

ENGLISH FOR SMALL TALK & EVERYDAY CONVERSATIONS

APRIL 5 – JUNE 9, 2021

Mondays and Wednesdays, 7:30 – 9:30 a.m. EST

(CEFR B1, Intermediate) Students practice small talk and everyday conversations. Students will attend 20 live online lessons via Zoom over 10 weeks for a total of 40 hours of instruction. Each lesson is two hours. Readings, vocabulary flashcards, MP3s, and other course material will all be provided by the instructor each Friday. Upon completion of the 10 week course, students will receive a certificate of completion with quiz grades, hours attended, and CEFR level. Students will receive a certificate of completion (with quiz grades, hours attended, and CEFR level) only if the student (a) attends a minimum of 30 of 40 hours of live instruction, (b) achieves a minimum of 75% on average for quizzes, and (c) submits their final 50 minute EFSET score.



TOPICS

Week 1 – What is small talk and why is it important?

Week 2 – How do you politely ask about and share your interests and opinions?

Week 3 – How do you politely ask about and share personal information? (family, education, work experience)

Week 4 – How do you compare and contrast holidays?

Week 5 – How do you talk about food?

Week 6 – How do you talk about sports?

Week 7 – How do you talk about TV shows, movies, art, music?

Week 8 – How do you talk about traveling and weather?

Week 9 – How do you talk about languages?

Week 10 – How do you talk about the future?

COURSE COST AND REGISTRATION

- **General Registration** – Open to all, \$495
- **Partner University Students Registration** – Partner university students only, \$225
- **Kettering Undergrad or Grad Applicant** – \$95

"I'm here to talk about how good Kettering University's English class is. If you are seeking the ways to practice your speaking skill or to communicate with friends from a wide variety of backgrounds, these courses would be a really good opportunity to achieve what you are looking for. Besides, the topic and content itself is really useful as well. I actually registered another class just right after my first class had finished. And I think that indicates the class was really impressive. So I would say don't be hesitant to register for the class. I strongly recommend it! Thank you."

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Jiyeon, Ajou University, South Korea

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ENGLISH FOR STUDY ABROAD

APRIL 6 – JUNE 10, 2021

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:30 – 9:30 a.m. EST

(CEFR B2, Intermediate) Students will prepare to study abroad in the U.S. by learning the language and culture of U.S. higher education. Students will attend 20 live online lessons via Zoom over 10 weeks for a total of 40 hours of instruction. Each lesson is two hours. Readings, vocabulary flashcards, MP3s, and other course material will all be provided by the instructor each Friday. Upon completion of the 10 week course, students will receive a certificate of completion with quiz grades, hours attended, and CEFR level. Students will receive a certificate of completion (with quiz grades, hours attended, and CEFR level) only if the student (a) attends a minimum of 30 of 40 hours of live instruction, (b) achieves a minimum of 75% on average for quizzes, and (c) submits their final 50 minute EFSET score.

TOPICS

Week 1 – Why study abroad? Why study in the U.S. or Kettering?

Week 2 – How do you prepare to study in the U.S. or Kettering?

Week 3 – How do you pick classes and what are classes in the U.S. like?

Week 4 – How do you find a co-op and what is co-op like?

Week 5 – How do you get involved and meet people on campus?

Week 6 – How do you get food and other necessities?

Week 7 – What is housing like on and off campus?

Week 8 – What do you do about academic, visa, or personal issues?

Week 9 – How do you stay healthy and safe?

Week 10 – Why study abroad in the U.S. or Kettering?

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"Hi! I'm Hyunjin from Ajou University, South Korea. The ten-week online program with Kettering University was really great. Through this program, I learned how I can express my opinion in English and got a lot of information related to studying abroad. Also, I was able to get rid of my fear of discussing various subjects in English, and have gained confidence. It was especially helpful to get useful information about the unique programs (such as co-op or internships) and the system of Kettering University. If anyone is hesitant to do this program, don't hesitate to apply. This will be a great opportunity to change your life!"

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