

# Syllabus

## Welcome

What language do people speak in Egypt? They speak Arabic.

## Classroom Language:

How do I get to the auditorium? Which units will be on the exam? Will you be my partner for the project? When is the report due?

## Unit 1 Getting Around

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Directions:</b> up the street, over the bridge, under the train tracks, around the fountain, along the river, down the stairs Walk up the street and turn right/turn left/go straight. How do I get to the hotel? First, walk up the street and turn right. Then, walk over the bridge and turn left.	<b>Transportation:</b> catch a taxi, ride the ferry, take the subway, ride the bus, take the train, drive a car What did they do this morning? They caught a taxi to the zoo. How did you get to the museum? We caught a taxi.	<b>Reading: Finding the Fair</b> <b>Conversations:</b> We're looking for the art fair. The art fair? It's in that direction. OK. Thanks./ The art fair? Sorry, I don't know where it is. Thanks anyway. <b>Be prepared.</b>	<b>Sightseeing:</b> capital, busy, similar, giant panda, honor, observe I'm going to Meiji Shrine on Friday afternoon. How will you get there? I'll take the train to Harajuku Station and walk to the shrine entrance.

## Unit 2 Family Life

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Responsibilities:</b> read textbooks, pay bills, go to bed early, repair the house, type a report, scrub the sink I have to read textbooks, but my parents have to pay bills/and my parents do, too. I don't have to read textbooks, but my son/daughter does. I don't have to pay bills, but my parents do.	<b>Privileges:</b> call friends, stay up late, invite a friend over, watch a scary movie, sing karaoke, have a party I can call friends on weekends, but I can't call friends on weekdays. My dad/mom could call friends when he/she was my age, but my mom/dad couldn't.	<b>Reading: Babysitting</b> <b>Conversations:</b> Do I have to babysit? You don't have to, but you should. OK, I will./ Yes, I'm afraid you do. All right, Mom. <b>Be responsible.</b>	<b>Basic Math:</b> addition, something, order, subtraction, multiplication, division What kind of math should you use for the first problem? Addition. $1 + 13 + 6 + 3 + 2 = 25$

**Check Up 1** Units 1 and 2
 **Skills** Nina's Trip to Bangkok
 **Project** Journal

## Unit 3 Student Life

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Experiences:</b> own a laptop, like mystery novels, belong to the judo club, know your best friend, be class president, have a smartphone He's owned a laptop since September/for two years. How long have you owned a laptop? I've owned a laptop since May/for six months.	<b>Experiences:</b> live in Paris, play the saxophone, build websites, volunteer at a soup kitchen, collect comic books, study ballet We've/They've been living in Paris since we/they were ten/for a long time. How long have you been living in Paris? Since I was ten./For five years.	<b>Reading: The Walk-a-Thon</b> <b>Conversations:</b> I've been walking all morning. You must be tired. I sure am!/ You should take a break. I think you're right. <b>Be on time.</b>	<b>Origami:</b> century, papyrus, introduce, tool, samurai helmet, edge I've finished Step 3. What do I do next? For Step 4, you should fold the corners up to the top again.

## Unit 4 Wants and Needs

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Healthy Habits:</b> soap, perfume, toothpaste, hair gel, shampoo, cologne I went to the store because I needed a bar of soap/wanted a bottle of perfume. Why is she going to the store? Because she needs a bar of soap/wants a bottle of perfume.	<b>Healthy Habits:</b> conditioner, deodorant, mouthwash, sunscreen, lotion, dental floss You should use conditioner after you wash your hair/deodorant before you go to school. He ran out of conditioner while he was at camp, so he bought some more.	<b>Reading: The Talent Show</b> <b>Conversations:</b> Should I wait until you're ready? No, just go without me. OK. See you there./Yes, if you don't mind. No, not at all. No, not at all. <b>Be thoughtful.</b>	<b>Water:</b> cycle, evaporation, water vapor, condensation, precipitation, collection What happens after evaporation? Condensation. What is condensation? It's when the water vapor gets cold and becomes clouds.

