

Year	2017	Semester	2nd Quarter	Department, Course, Etc.	General Education
Class Number		Name of Class	English II	Number of Credits	1
Name of Instructor					
Type of Class	—	Student Affiliation	1st year students	Student Year	1st year students

1	Name of Subject	English II
2	Key Words	communication, listening, skill, knowledge
3	Class Aims	Students will acquire the attitudes and abilities to use English to obtain information and to communicate actively in English. In this class, the specific aim is for students to understand the characteristics of spoken English and to develop aural comprehension ability to meet various needs.
4	Class Goals	Students are expected to be able to do the following after taking this class: 1. To be able to understand important differences between the English and Japanese sound systems 2. To be able to effectively comprehend instructions, conversations, narrations, etc spoken in English 3. To be able to achieve not only bottom-up comprehension, but also top-down comprehension making use of prior knowledge 4. To expand knowledge of vocabulary necessary for listening improvement
5	Items of Common Education	2, 3
6	Ehime University Competencies Standards for Students	1.Assemble and organize appropriate information sources. 3.Construct ideas based on acquired knowledge and skills, then express them appropriately in verbal and written format. 6.Communicate appropriately through dialogue, discussion, and presentation in variety of settings (e.g. presentation, dialogue, discussion).
7	Class Content	The focus will be on the development of listening ability, but the four skills will be linked together to bring about their improvement in an organized manner.
8	Class Schedule	1st Class Class Introduction (class aims and schedule, preparation and review, etc). 2nd Class Introduction to effective listening in social contexts 3rd Class Discussing familiar topics related to everyday life at home or work 4th Class Making future plans and schedules for everyday arrangements 5th Class Hearing weather forecasts and reports on television and radio 6th Class Understanding rental housing features at a real estate agency 7th Class Following instructions about how to use devices and equipment 8th Class Review 1: Review exercises 9th Class Talking to sales clerks in common everyday shopping situations 10th Class Making phone calls and leaving messages (at home or work) 11th Class Using requests, complaints, and suggestions in everyday situations 12th Class Announcements made in public places (at airports, stations, etc) 13th Class Explanations from receptionists working in various public places 14th Class Review 2: Review exercises 15th Class Final Examination and Consolidation Note: Teachers may change this class schedule to meet the special needs of the classes. Teachers will inform students of any changes to the syllabus.
9	Information for Out-of-class Learning	Students should complete all assigned class and homework exercises and also review each class to check they understand the work.
10	Assessment	Participation in class activities 30% Quizzes (and homework) 40% Final Exam 30%
11	Requirement (Optional)	
12	Class Rules (Optional)	1. Students' attitudes in class will be evaluated, so it is important to participate actively in class activities. Preparation and review are also necessary for students to understand the content of the lesson and benefit from their study. So please listen to instructions in class, do preparation and review, and participate actively in class activities. 2. Students who are absent from a class should ask a classmate about what was covered in the class and then do the necessary preparation, review, and homework to catch up the missed class before the next class begins. 3. Students who are absent four or more times will receive a grade of "Not Evaluated." In such a case, you will not receive credit points and will need to repeat the class in another semester, so please be careful. 4. Students who come to class late cannot participate fully in class activities. Please come to the classroom before the class starts. If you are late three times, it will be counted as one absence. If you are 30 minutes or more late, it will be considered one absence. 5. As a rule, class activities will be conducted in English. Please make an effort to use English as much as possible during classes. 6. During class, cell phones should be turned off and any private conversations avoided.
13	Textbook Information	Title : Real-World Listening: Listening in Social Contexts Author : Richard Blight et al. Publisher : Cengage Learning Students should buy the book before classes begin and bring it to the first class.
14	Reference Book Information	—
15	Other Information for Textbook/Reference Book	All students need to get the new textbook.
16	Office Hours, Etc.	http://web.eec.ehime-u.ac.jp/officehour.html
17	Contact Address	http://web.eec.ehime-u.ac.jp/officehour.html
18	Webpage (Optional)	http://web.eec.ehime-u.ac.jp/
19	Others (Optional)	Grade evaluation by some proficiency tests is available. Candidates can apply for that at the English Education Center office from April 10th to 14th.