

# Let's Talk Syllabus

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Lesson Day, Time, Schedule	Course Mode
Monday (16:30 – 17:30) – Quarter System	ONLINE
Course Level	Course Materials
Intermediate (TOEIC 500<)	Instructor will provide lesson materials

### Course Overview

This course will focus on adventures, leadership qualities, ethics, and common ethical issues. The class will talk about interesting and important life events, explore ethical problems and possible decisions or approaches.

### Course Goals

Learn, acquire, and use relevant **vocabulary**, learn the basics of **notetaking**, explore ways to keep a discussion going by **asking and expressing opinions**, and **improve public speaking skills**.

#### **Course Content**

The first lesson will serve as an Orientation Session. Instructors will inform students about skills and activities related to the course.

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Lesson		Topic
One		Orientation and topic introduction (early explorers and
expeditions)		
Two		Vocabulary Building (reading and listening)
Three		Note taking basics (listening for numbers, dates, and periods of
time)		
Four		Group Discussions (leadership and leadership qualities)
Five		Express your ideas (student presentations – important life event)
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Six		Topic introduction (ethics)
Seven		Vocabulary Building (reading and listening)
Eight		Note taking basics (listening for examples and pauses that splits
ideas)		
Nine		Group Discussions (common social and ethical issues)
Ten		Express your ideas (student presentations –making an ethical
decision)		

## Lesson Flow

- 1. Warm-up (open-ended questions about the topic)
- 2. Vocabulary (word matching, synonyms, and commonly used expressions)
- 3. Reading and listening (Short paragraphs and audio clips)
- 4. Comprehension Questions (video presentation, note taking activity and comprehension)
- 5. Small Group Discussion (sharing one's ideas)

