this morning."
- -- "Well. it isn't working now."
- -- Let me call the maintenance people."
- -- The right in coom #775 isn t working."
- -- "Does it need a new bulb?"



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--"No. I tried that."
--"It must be something else. I'll have it repaired."

Role plays: special projects
--"We need to have the floors mopped."
--"Okay. Let me finish this first."

--"We need to get the beds made by 3:00."
--"No problem. I'm almost done."

--"I will get you to deliver the late meals tomorrow."
--"Okay. Thanks for letting me know."

Role plays: cycle schedules
--"How often go we get the floors cleaned?"
--"We get them cleaned twice a month."
--"How often are the menus changed?"
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-- "The menus are changed every month."

# ESL - Level TT

Lesson: 9

# Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- Understand information given on a daily inspection report.
- Correctly report information and requests from another source.
- 3. Correctly use the past perfect tense in sentences.
- 4. Correctly use quantitative vocabulary in sentences.



#### Lesson #9

Vocapulary: quantitative vocab.

verb tenses: rept d speecn past perfect role plays: reporting requests reporting speech

Vocabulary: some, any, none, all of, some of, none of, most of, the rest of, a lot, a little, a few: fewer vs. less: by the fime.

FORM: Daily inspection report

Peported speech:

"Do you have any tissues?"
What did she ask you? -- She asked me if I HAD any tissues.

"Where is the unit clerk's desk?"
What did he ask you? -- He asked me where the unit crerk sidesk WAS.

'How often do clean the trays?"
What did he ask you? -- He asked me how often I cleaned the trays.

Reporting Q/A
Did she ask you if you made the beds every day?
Yes, she did,
What did you tell her?
I told her that I made the beds everyday.

Past Perfect:

By the time I came to work. I had eaten preakrast. When I finished cleaning room #57. I had made the bed.

Qz A

Had the nurse visited the patient by the time you saw nim? Tes. she had.

Had the patient finished eating by the time you came to take he tray? No. ne hadn't.

How many means had you served by the time your cart proke down? I had served 10 means by the time my cart broke down.

Peported Speech using past perfect:



"Did you put away the detergent before he came?"
What did she ask you? -- She asked me if I had put the detergent away before he came.

"How many times did you check the menu?"
What did he ask you? -- He asked me how many times I had checked the menu.

#### Role plays:

- -- "The patient asked me if I knew where the doctor was.
- -- "What did you tell nim?"
- -- "I told him that I didn't know where the doctor was.



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#### ESL - Level II

Lesson: 10

#### Lesson Objectives:

- 1. Correctly use modals in sentences.
- Ask for, give, and follow instructions concerning hospital procedures.
- Understand vocabulary related to properly sorting and disposing of garbage.
- 4. Understand information on a task schedule and an observation worksheet.



Lesson #10

Vocabulary: advice words recycling and darbage

verb tenses: modais rose plays:
asking and
giving advice
modalities
small talk

Vocabulary: throw out, get rid of, keep hold of, dispose of, take (accept), turn down, put out, pick up, pin

FORMS: task schedules, observation worksheet

Modais: can. may, should, must, have to, ought to, supposed to, to be able to

I can drive a car. but I can't drive a truck. It may rain today.

We should carry an umbrella.

They shouldn't put so much garbage in that bag.

I must lock the closet when I leave.

I mustn't smoke in the patient's rooms.

I have to take the late meals to floor #6.

I don't have to be back until 4:00.

We ought to check the cycle schedule.

I am supposed to put the condiments on the trays.

I am not supposed to throw out the glass bottles: I am supposed to recycle them.

#### Q/A

What should I put on my cart? You should put \_\_\_\_\_ on it.
Where should I get rid of these plastic bottles? You should get rid of them in the recycling bin.
How often can I wear these rubber gloves? You can wear them only once.
Do I have to come to work on time? Yes, you do.

Modals with varying verb tenses:
I will have to go X.
I won t have to go Z.
I had to go Y.
I have had to do Z three times this week.