**Check Up 2** Units 3 and 4
 **Skills** Betty Miller, Volunteer
 **Project** Poster

## Unit 5 Around Town

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Places to Go:</b> deli, pet shop, convenience store, jewelry store, pizzeria, bakery The boy/girl who is going to the deli is my younger/older brother/sister. Which one is your younger/older brother/sister? He's/She's the one who is going to the deli.	<b>Places to Go:</b> mall, skate park, sports stadium, science museum, art gallery, arcade What did he say? He said that he was going to the mall. Did she say that she was going to the mall? Yes, she did./No, she didn't.	<b>Reading: The Missing Card</b> <b>Conversations:</b> I really like the card you gave me for my birthday. Good. I'm glad you like it./ I'm happy to hear that. <b>Be careful.</b>	<b>The Human Body:</b> bone, muscle, ligament, support, protect, tendon What do bones do? They support and protect your body.

## Unit 6 Our Planet

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Conservation:</b> reuse paper, turn off the lights, start a compost pile, recycle bottles and cans, shut off the water, plant a garden If you want to help the environment, reuse paper. If you want to help the environment, what can you do? I can reuse paper.	<b>Conservation:</b> take public transportation, take reusable shopping bags, use energy-saving light bulbs, keep the air conditioner on low, grow your own vegetables, dry your clothes outside If we take public transportation, we'll conserve energy. He'll conserve energy if he takes public transportation.	<b>Reading: A New Bicycle</b> <b>Conversations:</b> If I had a new bicycle, I would use it all the time. You would? Yes, of course./ Are you sure? Definitely. Definitely. <b>Be resourceful.</b>	<b>Pollution:</b> plastic, chemical, harmful, pollution, power plant, factory Whenever we throw away chemicals, we pollute the land and the water. Whenever we ride a bike, we protect the air.

**Check Up 3** Units 5 and 6
 **Skills** A Healthy Club
 **Project** TV Commercial

## Unit 7 Achievements

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>The Arts:</b> Verdi's operas, Picasso's paintings, Shakespeare's plays, Beethoven's symphonies, Michelangelo's sculptures, Balanchine's ballets Verdi's operas are performed here. Whose paintings are displayed here? Picasso's paintings are displayed here.	<b>Engineering Projects:</b> Erie Canal, Trans-Siberian Railway, Hoover Dam, Seikan Tunnel, Taipei 101 Building, Oliveira Bridge The Erie Canal was completed in 1825. When was the Erie Canal constructed? It was started in 1817, and it was finished in 1825.	<b>Reading: An Afternoon at the Opera</b> <b>Conversations:</b> Did you know that <i>Aida</i> was first performed in Egypt? I didn't know that./ Yes, I knew that. <b>Be polite.</b>	<b>Engineering Projects:</b> modern, body of water, daily, height, width, underwater Which is higher, the Golden Gate Bridge or the Channel Tunnel? The Golden Gate Bridge is higher. Which has more daily use, the Golden Gate Bridge or the Channel Tunnel? The Golden Gate Bridge has more daily use.

## Unit 8 Graduation Day

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
<b>Adjectives:</b> boring speech, bored audience, exciting award ceremony, excited award recipients, interesting performance, interested guests This year the speech is boring, but last year it was even more boring. This year the audience is bored, but last year they were even more bored. The speech is boring this year, and it will be just as boring next year. The audience is bored this year, and they will be just as bored next year.	<b>Things to Do:</b> open presents, write thank-you cards, send text messages, hang out with friends, visit relatives, pose for pictures I'm opening presents now. I've been opening presents all afternoon. What are you doing now? I'm opening presents. What have you been doing all day? I've been opening presents.	<b>Reading: Behind the Curtains</b> <b>Conversations:</b> Where have you been? I was at my brother's graduation ceremony. Sorry! It's OK. What are you doing now?/ Sorry, I didn't hear my phone. Don't worry about it. <b>Be patient.</b>	<b>Discovery:</b> physicist, discover, graphene, flake, transparent, carbon Where can you find graphite? You can find it in a pencil.

**Check Up 4** Units 7 and 8
 **Skills** Beethoven's Ninth Symphony
 **Project** Book

## YLE Practice