

# A2 Elementary Course Outline

## Student's Book Scope and Sequence

Lesson and objective	Grammar	Vocabulary	Pronunciation	Everyday English
<b>Welcome!</b>	Possessive adjectives; Question words; <i>a / an</i> ; Regular plural forms	Numbers; The alphabet; Colours; Classroom objects and instructions	Noticing word stress	Saying hello and introducing people; Spelling words
<b>Unit 1 People</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about meeting people from other countries				
<b>1A</b> Talk about where you're from	<i>be</i> : positive and negative	Countries and nationalities	Syllables and word stress	
<b>1B</b> Talk about people you know	<i>be</i> : questions and short answers	Adjectives	Sound and spelling: /k/; Sound and spelling: long and short <i>o</i>	
<b>1C</b> Ask for and give information			Intonation for checking; Consonant clusters	Asking for and giving information
<b>1D</b> Write an online profile				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> <i>from</i>		
<b>Unit 2 Work and study</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about what kind of work you find interesting				
<b>2A</b> Talk about jobs	Present simple: positive and negative	Jobs	Word stress; -s endings	
<b>2B</b> Talk about study habits	Present simple: questions and short answers	Studying; Time	<i>do you</i>	
<b>2C</b> Ask for things and reply			Sound and spelling: <i>ou</i>	Asking for things and replying
<b>2D</b> Complete a form				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> <i>work</i>		
<b>Unit 3 Daily life</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about what you do every day				
<b>3A</b> Talk about routines	Position of adverbs of frequency	Time expressions; Common verbs	Sentence stress; Sound and spelling: /aɪ/ and /eɪ/	
<b>3B</b> Talk about technology in your life	<i>have got</i>	Technology	Word stress; Main stress and intonation	
<b>3C</b> Make arrangements			Main stress; Thinking about what you want to say	Making arrangements
<b>3D</b> Write an informal invitation				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> Prepositions of time		
<b>Unit 4 Food</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about eating with your family				
<b>4A</b> Talk about the food you want	Countable and uncountable nouns; <i>a / an, some, any</i>	Food	Sound and spelling: <i>ea</i> ; Sound and spelling: /k/ and /g/	
<b>4B</b> Talk about the food you eat every day	Quantifiers: <i>much, many, a lot (of)</i>	Cooking		
<b>4C</b> Arrive at and order a meal in a restaurant			Word groups	Arriving at a restaurant; Ordering a meal in a restaurant
<b>4D</b> Write a blog post about something you know how to do				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> <i>like</i>		
<b>Unit 5 Places</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about what a good home is				
<b>5A</b> Talk about towns	<i>there is / there are</i>	Places in a city	<i>there's</i> ; Sound and spelling: /b/ and /p/	
<b>5B</b> Describe rooms and furniture in your home	Possessive pronouns and possessive 's	Furniture	Sound and spelling: vowels before <i>r</i>	
<b>5C</b> Ask for and give directions			Sentence stress	Asking for and giving directions
<b>5D</b> Write a description of your neighbourhood				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> Prepositions of place		
<b>Unit 6 Family</b>				
<b>Getting started</b> Talk about a family you know				
<b>6A</b> Talk about your family and your family history	Past simple: <i>be</i>	Family; Years and dates	Sound and spelling: /ʌ/; Sentence stress	
<b>6B</b> Talk about past activities and hobbies	Past simple: positive	Past simple: irregular verbs	-ed endings; Sound and spelling: <i>ea</i>	
<b>6C</b> Leave a voicemail message and ask for someone on the phone			Sound and spelling: <i>a</i>	Leaving a voicemail message
<b>6D</b> Write a life story				
<b>Review and extension</b> More practice		<b>WORDPOWER</b> <i>go</i>		

