

Listening with a Purpose

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Listening

Listening is a critical element in the competent language performance of adult second language learners, whether they are communicating at school, at work, or in the community.

What Learners should understand about Language Learning

- Learners don't have to understand everything
- Learning is a process
- Learning English is a skill

Listening Practice

- should be at a “normal pace”
- should be always accompanied by a task
- Students should know the listening purpose

Focused Listening

What do students need to know in preparation for focused listening?

- The context
- The purpose
- What they are listening for

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Look at the menu. What do you want for lunch?





AUGUSTIN'S RESTAURANT

LUNCH MENU

Soups and Salads

Caesar salad \$2.49
Dinner salad \$1.85
Potato soup \$1.49






Sandwiches

Big burger \$2.98
Big cheeseburger \$3.49
Super burger combo \$5.99
Turkey sandwich \$2.25

Main Courses

(All main courses come with a vegetable)
Sirloin steak and potatoes \$8.50
Fried chicken and french fries \$5.99




Side Orders

French fries \$1.85
Potato chips \$.85
Rice \$1.25
Beans \$1.25
Vegetable of the day \$2.00

Beverages

Soda \$1.19
Milk \$1.29
Coffee \$2.00
Tea \$1.75



Desserts

Chocolate cake \$2.75
Cheesecake \$2.00
Vanilla or chocolate ice cream \$1.75
Fresh fruit \$2.00

Guest Check		
TABLE NO.	CHECK NO. 200345	SERVER NO.
Soup or Salad:		\$
Sandwich or Main Course:		\$
Side Order:		\$
Beverage:		\$
Dessert:		\$
TOTAL:		\$

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Demonstration

4 Steps for Teaching Listening

1. Pre-listening activity: Prepare them for context and vocabulary.

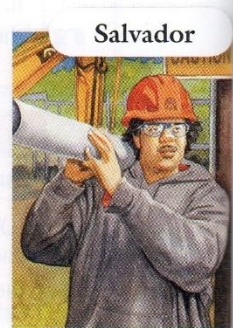
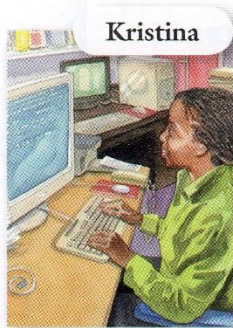
2. Sample Task: Make sure they know what type of listening it is.

3. Task: Play the recording more than once if necessary and share

4. Post-listening activity: Review results / add application

Tip: Encourage students to take risks and make educated guesses.

Focused Listening Techniques

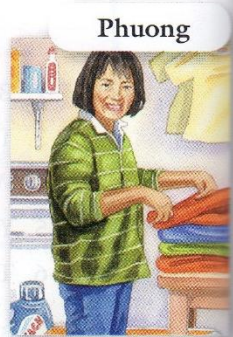
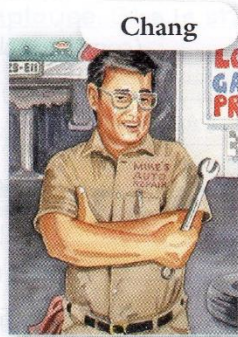


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2. _____

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5. _____

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7. _____

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Numbered Pictures

Demonstration

Kristina



Esteban



Ivan



Salvador



1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Dalva



Chang



Natalia



Phuong



5. _____

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Demonstration

Focused Listening Techniques

Ordering

Listen to the instructions. Number them in the correct order.

1. Recipe: Cake

- _____ Bake for 35 minutes.
- _____ Combine cake mix, water, oil, and eggs in a large bowl.
- 1 Heat oven to 350°.
- _____ Pour mixture into a pan.

2. Recipe: Tacos

- _____ Add ground beef, cheese, tomatoes, and lettuce to the fried tortillas.
- _____ Cut tomatoes, onions, cheese, and lettuce.
- _____ Drain grease.
- _____ Fry corn tortillas.
- _____ Fry ground beef.

Video Listening Techniques

- Listening without viewing
- Back to Back
- Summary Strips
- Comprehension Checks

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