



**Learn English Confidently**

## **Advanced Level Syllabus Overview**

**Student Level at Part 1** – very fluent but doesn't always understand shades of meaning in complex situations.

### **Course aims:**

- To correct remaining small mistakes in student's use, understanding and pronunciation of language.
- To introduce student to more colloquial language such as idioms, figures of speech and when to use them.

### **Course includes:**

1. Bringing it all together.
2. Idioms
3. Figures of Speech
4. Innuendos
5. Subtleties of language
6. Jokes
7. Quotes and Proverbs
8. Language differences in different English-speaking countries
9. Language specifically associated with British cultures, such as 'fish and chips', 'tea and cake', 'the weather'
10. Different language used for different purposes.
11. Revision
12. Test
13. Test answers

**Please note** - Extra revision lessons and re-sit tests are available. Students who wish to progress to the next level (and receive the certificate), must pass the end of course test. Students who do not pass the test first time can re-sit as many times as they like.

### **By the end of Part 1, the student should:**

1. Be able to differentiate between types of language and use it appropriately.
2. Be able to use and understand both receptive and productive language even if with a little hesitation.

## HALF-WAY THROUGH ADVANCED LEVEL

**Student Level at Part 2** – fluent to the level similar to that of a native.

**Course aims:**

- To practice their receptive and productive use of the language in a variety of different contexts.
- To sort out any remaining misunderstandings or loose ends.

**Course includes:**

1. Idioms
2. Figures of Speech
3. Innuendos
4. Subtleties of language
5. Jokes
6. Quotes and Proverbs
7. Language differences in different English-speaking countries
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**By the end of this course, the student should:**

1. Use and understand all the language without hesitation.
2. More or less completely fluent.
3. Know more about the quirks of the English language and how they are used.

## END OF ADVANCED LEVEL

## Lesson Structure

**Lesson length:** 1 hour

1. Homework feedback (15 mins.)
2. **Speaking** (20 mins approx.)
3. **Listening** (20 mins approx. including marking time.)
4. Homework explanation – **reading** and **writing** exercise (5 mins approx.)

**Note:**

- The above structure is a general guide but if a student needs more time to practice a specific skill, then the structure can be flexible. The lessons at this level are designed to help a student who is basically fluent in English but who wants to polish their English language skills and use colloquial language that is not used every day.
- The aim of each lesson is that the student is able to recognise and use the new target language with confidence.
- Part 2 is a repetition of Part 1 but at a *higher level*. This is because the purpose of Part 2 is to reinforce the language learnt at Part 1 *but at a higher level*.