



Course Title: ENGLISH CONVERSATION

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Syllabus:

Course description: This course is principally a facilitating tool to improve English with real expressions, language functions, verb tenses in context, American and British accents, stress patterns, pronunciation and collaborative work.

General Course Information

- Course dates: Starting 11th February 2021 and finishing 30th November. As it is a face-to-face online course, we will work synchronously.
- **Available timetable: Thursdays from 3.30 pm to 4.30 pm // Thursdays from 8 pm to 9 pm. Groups of 6 people per due.**
- Hardware/software (technology) requirements:

Laptop, PC, Smartphone or Tablet. Internet Access to web-based materials (websites, multimedia etc.) Web Browser running the most current version that can accommodate JavaScript and Java (Firefox, Chrome, Internet Explorer or Safari on MAC). Word Processing Program (MSWord, Open Office, Pages); Storage device or place for files; online document sharing program such as Google Drive or Dropbox and The app ENGLISH CONVERSATION that you can download in your mobile phone in this link: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.talkenglish.conversation>

General Objectives:

- 1) Identify, practice, apply, and transfer vocabulary, expressions, verb tenses in context, sentence patterns and pronunciation to everyday life situations to improve English.
- 2) Reflect on the importance of practice and commitment to achieve authentic improvement.

Course Structure – organization and topics:

- Introducing ourselves: Descriptions, habits, likes, and basic vocabulary. (February)

- Introducing other people: increasing complexity of structures, use of connectors and conjunctions. Common expressions and tips for vowel sounds; Intonation and pronunciation. (March and April)
- Describing processes, places and projects. Exchanging ideas, agreeing/disagreeing, making suggestions, making interruptions, asking for help. Common expressions and tips for vowel and consonant sounds; Intonation and pronunciation. (May and June)
- Asking for help and giving assistance in different contexts: In a shop, at the airport, at University, on the street in a tourist agency. Common expressions and tips for vowel and consonant sounds; Intonation and pronunciation. (July and August)
- Answering the phone, the door; Starting, Interrupting and finishing any conversation. Common expressions and tips for vowel and consonant sounds; Intonation and pronunciation. (September and October)
- Round up of the topics learnt, working in a project with my assistance. (November)

Costs:

Monthly fee: ARS \$ 1.200

Inscription fee: ARS \$ 850 (up to 11th February)

Inscription fee: ARS \$ 1200 (with no discount)

See you in the course!

Teacher: Paula Mariela Caruso

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