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Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Five conversations		Saying hello and introducing people	Names and addresses
A conversation about where you're from		Where you're from	Sentences about you
A conversation about people you know	Social media posts about people you know	People you know	Notes about people you know
At the gym reception		Asking for and giving information; Checking understanding	
First day of an English class	Online profiles	Using social media	An online profile; Capital letters and punctuation
	An article about Gabby Scampone	Jobs	Sentences about jobs
A survey about study habits	An online forum about study habits	Studying; Study habits	Questions about study habits
Ordering in a café; Asking for help		Asking for things and replying; Reacting to news	
Three monologues about studying English; A teacher addressing her class	A competition entry form	Studying English	A form; Spelling
A conversation about family routines	An article about an unusual workplace	Daily routines; Spending time with your family; Routines you share with others	A dialogue; Notes about routines you share with other people
Three conversations about gadgets	An interview about using the Internet	Technology in your life	Sentences about gadgets you've got; Questions about gadgets you've got
Making arrangements to go out		Making arrangements; Thinking about what you want to say	
A monologue about someone's family	Two informal emails	Plan a party	An informal email invitation; Inviting and replying
A conversation about buying food	An article about world markets	Buying food; The food you like and don't like	
A conversation about cooking	A factfile about Albert Adrià; Two personal emails	Cooking programmes; Cooking; The food you eat	Questions about food
At a restaurant		Arriving at a restaurant; Ordering a meal in a restaurant; Changing what you say	
Four monologues about cooking	A cooking blog	Cooking; A good cook you know; Cooking for others	A blog post about something you know how to do; Making the order clear
	An article about an unusual town	Places you like; Describing a picture of a town; What there is in a town	Questions and sentences about what there is in a town
A conversation about a new home	An advertisement	Your home and furniture	Sentences about your home
On the street		Giving and following directions; Checking what other people say	
Three monologues about neighbourhoods	A website about neighbourhoods around the world	What makes a good neighbourhood; Your neighbourhood	A description of your neighbourhood; Linking ideas with <i>and</i> , <i>but</i> and <i>so</i>
A conversation about a family tree		Your family	Notes about your family
A conversation about childhood hobbies	An article about Steve Jobs	Steve Jobs; What you did at different times; A childhood hobby	Notes about a childhood hobby
On the phone		Leaving a voicemail message; Asking for someone on the phone; Asking someone to wait	 Unit Progress Test
A monologue about someone's life story	A life story	Important years in your life	A life story about someone in your family; Linking ideas in the past

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Unit 7 Trips					
Getting started Talk about where you'd like to travel to					
7A	Talk about past trips	Past simple: negative and questions	Transport	did you; Sound and spelling: /ɔ:/	
7B	Talk about what you like and dislike about transport	love / like / don't mind / hate + verb + -ing	Transport adjectives	Word stress	
7C	Say excuse me and I'm sorry			Intonation for saying excuse me; Emphasising what we say	Saying excuse me and I'm sorry
7D	Write an email about yourself				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER get	
Unit 8 Fit and healthy					
Getting started Talk about sport and exercise					
8A	Talk about past and present abilities; Talk about sport and exercise	can / can't, could / couldn't for ability	Sport and exercise	Can, can't, could and couldn't; Sound and spelling: /u:/ and /ʊ/	
8B	Talk about the body and getting fit	have to / don't have to	Parts of the body; Appearance	have to; Word stress	
8C	Talk about health and how you feel			Joining words	Talking about health and how you feel
8D	Write an article				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER tell / say	
Unit 9 Clothes and shopping					
Getting started Talk about shopping in your town or city					
9A	Say where you are and what you're doing	Present continuous	Shopping; Money and prices	Word stress in compound nouns; Sentence stress	
9B	Talk about the clothes you wear at different times	Present simple or present continuous	Clothes	Sound and spelling: o; Syllables	
9C	Shop for clothes			Joining words	Choosing clothes; Paying for clothes
9D	Write a thank-you email				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER time	
Unit 10 Communication					
Getting started Talk about how you use your smartphone					
10A	Compare and talk about things you have	Comparative adjectives	IT collocations	Sentence stress	
10B	Talk about languages	Superlative adjectives	High numbers	Word stress; Main stress	
10C	Ask for help			Main stress and intonation	Asking for help
10D	Write a post expressing an opinion				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER most	
Unit 11 Entertainment					
Getting started Talk about films and TV programmes you enjoyed when you were a child					
11A	Ask and answer about entertainment experiences	Present perfect	Irregular past participles	Sentence stress; Sound and spelling: /ɜ:/	
11B	Talk about events you've been to	Present perfect or past simple	Music	Syllables	
11C	Ask for and express opinions about things you've seen			Main stress and intonation	Asking for and expressing opinions
11D	Write a review				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER Multi-word verbs	
Unit 12 Travel					
Getting started Talk about photographs					
12A	Talk about holiday plans	be going to	Geography	Syllables and word stress; Sentence stress	
12B	Give advice about travelling	should / shouldn't	Travel collocations	should / shouldn't	
12C	Use language for travel and tourism			Intonation for showing surprise; Consonant clusters	Checking in at a hotel; Asking for tourist information
12D	Write an email with travel advice				
Review and extension		More practice		WORDPOWER take	
Phonemic symbols and Irregular verbs p. 129		Communication Plus p. 130		Grammar Focus p. 138	
				Vocabulary Focus p. 162	

