

C1.3 English Writing and Speaking Skills

Prerequisites	Completion of C1.2
Textbook	Materials will be provided by the instructor.
Course content	<p>Topics Current events and topics of personal interest from university, work, and private lives.</p> <p>Communication Goals You will be able to: produce cohesive and coherent written and spoken texts on a variety of complex subjects, showing controlled use of expected organisational patterns, connectors, and cohesive devices; you will be able to provide elaborate descriptions and narratives, integrating sub-themes, developing particular points and rounding off with an appropriate conclusion. Written genre may include emails and letters, articles and essays, and/or reports. Spoken genre may include formal presentations, discussions, debates, question-and-answer sessions, etc.</p> <p>Grammar and Skills Instruction of grammar will be based on the needs and interests of the participants. Instruction of writing and speaking skills will focus on the discourse features of each genre and their variations, including sentence formation, paragraph formation, linking and rhetorical devices, introductions and conclusions, etc.</p> <p>Vocabulary Instruction of vocabulary will be based on the needs and interests of the participants.</p>