

NIVELLS B2.2 CURS 2

UNITS	YOU WILL:
Unit 1. World Music:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to an interview with a Portuguese singer• read an article about a Senegalese singer-songwriter• practise talking about musical and concerts• write a review of a music CD• study and practise acronyms and language related to music• study words related to the world of music
Unit 2. Gender:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to experiences of changing families• read an article about women's football• practise talking about sex roles• write about the equality of the sexes• study and practise wish, hope and non-sexist language• study words related to gender and sex roles
Unit 3. Schooldays:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to interviews with some outstanding pupils• read an article about the evaluation of teachers by pupils• relate anecdotes about school life• write about a teacher you liked or disliked• study and practise sentences with inversion• study words related to life at school
Unit 4. Natural Causes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• listen to a talk about aspects of genetic modification• read an article about genetic modification• talk about advantages and disadvantages• write about a proposal for the solution to a problem• study and practise the gerund and infinitive• study words related to agriculture and technology

Unit 5. Keeping in touch:

- listen to a programme about messages in code
- read an article about a problem with public information
- practise talking about ways to communicate
- practise the difference between formal and informal letters
- study and practise phrasal verbs and verbal expressions
- study expressions related to communication

Unit 6. Urban life:

- listen to people talking about where they live
- read an article about changes in el Raval
- practise expressing comparison and contrast
- write about the languages of Europe
- write a letter that makes some proposals
- study and practise inversion after negative adverbs
- study words related to homes and neighbourhoods

Unit 7. Theatre and Dance:

- listen to someone presenting a play in India
- read an article comparing Lope de Vega and Shakespeare
- describe the details of a photo
- write the presentation for a theatre group
- study and practise the passive
- study words related to theatre and dance

Unit 8. Sleep:

- listen to someone explaining the meaning of dreams
- read an article about the different phases of sleep
- talk about sleep experiences
- write the description of a dream
- study and practise phrasal verbs
- study words related to sleep and dreams

Unit 9. Detective stories:

- listen to biographies of different authors
- read an article about a modern detective story author
- practise reading aloud
- write a book review
- study and practise the discourse structure of a detective story
- study words related to detective stories

Unit 10. Conflicting Emotions:

- listen to a different people arguing
- read an article about tension at family gatherings
- talk about emotionally charged situations
- write about ways to handle conflict
- study and practise expressions for emphasis
- study words related conflictive relationships

Unit 11. Primitive Ways:

- listen to people describing their experiences of living primitively
- read an article about Neanderthals
- practise explaining how to make an artefact
- write a legend or myth
- study and practise subordinate clauses
- study words related to the primitive life

Unit 12. Body Art:

- listen to an interview with a photographer of nude masses
- read an article about some very human sculptures
- talk about tattoos
- write about extreme forms of art
- study and practise participle clauses
- study words related to body art and to unusual art

Unit 13. Green:

- listen to advice about city gardens
- read an article about psychotechnical tests
- read an article about the properties of some plants
- practise talking about recipes
- write a description of a garden or nature area
- study and practise adjectives and nouns with prepositions
- study words related to plants and gardens

Unit 14. Beliefs:

- listen to people talking about witches and pagan religions
- read texts about different religions
- practise speaking about religious beliefs
- write about religious festivals
- study and practise abstract nouns and compound adjectives
- study words related to beliefs and religions

Unit 15. Across the Univers:

- listen to extracts from films about space exploration
- read an article about asteroids
- practise expressing opinions about news items
- write facts and opinions
- study and practise modal verbs
- study words related to the universe and space exploration