

NIVELL B2.1 CURS 2

UNITS	YOU WILL:
Unit 1. Obsessions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to people talking about their obsessions• read an article about mobile phone addiction• practise speaking about irritating habits• write your opinions about mobile phones• study and practise will, would and used to• study words related to obsessions and words that have silent letters
Unit 2. Food for thought:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to a radio interview concerning 'slow food'• read an article about the aphrodisiac properties of foods• practise speaking about restaurants• write an article about a national style of cooking• study and practise relative clauses• study words related to food
Unit 3. Scary stories:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to a conversation about ghosts• read an article about the consequences of an urban legend• practise telling a mystery story• write your opinion about horror films• study and practise clauses of contrast and concession• study words related to horror and frightening events
Unit 4. Price of fame:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to an interview concerning the privacy of famous people• read an article about people who double for celebrities• practise describing people's appearance and behaviour• write your opinion about the right to privacy• study and practise phrasal verbs• study words to describe people and also words related to fame

Unit 5. Time for everything:

- listen to a radio programme about break time at school
- read an article about personal management of time
- practise talking about organizing the time available to you
- write a description of how you use your time
- study and practise If only and I wish
- study words related to time

Unit 6. I wonder why:

- listen to a radio programme about some curious facts
- read short articles about strange events and facts
- practise speculating about the causes of certain facts
- express in writing cause-effect relationships
- study and practise modal expressions
- study words related to curious facts

Unit 7. We can help:

- listen to people describing their experiences of voluntary work
- read a brochure about voluntary work in the third world
- practise phoning to offer yourself as a volunteer
- write an application for work as a volunteer
- study and practise different verb patterns
- study words related to volunteer work

Unit 8. Extreme weather:

- listen to someone describing the effects of a tornado
- read an article about an electric storm
- practise asking and answering questions about the weather
- write a story about an event involving extreme weather conditions
- study and practise cleft sentences and Not only... (but) also...
- study words related to extreme weather

Unit 9. Tribal peoples:

- listen to an anthropologist answering questions about remote tribes
- read an article about different tribes
- practise asking and answering questions about New Zealand
- write a report about a remote people
- study and practise There is/are
- study words related to tribal peoples and geography

Unit 10. European Union:

- listen to a Scottish student who has studied in a different country
- read an article about the expansion of the European Union
- express opinions about Europe
- write descriptions of European cities
- study and practise future forms
- study words related to Europe and the European Union, and words used in English that originally came from other languages

Unit 11. Building for tomorrow:

- listen to architecture students describing their favourite buildings
- read an article about a building designed by Norman Foster
- practise asking and answering questions about buildings
- give your opinion about modern architecture
- study and practise passive forms
- study words related to architecture and buildings

Unit 12. Corporate responsibility:

- listen to a radio programme about starting a new business
- read an article about the drugs needed for AIDS sufferers
- practise talking about how to start a business
- write a letter of protest
- study and practise the present perfect simple and continuous
- study words related to money and business

Unit 13. Age of Empires:

- listen to a legend from ancient Egypt
- read an article about the civilization of the Indus
- practise talking about sites that you have visited
- write descriptions of ancient sites
- study and practise prepositional phrases
- study words related to ancient civilizations

Unit 14. Fighting for survival:

- listen to conversations related to a TV contest ('Survivors')
- read an article about an expedition to Antarctica
- practise expressing advice concerning dangerous situations
- write the story of a survivor
- study and practise It's time, I'd rather, in case, unless, provided, as long as
- study words related to dangerous situations

Unit 15. A Sense of Justice:

- listen to explanations of different offences
- read an article about an alternative judicial system
- practise expressing opinions about the judicial system
- express agreement and disagreement in writing
- study and practise past tenses
- study words related to justice and the judicial System