

SAMPLE PROGRAMME

Evening Business Communication & Writing Course

Class 1

Thursday

PRESENTING YOURSELF & COMPANY

Language feedback/reformulation.

DEALING WITH COMMUNICATION PROBLEMS

Interrupting, checking, clarifying.

Language focus & practice by explaining work activities and processes Language feedback/ reformulation.

HOMEWORK: Complete gapped email trail, read role-play meeting agenda.

Class 2

LEADING MEETINGS

Language focus & practice meeting. Role-play meeting.

Language feedback/reformulation.

EMAILS: Noticing common phrases.

Making & changing arrangements language.

HOMEWORK: Complete gapped emails, read role-play meeting agenda.

Class 3

Thursday

PARTICIPATING IN MEETINGS

Opinion, agreement, proposing. Language focus & role-play practice meeting. Language feedback/reformulation.

EMAILS: Noticing common phrases. Making & replying to enquiries & requests for information language.

HOMEWORK: complete gapped emails.

Class 4

TELEPHONING

Language focus & role-play practice calls. Language feedback/reformulation.

NEGOTIATING

Structuring language, making conditions, being tactful.

HOMEWORK: read role-play negotiation meeting.

Class 5

Thursday

SOCIAL ENGLISH - chit chat

Making conversation at start of formal & informal meetings and calls. Language focus & role-play practice. Language feedback/reformulation.

NEGOTIATING

Role-play practice to reach agreement. Language feedback/reformulation.

EMAILS: Making & responding to complaints language.

HOMEWORK: Write email.

Class 6

PRESENTING & EXPLAINING INFORMATION

Structuring, using visuals with facts & figures, explaining, dealing with questions, use of voice. Language focus & practice reporting & explaining figures. Language feedback/reformulation.

EMAILS: Homework tasks.

HOMEWORK: Prepare presentation.

Class 7

Thursday

PRESENTING & EXPLAINING INFORMATION

(Presentation practice with Q & A. Language feedback/reformulation.

EMAILS: Requesting & giving instructions language.

HOMEWORK: Write emails.

Class 8

EMAILS: Homework tasks.

MEETING

With social chit chat, information presentation & negotiation.

Language feedback/reformulation.

COURSE REVIEW

Self-study/learning strategies advice.





















This is a sample programme – the actual class content will be based on a first day needs analysis.