We will be able to do Z. We were able to do Y. She wasn't able to do X on time. I have never been able to do X.

Yesterday. I could have done Y. Last weekend. I couldn't have done Z. I should have done X.



#### Role plays:

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--"Where should I put this cleaner?"
--"You should put it in the closet."
--"Do I have to lock the closet now?"
--"No. not now. But you will have to lock it later.
--"Could you have finished all of the menus yesterday?"
--"Yes. I could have." "No. I couldn't have."
--"He had a headache. What should he have taken?"
--"He should have taken an aspirin."
--"He has a high fever. What should he do?"
--"He should go to the doctor."
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#### ESL - Level II

Lesson: 11

# Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- 1. Correctly relay information concerning accidents.
- 2. Correctly use reflexives in sentences.
- 3. Understand patient related forms.
- 4. Warn people about potential dangers.



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#### Lesson #11

Vocabulary:
accidents
potential accidents
cetlexives

verb tenses: modals

role plays:
reporting
 accidents
asking for
help

vocabulary: to hurt, pain, to swell, to bleed, blood, to fall, to be careful, to cut, to purn, to stab, to spill, dangerous, chemical, mask, gloves, needle, corrective action

phrasal verbs: to fall down, to fall out of (bed), to look out, to watch out, to complain about (to have a complaint), to wrap up, to take action

Retlexives: myself. yourself. himself. herself. itself. themselves. ourselves. yourselves

FORMS: patient visit/complaint/action form

Accidents with reflexives:
He nurt himself.
She cut herself.
I hart myself picking up the heavy box.
They burned themselves on the hot trays.
He stabbed himself with a needle.

O/A
How did he hurt himself? He hurt himself running.
When did she cut nerself? She cut herself yesterday.
How did you hurt yourselves? We hurt ourselves carrying the heavy equipment.

Accidents and injuries:
He had an accident in the haliway.
She is breeding.
There is plood on the sheet.
His ankle is red and swollen because he fel: down.
The doctor wrapped up his swollen ankle.
He is complaining about the pain.

Words of warning:
Be careful!! That box is heavy.
Look out!! That floor is still wet.
Watch out!! That plate is hot.
The tiles are wer, so be careful where you walk.
The cart is heavy, so be careful how you push it.
You should be wearing gloves.
This is a dangerous chemical, so you should be wearing a mask.



The coffee is really hot, so don't splil any on yourself. Watch out for that needle! Don't stab yourself!

Role plays with complaint form:"This patient is complaining about"What is the pest corrective action?""I think is the best corrective action."	~• "
"The patient complained about""What action did you take?""We decided to"	
"Who made the complaint?""The patient in room #76 made the complaint.""Who will have to do the work?""You will have to do the work."	

#### ESL - Level II

Lesson: 12

# Lesson Objectives:

- 1. Relay information concerning safety.
- 2. Report a fire.
- 3. Use gerunds in sentences.
- 4. Use infinitives in sentences.



#### Lesson #12

Vocabulary: safety verb tenses: review

role plays: safety

vbs. with inf. and gerunds

emergency sits.

Vocabulary: fire extinguishers, to extinguish, smoke, alarm, grease, electrical, to avoid, to like/dislike, to enjoy, to inhale/exhale

Phrasal verbs: to piug in, to unplug, to put on / turn on, to put off / turn off, to leave on. to put out (fire), to keep calm, to breathe in

With machinery / electrical units:
I plug in the vacuum cleaner, and I unplug it when I'm done.
The lamp has been plugged in all day.
I turn on the lights when I enter the room, and when I leave
I turn them off.
We leave the air conditining on during the summer months.
I had to put out the fire with the extinguisher.
Pull the fire alarm!
Don't inhale the smoke!

Reporting a fire to the fire department:

Hello. this is \_\_\_\_\_\_ at St. Francis Medical Center. I am calling to report a fire. It is a paper/grease/chemical/electrical fire. It is on the \_\_\_\_\_ floor. Please come immediately.

