

1. 授業の概要(ねらい)

This course, held only in English, aims to improve students' speaking and listening skills in communicative English. This includes the learning of various skills and knowledge, such as pronunciation, intonation, vocabulary, grammar, and word usage. Lessons include a variety of activities intended to stimulate students to actively practice speaking English in class. Since the course has an "oral communications" focus, active participation in class is required, both for grading and for the students' meaningful progress in speaking skills.

2. 授業の到達目標

The objective of this course is to improve the English speaking and listening skills of students. Through various kinds of speaking and listening tasks, students are expected to learn to pronounce correctly, to expand vocabulary and to understand grammar structures. By the end of this semester, students should be able to develop more effective listening skills, acquire the ability to express themselves more effectively, and enhance the ability to better understand spoken English.

3. 成績評価の方法および基準

Exams: 40% Homework and Assignments: 30% Participation: 30%

4. 教科書・参考文献

教科書

Jack Richards 『Interchange 1 (Fourth Edition)』 Cambridge University Press
ISBN: 9781107648678

5. 準備学習の内容

Students will work together in pairs and groups listening and speaking exercises to improve their basic English skills. Homework assignments will be given out during the 15 week course.

6. その他履修上の注意事項

Textbooks, notebooks and bilingual dictionaries (English-Japanese) are required for all classes.

7. 授業内容

【第1回】	Introduction and essential English
【第2回】	Unit 13: So, too, neither, either
【第3回】	Unit 13: Requests with would and will
【第4回】	Unit 14: Comparatives and superlatives
【第5回】	Unit 14: Questions with how
【第6回】	Review
【第7回】	Midterm exam
【第8回】	Presentation assignment
【第9回】	Unit 15: Future with present continuous and be going to
【第10回】	Unit 15: Messages with tell and ask
【第11回】	Unit 16: Describing changes
【第12回】	Unit 16: Verb + infinitive
【第13回】	Review
【第14回】	Final exam
【第15回】	Presentations