

ELT Classes													
Course Book: Unlock 3 Reading & Writing										Fall Term			
Exams	Date	Week	Unit	Video	Course Book Parts					Slow Goers	Fast Goers	Outside Resources	
					Reading	Vocabulary	Grammar	Critical Thinking	Writing				
17-18 Sept. Proficiency	16 -20 Sept.	1											
23 Sept. Placement	23-27 Sept.	2	Unit 1 - Video & Reading & Vocabulary	Great egret and dolphin fishing	Reading for main ideas in academic texts Understanding key vocabulary Using your knowledge Reading for detail Working out meaning from context Predicting content using visuals	Academic verbs							
	30 Sept. - 4 Oct.	3	Unit 1 - Grammar & Critical Thinking & Writing				Comparative adjectives Grammar for writing: Word order Combining sentences with and, or, but, whereas, both, neither	Comparing and contrasting facts	Academic writing skill: Writing topic sentences Writing task: Complete a comparison-and-contrast essay				
9 Oct. QUIZ 1 (WED.)	7 - 11 Oct.	4	Unit 2 - Video & Reading & Vocabulary	The Colorado River, Grand Canyon and Yosemite	Reading for detail Identifying purpose and audience Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Predicting content using visuals Reading for main ideas Scanning to find information Previewing Summarizing Making inferences Synthesizing	Academic vocabulary Environment collocations							
	14-18 Oct.	5	Unit 2 - Grammar & Critical Thinking & Writing				Grammar for writing: Verbs of cause and effect Because and because of	Analyzing cause and effect	Academic writing skills: Understanding paragraph unity Writing supporting sentences and details Giving examples Writing task: Complete a cause-and-effect essay.				
23 Oct. QUIZ 2 (WED.)	21-25 Oct.	6	Unit 3 - Video & Reading & Vocabulary	The jumbo jet	Predicting content using visuals Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Reading for main ideas Reading for detail Making inferences Synthesizing	Transport collocations Synonyms for verbs							
28-29 Oct. Holiday	28 Oct.-1 Nov.	7	Unit 3 - Grammar & Critical Thinking & Writing				Making suggestions Grammar for writing: First conditional If ... not and unless	Evaluating solutions to a problem	Academic writing skill: Writing a concluding sentence Writing task: Complete a problem-solution essay				
4-5 Nov. MIDTERM 1 (MON.)	4-8 Nov.	8	Unit 4 - Video & Reading & Vocabulary	South Korean Coming of Age Day	Annotating Previewing Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Using your knowledge Reading for main ideas Reading for detail Making inferences Synthesizing	Topic vocabulary (e.g. culture, relationship, belief, ceremony, tradition)							
	11-15 Nov.	9	Unit 4 - Grammar & Critical Thinking & Writing				Avoiding generalizations Adverbs of frequency to avoid generalizations Grammar for writing: Paraphrasing	Responding to an author's ideas	Academic writing skill: Writing a summary and a personal response Writing task: Write a summary paragraph and a response paragraph.				
	18-22 Nov.	10	Unit 5 - Video & Reading & Vocabulary	Sugar survey supports labelling on food and drinks	Making inferences Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Predicting content using visuals Skimming Reading for main ideas Reading for detail Using your knowledge Scanning to predict content Synthesizing	Health and fitness collocations							
27 Nov. QUIZ 3 (WED)	25-29 Nov.	11	Unit 5 - Grammar & Critical Thinking & Writing				Verb and noun forms Grammar for writing: Stating opinions Stating a purpose Linking contrasting sentences	Supporting an argument	Academic writing skills: Structuring an essay (introductory, body and concluding paragraphs) Writing task: Write a balanced opinion essay.				

	2-6 Dec.	12	Unit 6	China's man-made river	Scanning to find information Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Using your knowledge Reading for main ideas Annotating Making inferences Reading for detail Synthesizing	Prefixes	Making predictions with modals and adverbs of certainty Grammar for writing: Relative clauses Prepositional phrases with advantages and disadvantages	Analyzing advantages and disadvantages	Academic writing skill: Writing an introductory paragraph (hook, background information, thesis statement) Writing task: Write an explanatory essay.					
12 Dec. QUIZ 4 (THUR.)	9-13 Dec.	13	Unit 7	Savile Row's first female Master Tailor	Distinguishing fact from opinion Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Using your knowledge Reading for main ideas Reading for detail Making inferences Skimming Scanning to find information Synthesizing	Vocabulary for the fashion business	Grammar for writing: Multi-word prepositions to combine information	Identifying strong arguments	Academic writing skills: Using body paragraphs in point-counterpoint essays Using counter-arguments Using cohesion Writing task: Write a point-counterpoint essay.					
	16-20 Dec.	14	Unit 8	The stock market crash of 1929	Skimming for general ideas Additional skills: Understanding key vocabulary Using your knowledge Reading for main ideas Reading for detail Making inferences Annotating Synthesizing	Vocabulary for economics and economic trends	Grammar for writing: Describing graphs using noun and verb phrases Prepositions and conjunctions to add data Approximations	Understanding and interpreting line graphs	Academic writing skills: Writing a description of a graph Writing a concluding paragraph Writing task: Write an analysis essay					
24-25-26-27 Dec. MIDTERM 2	23-27 Dec.	15	MIDTERM 2											