Reporting a fire to a supervisor:

Hello. this is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I'm calling to report a fire. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_ fire. It is on the \_\_\_\_\_ floor. Please come immediately. --Have you called the fire department? Have you pulled the fire alarm? Yes. I have: no. I haven't.

-- "There is a fire in this room."
-- "Don't preathe in the smoke."

Verbs with gerunds: prefer. enjoy. avoid. like. dislike. finish



We prefer working in the morning.
I enjoy bringing the lunch trays.
I avoid standing too close to the stove.
They dislike taking the service elevator.
After I finish working, I will punch out on the time clock.

Verbs with infinitives: like. prefer

She likes to use the new mops. I prefer to use the old mops.

## COURSE OUTLINE

## BASIC ESL FOR DIETARY AND HOUSEKEEPING HOSPITAL STAFF

Course aimed at teaching basic English skills needed for dietary and housekeeping staff to communicate with patients and staff.

#### OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Exchange greetings with patients and staff
- o Identify days and dates
- o Identify objects and furniture found in a hospital room
- O Answer commands and requests from patients and staff
- Supply basic information concerning ownership, identity, placement, number, problems, and time

#### TOPICAL OUTLINE

- o Greetings
- o Calendar
- o What is it?
- o Whose is it and other questions
- o How much?/How many?
- Commands and requests
- o What's wrong?/What happened?
- o Which?
- o When?
- o Irregular verbs
- O Questions: past, present, future
- o Questions: who, when, where, why

#### OTHER

o 24 hours



#### Lessons

- 1. Greetings
- 2. Calendar, What day is it?
- 3. What is it?
- 4. Whose is it?
- 5. Who is she?
- 6. Where is it?
- 7. How much/ How many?
- 3. Commands
- 9. Requests
- 10 What's wrong? What happened?
- 11. Which?
- 12. When?
- 13. Introduction of 4 verb tenses
- 14. Irregular past verbs
- 15. Questions: past, present, future
- 16. Questions: Who, When, Where, Why



Lesson: Greetings

Lesson Objectives:

- Greet patients and staff in English. Respond appropriately when greeted. Introduce people to each other. Say good-bye in English.
- 2.
- З.
- 4.

Greetings

Good morning

Good afternoon

Good evening

Hello

Hi

How are you?

What's happening?

Responses

Good morning

Good afternnon

Good evening

Hello

Hi

I'm fine thanks and you?

Nothing much

#### Introductions

Joe, I'd like to introduce you to Frank

Hello Frank, I'm pleased to meet you or (How do you do Frank?)

Yes , it's nice to meet you, too or (It's a pleasure to meet you.)

Kim, I'd like you to meet my friend Larry

Larry, this is Kim an old friend from New York.

Hi, Larry It's nice to meet you.

Nice meeting you too, Kim or(it's nice to meet you too, Kim )

Oh, Dr. Smith, I'd like to introduce you to my friend, Sally Sanders

Sally, this is Dr. Smith my English professor.

How do you do, Sally? It's a pleasure to meet you.

It's nice to meet you, too, Dr. Smith.

When You Are Going To Leave

Good-bye, nice to meet you

Bye, Bye

Bye

See you (YA)

Bye, nice to meet you too

Bye, I'll see you later

Bye, take care

See you (YA)



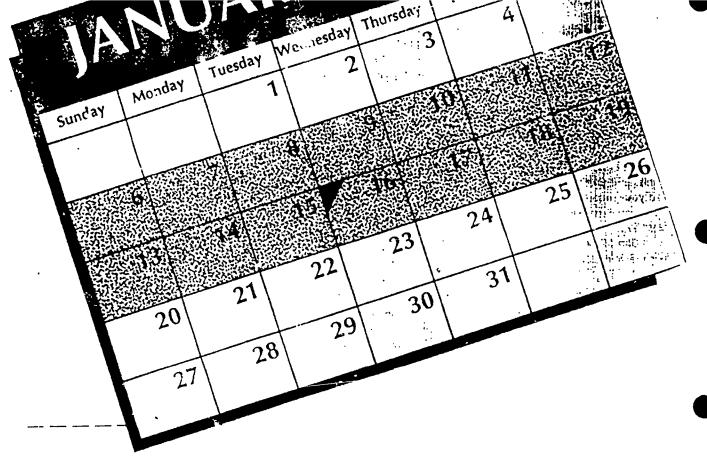
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Lesson: Calendar

Lesson Objectives:

- 2.
- Correctly identify the date.
  Correctly identify days of the week.
  Ask and answer questions concerning dates and days of the з. week.





