



Spoken Communication: Fluency Building

Course Description:

Spoken Communication: Fluency Building focuses on improving basic language skills in both academic and non-academic contexts. Students in this course will practice common expressions, gain high-frequency vocabulary and grammatical items used when speaking, and understand how to participate actively in classrooms and daily life using English. Students will improve speaking skills through guided activities, presentations, research, and self-reflection on the English they currently speak.

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- Produce context appropriate vocabulary, phrases, and speech patterns without extensive planning.
- Recognize and respond appropriately to opinions of classmates and instructors.
- Adapt speech appropriately when communicating with people at different positions in a social hierarchy.
- Respond to questions in a variety of contexts such as introductions, speaking with classmates, expressing opinions, and interacting in daily transactional activities.

Required Materials:

- ❖ Folder/notebook to organize class material
- ❖ Laptop
- ❖ American Headway 4 (3rd ed) Oxford Press Online Textbook (to be digitally given to students in Week 2)
- ❖ American Headway 4 (3rd ed) Oxford Press Online Workbook (to be digitally given to students in Week 2)