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Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
A conversation about travelling	Three stories about holidays	A trip around your country	Notes about a trip around your country
A conversation about transport in Moscow	A webpage about city transport around the world; Four reviews of transport systems	Metros and express buses you know; Disagreeing about transport; Transport you use	Notes about transport
On the train		Saying <i>excuse me</i> and <i>I'm sorry</i> ; Showing interest	
A conversation about choosing a homestay family	Two online profiles; An email from Ahmed	Homestay families; English-speaking countries you'd like to visit	An email about yourself; Linking ideas with <i>after</i> , <i>when</i> and <i>while</i>
A podcast about training for a marathon	An article about Paralympian Jonnie Peacock	Famous sporting events and people; Running and exercise; Present and past abilities	Sentences about present and past abilities
Two monologues about exercise	An article about High Intensity Interval Training	Getting fit; The things people have to do; Yoga; Parts of the body	Sentences and notes about what people have to do
At the gym		Health and how you feel; Expressing sympathy	
A conversation about a free-time activity	An email about a company blog; A blog article about a free-time activity	Free-time activities in your country; Your free-time activities	An article; Linking ideas with <i>however</i> ; Adverbs of manner
Four phone conversations about meeting		Meeting friends in town; Saying where you are and what you're doing	Sentences about what you are doing
Two phone conversations about what people are wearing	Two posts about living abroad; Text messages about what people are doing	Shopping; Festivals in your country; Clothes	Notes about what someone you know is wearing
Shopping for clothes		Choosing clothes; Paying for clothes; Saying something nice	
Four monologues about giving presents	Two thank-you emails	The presents you like to get; Giving presents and thanking people for them	A thank-you email; Writing formal and informal emails
A conversation about phones	An online discussion about headphones and earbuds	Headphones and earbuds; Phones; Comparing two similar things	Notes about two similar things
A radio programme about languages	A blog about languages	Languages; Blogs and language websites; High numbers	
Asking for help		Asking for help; Checking instructions	
Three monologues about text messages	Four text messages; Six posts on an online discussion board	Sending messages; Social media posts	A post expressing an opinion; Linking ideas with <i>also</i> , <i>too</i> and <i>as well</i>
A conversation about a magazine quiz	Three fact files about actors; A magazine quiz about actors; An article about actors	Popular films, TV programmes and books	Questions about films, TV programmes and books
A conversation about music in Budapest	An article about Budapest	Budapest; Kinds of music; Entertainment events in your town or city	Notes about entertainment events in your town or city
A night out		Going out in the evening; Asking for and expressing opinions; Responding to an opinion	
A conversation about a film	Three film reviews	Films	A film review; Structuring a review
Two conversations about holidays	A web page about holidays	Natural places; Important things when on holiday; Holiday plans	
Two monologues about things people like when travelling	An article about living in a different country	Living in a different country; Travelling and holidays; Giving advice about travelling	
A prize holiday		Checking in at a hotel; Asking for tourist information; Showing surprise	 Unit Progress Test
A conversation about a planned holiday	An email with travel advice; An email asking for travel advice	Planning holidays; Porto	An email with travel advice; Paragraph writing