- 1) Is New Year's Day on a Saturday this year?
- 2) What is the date of New Year's Eve?
- 3) What is the date of the first Thursday in January?
- 4) What day of the week is the last day of the month?
- 5) What day of the week is January. 25th?

# Today is January 16, 1991....

- A) What do you call Jan. 15th?
- B) What do you call Jan. 14th?
- C) What do you call Jan. 17th?
- D) What do you call Jan. 18th?
- E) What do you call Jan. 7-11?
- F) What do you call Jan. 12-13?
- G) What do you call Jan. 21-25?

Lesson: What is it?

Lesson Objectives:

- Correctly identify objects commonly encountered by dietary and housekeeping staff.
- 2. Correctly make and respond to commands concerning common objects.
- 3. Correctly make and respond to requests concerning common objects.



### Command

## Request



It is a blanket.

It is a pillow.

They are sheets.

Get me another blanket!

Give me the pillow!

Change the sheets!

Could you please make the bed?

Please bring me another blanket.

May I have the pillow?

Would you please change the sheets?



It is a table.

They are glasses of Coke.

Put the glasses on the table!

Take the glasses off the table.

Please put the glasses on the table.

Would you please take the glasses off the table?



It is a lamp. Turn on the light!

Turn off the light!

Plug in the lamp!

Unplug the lamp!

Please turn on the light.

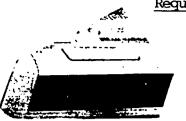
Please turn the light off.

Could you please plug in the lamp?

Please unplug the long.







It is a watch.

What time is it?

Excuse me, what time is it?

It is a clock.

Pardon me, could you tell me what time it is?



It is a chair.

Sit down!

Please have a seat.



It is a window.

Open the window!

It is a shade.

Close the window!

They are curtains.



Please open the window.

Would you mind closing the window?



It is a garbage can. Throw it away!

It is a trash can.

Throw it out!

Please throw this away for me.

Would you mind throwing this out for me?



Command

Request



It is a television.

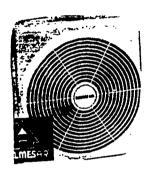
It is a T.V..

Turn on the T.V.!

Turn off the television!

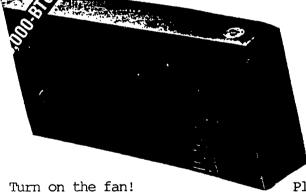
Please turn on the T.V..

Would you mind turning off the television?



It is a fan.

It is an air conditioner.



Turn the fan off!

Turn up the air conditioner!

Turn the air conditioner down!

Please turn on the fan.

Would you mind turning the far off?

Please turn up the air conditioner.

Could you please turn the air conditioner down?



It is a telephone.

Answer the phone!

Please answer the telephone.

It is a phone.



Whose is it and other questions Lesson:

Lesson Objectives:

- Correctly answer questions beginning with "whose." Correctly answer questions concerning the identity of a 2. person.
- Correctly answer questions beginning with "where." З.



#### Whose is it?

#### Whose is it?

It is mine.

It is yours.

It is his.

It is hers.

It is ours.

It is theirs.

Whose cleaning supplies are these?

They are mine.

They are ours.

Whose children are they?

They are mine.

They are hers.

Whose job is it to clean the rooms?

It is my job.

It is our job.

Whose supervisor is on vacation?

His supervisor is on vacation.

Their supervisor is on vacation.

Whose friend is in the hospital?

My friend is in the hospital.

Her friend is in the hospital.

## Whose book is it?

It is my book.

