

## Tamkang University Academic Year 108, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ENGLISH CONVERSATION	Instructor	IRIS RALPH
Course Class	TFLXE1C DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, 1C	Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ General Course</li> <li>◆ Required</li> <li>◆ 2nd Semester</li> </ul>
D e p a r t m e n t a l   A i m   o f   E d u c a t i o n			
<p>I . Cultivate diverse research specialists with abilities in language, literature, culture, and English teaching.</p> <p>II. Carry on and further the excellent tradition of domestic language instruction and literary research to be a department contributing equally to research and language teaching.</p> <p>III. Foster a holistic learning process by putting equal emphasis on language and literature, theory and practice.</p> <p>IV. Strategies</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Train students' abilities in five skills: English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation.</li> <li>2. Promote technologicalization and internationalization.</li> <li>3. Upgrade the quality and quantity of those students who participate in the Junior Year Abroad program.</li> <li>4. Launch a common English Proficiency Test and enhance students' competitiveness in the job market.</li> <li>5. Enrich international video conferencing.</li> <li>6. Promulgate such areas of research as English and American literature, cultural studies, ecocriticism, and English Teaching.</li> </ol>			
Subject Departmental core competences			
<p>A. Strengthen students' abilities in English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation. (ratio:100.00)</p>			
Subject Schoolwide essential virtues			
<p>2. Information literacy. (ratio:50.00)</p> <p>5. Independent thinking. (ratio:50.00)</p>			

Course Introduction	This course emphasizes oral presentation skills.			
<p align="center"><b>The correspondences between the course's instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives.</b></p> <p>Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives.</p> <p>I. Cognitive : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc.</p> <p>II.Affective : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc.</p> <p>III.Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.</p>				
No.	Teaching Objectives			objective methods
1	Please see below			Cognitive
2	The teaching objectives emphasize the affective aspects below.			Affective
The correspondences of teaching objectives : core competences, essential virtues, teaching methods, and assessment				
No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	A	25	Lecture, Discussion, Publication, Experience, Imitation	Testing, Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation
2	A	25	Lecture, Discussion, Experience, Imitation	Testing, Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation
Course Schedule				
Week	Date	Course Contents		Note

1	109/03/02 ~ 109/03/08	Intro	
2	109/03/09 ~ 109/03/15	Material for OP	
3	109/03/16 ~ 109/03/22	OP	
4	109/03/23 ~ 109/03/29	Material for OP	
5	109/03/30 ~ 109/04/05	OP	
6	109/04/06 ~ 109/04/12	Material for OP	
7	109/04/13 ~ 109/04/19	OP	
8	109/04/20 ~ 109/04/26	Film	
9	109/04/27 ~ 109/05/03	Midterm Exam Week	
10	109/05/04 ~ 109/05/10	Film	
11	109/05/11 ~ 109/05/17	Material for OP	
12	109/05/18 ~ 109/05/24	OP	
13	109/05/25 ~ 109/05/31	Material for OP	
14	109/06/01 ~ 109/06/07	OP	
15	109/06/08 ~ 109/06/14	Material for OP	
16	109/06/15 ~ 109/06/21	OP	
17	109/06/22 ~ 109/06/28	Final Exam Week (Date:109/6/18-109/6/24)	
18	109/06/29 ~ 109/07/05	Supplementary teaching: Wrap-up	
Requirement		Full participation is required. Marks will be deducted for attendance (missing class, arriving late, leaving early, and unsatisfactory / poor class participation).	
Teaching Facility		Computer, Projector	
Textbooks and Teaching Materials		Taipei Times newspaper (print and online) and other internet sources; selected films	
References			

Number of Assignment(s)	<b>16</b> (Filled in by assignment instructor only)
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance :                %    ◆ Mark of Usual :                %    ◆ Midterm Exam :                % ◆ Final Exam :                % ◆ Other (Pres., Part., Att. ) : 100.0 %
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