English for Life



Example timetable for a student looking to improve their everyday English, A2 and above: **Theme of the week:** Oxford literature & film/TV adaptations

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
11:00 11:55	Vocabulary Essential vocabulary for reviews	Reading Lewis Carroll: Alice in Wonderland	Vocabulary Common collocations in film/TV: discussing genre	Study Visit Study Visit - Harry Potter locations in Oxford	Grammar Review of narrative tenses: past simple, continuous, perfect, etc
12:00 12:55	Grammar <i>Review of noun phrases and</i> <i>complex sentence structure</i>	Listening Watching Inspector Morse, group questionnaire and discussion	Listening & Speaking Discussion: The Chronicles of Narnia vs Lord of the Rings		Writing Using notes to write the biography of an Oxford author
	Lunch				
14:15 15:10	Reading Comparing the book and film adaptation of The Lord of the Rings	Collocation Literal vs collocational meanings: hot potato, blue collar, old hat	Vocabulary Language for job applications & skills: CV, computer-literate, etc	Vocabulary Formal letter of application for a job at a summer camp	Speaking Presenting your biography to the rest of the group
15:15 16:10	Writing Writing a review of a book or film	Grammar Review of future forms: going to + verb, present continuous & simple	Grammar Language for job applications & skills: CV, computer-literate, etc	Listening & Speaking Listen to four job interviews and decide who gets the job & why	Weekly Review Learning review with quiz
	BreakBreak				
16:30 17:15	Open Learning Club Drop-in study sessions with support from teachers	Open Learning Club Drop-in study sessions with support from teachers	Open Learning Club Drop-in study sessions with support from teachers	Open Learning Club Drop-in study sessions with support from teachers	Open Learning Club Drop-in study sessions with support from teachers
Evening Activity	Football Training 17.30 – Free, Meet at Ferry Leisure Centre		Mamma Mia! Musical in London 16.00 - £20, Meet at 3 Bardwell		Tennis 15.30 - £5, Meet at 3 Bardwell