It is your book.

It is his book.

It is her book.

It is our book.

It is their book.



#### Who is she?

She is my mother.

She is my sister.

She is my cousin.

She is my aunt.

She is my friend.

She is my co-worker.

She is his mother.

She is Joe's sister.

She is Julie's cousin.

She is their aunt.

She is our friend.

She is her co-worker.

## What does she do?

She is a housekeeper.

She is a doctor.

She is a nurse.

She is a supervisor.

She is a nurse's aide.

## What is she doing now?

She is cleaning a room.

She is seeing a patient.

She is giving out medication.

She is telling me what to do.

She is giving the patient a shower.

## What does she usually do?

She cleans rooms.

She sees patients.

She gives out medication.

She tells people what to

She gives patients showers.



# Place!

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In		
On	·	
Near		
Next to	·	
Under		
Over	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Between		
In front of		
Behind		
Here		
There		
Everywhere		
Nowhere		
Answer the Que		
2) Where do yo	u usually sit?	
3) Where is th	e book?	
4) Where do yo	ou live?	
5) Where do yo	ou sleep?	
6) Where is th	ne bathroom?	G1

How much?/How many? Lesson:

Lesson Objectives:

- Correctly answer questions beginning with "how much" and "how many."
  Use "much" and "many" appropriately.
- 2.

# How Much? ... How Many?

How Much?	How Many?		
none	one, two		
no	some		
some	a few		
a little	a couple of		
plenty of	several		
tons of	many		
too much	plenty of		
not enough	tons of		
isn't any	a million		
a lot of	too many		
	not enough		
	aren't any		
use with	use with		
coffee	books		
rain	people		
rice	cars		
(not countable)	(countable)		
1) How ice cubes are in this glass?			
2) Howice do you think is on	ice do you think is on the road?		
3) How coffee do you usually d	coffee do you usually drink?		
4) How cups of coffee do you usually drink?			
5) How gallons of water do you drink in a week?			
6) How water is in the tub?			
7) How ice cream do you want?	63		

Commands and requests Lesson:

Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

1. Make and respond to commands.

2. Make and respond to requests.

#### Commands

Tell
Tell me your name.
Tell the baby a story.

Get
Get me a drink of water.

Take your feet off the table.



Put

Give

Take

Show

Put it away.

Put it back.

Give it to me.

Give it back.

Take it away.

Take it back.

Show it to me.

Give him your pen.

Put it on the table.

# Making Requests

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<b>U</b> .	Excuse me,	
	Please,	
	Would you please	
	May I have	
	Could you please	
	Would you mind (use withing.)	
	Commands ====================================	= Requests
	Turn dowr your radio!	Excuse me, please turn down your radio.
•	I want the salt!	Please pass the salt.
·	Help me move this!	Would you please help me move this.
	Give me a Coke!	May I have a Coke, please
	Answer the phone!	Could you please answer the phone for me?
	Quit smoking in here!	Would you mind smoking in the hallway please.
	Responding to Requests	
	(+) Sure, Certainly, Of course	(-) I'm sorry but
	I don't mind at all	I wish I could but I can't because
3	I'd be glad to No problem	Sorry, but I

Lesson: What's wrong?/What happened?

Lesson Objectives:

- Correctly ask questions about problems that might occur
- on the job.
  Correctly answer questions concerning problems that might 2. occur on the job.

## What's Wrong?

# What's wrong?

- 1. The T.V. is broken.
- 2. The toilet is clogged up.
- I don't feel well.

## What happened?

- 1. The bucket spilled.
- 2. The bathtub overflowed.
- 3. The light burned out.

#### Does it work?

Yes it does.

No it doesn't, it needs to be fixed.

#### Is it broken?

Yes it is.

No it isn't, it works fine.

### Does it leak?

Yes it does.

No it doesn't. The plumber fixed the leak.

## Does the faucet drip?

Yes it does.

No it doesn't. The plumber fixed it.



Lesson: Which?

