

## English

### Basic English

(工((生B)1年))

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(平成 19 年度以前の授業科目: 『基盤英語』) (平成 16 年度以前 (医保は 17 年度以前) の授業科目: 『英語 (1)』)

**Target** > Approximately half of each class will focus on Medical English. The other half will focus on general conversational English.

**Outline** > English for specific purposes (medical/dental English), General conversational English

**Goal** > The purpose of this class is to improve students' basic English skills. The syllabus will be task based. Tasks will be integrated, targeting a variety of discrete skills. Grammar and vocabulary items will be addressed, but they will be viewed as subservient to meaning, rather than generative and devoid of context. The communicative aspect of language will be at the forefront.

#### Schedule

1. Introductions / Getting to know your fellow students and teacher
2. Discussing language learning strategies and goals
3. Pronunciation workshop
4. How to take point form notes effectively
5. Using past tense to talk about events
6. Language for cause and effect, drawing conclusions
7. Expressing cause and effect in writing, developing a written argument
8. Preparation for presentations
9. Presentations
10. Using adjectives and descriptive language to describe cities and places
11. Describing your hometown, describing other cities
12. Pragmatically correct usage of various past tenses
13. Describing a vacation you have taken
14. Test practice
15. Test
16. Final class

**Textbook** > Students will use material prepared by the instructor and self-generated material. There will be no textbook.

**Evaluation Criteria** > Presentation: 20. Two written tests (about medical English): 20% each. Speaking test: 20. Attendance and participation: 20

**Re-evaluation** > Yes, if you have attended at least 2/3 of the class and your score is at least 50%

**Message** > I hope that you find the medical English part of this class useful for your future, but you'll have to study a lot of new vocabulary for the tests. For the general part of this class, you'll have a chance to participate more actively and speak English as you complete various theme-based tasks.

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