Lesson Objectives:

- 1.
- Correctly ask questions beginning with "which." Correctly answer questions beginning with "which." 2.

#### Which

Which one do you want?
This one
That one

I don't want either one.

Which book is yours?

The red one is mine.

Neither one is mine.

Which way do I turn?
Turn right
Turn left

Which one is better?
This one is better.

That one is better.

Neither one, they are both the same



Lesson: When?

Lesson Objectives:

- Identify and use words which indicate the past tense.
- Identify and use words which indicate the present progressive and simple present.

  Identify and use words that indicate the future tense. 2.
- 3.

#### When ?

#### Time!

## Past:

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Yesterday

Last week

Two months ago

A long time ago

When I was a child

Before

Ten years ago

This morning

Five minutes ago

## Present:

Present Progressive:

Now

At this moment

I am in the process of

Simple Present:

Usually

Always

Never

Every Sunday

Most of the time

Once a week

Every year

#### Future:

Tomorro.

A year from now

Soon

Next week

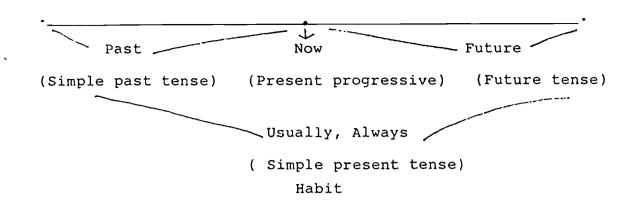
After

In a little while

By 6:00

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PAST		NOW	USUALLY	FUTURE
(ed)		(ing)		(will)
I walked	*	I am walking	I walk	I will walk
You walked	*	You are walking	You walk	You will walk
He walked	*	He is * walking	He walk <u>s</u>	He will walk
She walked	*	She is * walking	She walk <u>s</u>	She will walk
It walked	*	It is * walking	It walk <u>s</u> -	It will walk
We walked	*	We are walking	We walk	We will walk
You (pl.) walked		You (pl.) are walking	You (pl.) walk	You (pl.) will walk
They walked	*	They are walking	They walk	They will walk

## Irregular Verbs

Present	Past	Present	Past
see	saw	1) sweep	swept
do	did	2)	
come	came	3)	
go	went	4)	
begin	began	5)	
drink	drank	6)	
swim	swam	7)	
run	ran	8)	
break	broke	9)	
speak	spoke	10)	
choose	chose	11)	
freeze	froze	12)	
drive	drove	13)	
ride	rode	14)	
write	wrote	15)	
take	took		
throw	threw		
know	knew		
grow	grew		
bring	brought		
fall	fell		
buy	bought		
put	put		
sit	sat		
feel	felt		
know	knew		
think	thought		



Lesson: Irregular verbs

Lesson Objectives: Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

Correctly use irregular verbs.

Questions: past, present, future Lesson:

Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

- Correctly form questions using the past, present progressive, simple present, and future tense.
  Use tense correctly when responding to questions.
- 2.

Questions: Past, Present Progressive, Simple Present, Future

Did you work yesterday?

Yes, I did.

No, I didn't. No, I didn't. Yes, I ----ed. Yes, I worked yesterday. No, I didn't ----. No, I didn't work yesterday. Did he ----? Did he clean the room yet? Yes, he did. Yes, he did. No, he didn't. No, he didn't. Yes, he ----ed. Yes, he already cleaned the room. No, he didn't -----No, he didn't clean the room yet. Present Progressive Are you ----ing? Are you mopping the floor now? Yes, I am. Yes, I am. No, I'm not. No, I'm not. Yes, I am ----ing. Yes, I'm mopping the floor now. No, I'm not ----ing. No, I'm not mopping the floor now. Is he ----ing? Is he eating lunch now? Yes, he is. Yes, he is. No, he isn't. No he isn't. (No, he's not.) Yes, he is ----ing. Yes, he is eating lunch now. No, he isn't ----ing. No, he isn't eating lunch now. Simple Present (usually, always) Do you ----? Do you smoke? Yes, I do. Yes, I do. No, I don't No, I don't. Yes, I -----. Yes, I smoke. No, I don't -----No, I don't smoke. Does he ----? Does he work on the weekends? Yes, he does. Yes, he does. No, he doesn't No, he doesn't Yes, he ----s. Yes, he works on the weekends.

No, he doesn't----.

Past

Yes, I did.

Did vou ----?

No, he doesn't work on the weekends.

Will you help me?	
Did you show your new car to Jack?	
Does your father smoke cigars?	
Is she talking to her friend?	
Will she eat dinner with her family	
Do you show your I.D. to the securi	
Is she cleaning the bathroom now?	
Are you working for Mary today?	
Oo you play the piano?	
)id he fix the leak in the shower?	
Are you mopping the floor?	<del>-</del>
Does she usually eat in the cafeter	
oid you talk to your supervisor yet	?
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No, he won't	No, he won't fix the sink tomorrow
No, he won't. Yes, he'll	No, he won't.  Yes, he'll fix the sink tomorrow.
res, he will.	Yes, he will.
/ill he?	Will he fix the sink tomorrow?
No, I won't	No, I won't work for you on Sature
es, I'll	Yes, I'll work for you on Saturda
lo, I won't	No, I won't.
es, I will.	Yes, I will.
Till you?	Will you work for me on Saturday?

Lesson: Questions: who, when, where, why

Lesson Objectives:

Upon completion of this lesson students will be able to:

Understand when to use who, when, where, and why in question formation.

Person Who Time When Place Where Reason Why Write your own questions Who? 4) 1) Who made this mess? 2) Who is responsible for this project? 5) 6) 3) Who is your supervisor? When? 1) When did you put the cake in the oven? 4) 5) 2) When does the bell ring? 6) 3) When do we break for lunch? Where? 4) 1) Where is Julio? 2) Where do you come from? 5) 6) 3) Where are you going? Why? 4) 1) Why did she leave? 2) Why is the window open? 5) 3) Why are the paychecks late? 6)

Appendix



## Evaluation

Teacher will evaluate the following criteria:

Employee			
Department			
Pronunciation	Initial Class	Middle Class	Final Class
Frequent mispronunciations, cannot be understood			
Some mispronunciations leading to confusion, understood if attentive			
No serious mispronunciations, easily understood			
Fluency			
Minimal response to or amount of communication			
Shows effort beyond minimum			
Elaborates responses			
Grammar			
Very little control of structure taught, making comprehension difficult			
Control of simple structures, but makes errors which occasionally obscure meaningcan correct self			
Controls most of the structures taught, but makes occasional errors that don't obscure meaningcorrects self			
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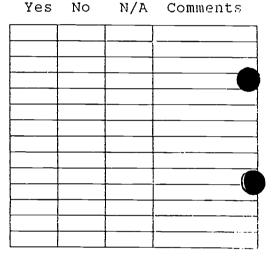


## Dear Supervisor:

recently completed a hour course in English in the Workplace. In order to evaluate our program and curriculum and to improve them, we would like feedback from you concerning the progress and/or improvement of your employee. Thank you for your time.

Did the course help the employee in the following areas:

- 1. Understanding verbal instructions
- 2. Asking for clarification
- 3. Understanding written instructions
- 4. Communicating in English
- 5. Reporting accidents
- 6. Understanding safety procedures
- 7. Interacting with co-workers
- 8. Receiving/understanding correction
- 9. Receiving/understanding praise
- 10. Self-confidence
- 11. Interest in work
- 12. Pronunciation
- 13. Understanding American culture
- 14. Other







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On a scale of 1 to 5, 1 being the lowest, please answer the following:

1. Were you satisfied with the training your employee received?

1 2 3 4

5

2. Was the training course valuable to your employee?

1 2 3 4 5

3. What recommendations you have for the next English in the Workplace class?

Thank you for your time and support. We have enjoyed working with you and your employees.

Yours truly,

Elaine Weinberg Director Workplace Skills Project



Student pre and post self-evaluation Supervisors' assessment

