

English as a Second Language L4 @ Community Impact Summer 2015

Instructor: Jenna J. Li (jjl2217@columbia.edu)

Class Times: Monday - Thursday, 6:30-8:15pm

Location: 425 Pupin Hall: Columbia University Campus, 116th Street & Broadway

Textbook: *Future, English for Results*. Published by Pearson and Longman.

Student Book + Practice CDROM and Workbook Package Level 4, ISBN: 9780132455794

Future Companion Website: <http://www.pearsonlongmanusa.com/future>

Class Website: <http://www.columbia.edu/~jjl2217/esl4.html>

Course Description:

English as a Second Language (ESL) Level 4 (L4) is a comprehensive English learning course. Throughout the semester, the course will introduce new grammar structures, vocabulary, idioms, and ways of speaking, and provide the students ample opportunity to practice these new structures. In the classroom, we will focus on developing skills in the four major areas of communication: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Students also be introduced to more ways to practice English outside the classroom, including but not limited to supplementary learning websites, apps, etc. which will be used in tandem with the *Future* curriculum.

Community Impact also encourages students to develop life skills throughout the ESL course, and some of the English learning activities in this semester will be geared towards this goal. Additional resources are available to students via the Community Impact Organization— if you have any questions about these resources, feel free to contact me or check on the CI website.

Attendance & Course Information:

Students are expected to attend and participate in all classes. Please refer to the Summer Orientation Guide for attendance policies. If a student is unable to be present in class, he or she is expected to contact the instructor and make up any assignments/etc. so as not to fall behind.

Please bring your textbook, notebook, and writing implements to class daily. If you have not purchased a *Future* textbook, they are available at the Columbia University/Barnes and Noble Bookstore located at 2922 Broadway (at 115th Street). The bookstore is open Mon-Fri 9am-9pm and Sat-Sun 11a-6p.

Midterms and Finals (as mandated by the funding organization) will occur once (each) per semester. Students will also submit four (4) writing samples per semester as part of the course. Note that ESL is for personal development and students will receive no grade in the course.

Students will submit work to the CI Literary Magazine, *ESL Speaks*, which is published once per semester. We spend time in and out of class working writing, peer reviewing, and refining the pieces prior to submission.

Locations & Contacts:

Classes will be conducted on Columbia University Main Campus, in 425 Pupin Hall. The map is provided below.

Community Impact Staff and ESL coordinators can be reached in 105 Earl Hall, on Columbia University Campus, from 9am-5pm.

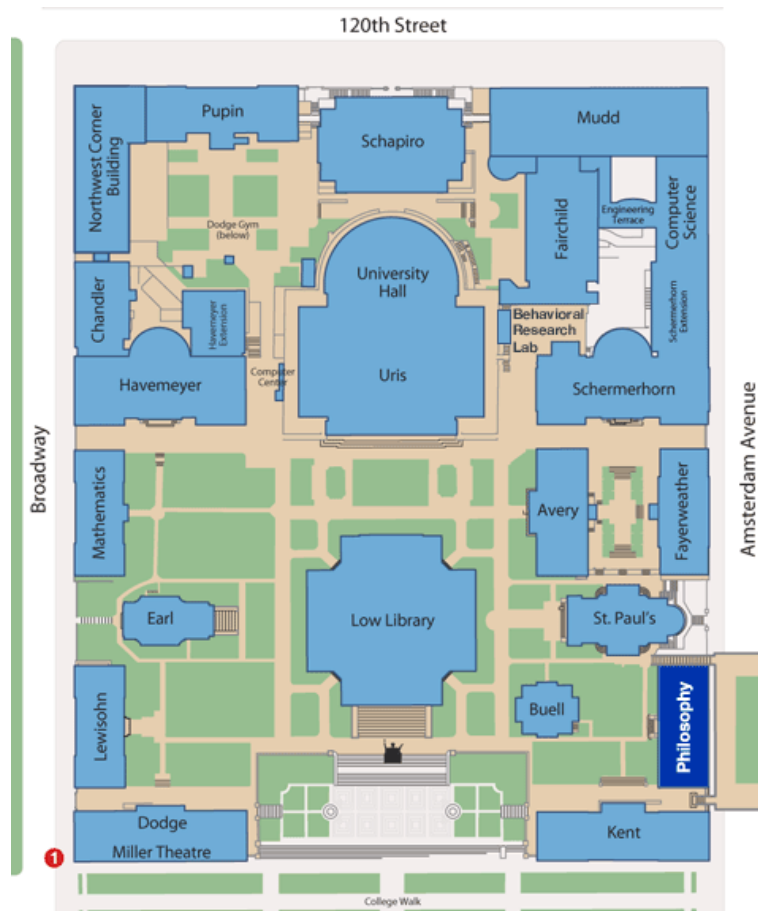
Please direct your questions and concerns directly to me: jjl2217@columbia.edu or contact me in person. If I am unable to resolve the issue or answer your questions:

ESL Coordinators: Jose Flores: jose.flores@communityimpact.columbia.edu

Jen Sluka: jennifersluka@gmail.com

Ricardo Bustamante: ricbustamante.ciesl@gmail.com

The teacher coordinator and curriculum director, Justine DePeralta can be reached via justinedeperalta.ci@gmail.com. The main office (Earl Hall) number is 212.854.1492.



Projected Course Schedule:

Students can expect to roughly follow the course schedule printed below (provided to all ESL teachers). Please note that the curriculum will be subject to change throughout the semester, depending on what we cover in class. Additionally, the curriculum will be heavily supplemented by external sources, so sometimes the content covered will not directly correspond to the curriculum slated for that day.

Class: ESOL Level 4: ESA0004/ESB0010

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday: No Classes
8 Classes Start(:	9 Unit 1 L1, L2	10 L3, L4	11 L5, L6	12
15 L7, L8	16 Unit 4, L1, L2	17 L3, L4	18 L5, L6	19
22 L7, L8	23 L9, Review	24 Unit 5, L1, L2	25 L3, L4	26
29 L5, L6	30 L7, L8	Jul 1 L9, Review	2 Unit 6, L1, L2	3 Independence

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6 L3, L4	7 L5, L6	8 L7, L8	9 L9, Review	10
13 Unit 7, L1, L2	14 L3, L4	15 L5, L6	16 L7, L8	17
20 L9, Review	21 Unit 8, L1, L2	22 L3, L4	23 L5, L6	24
27 L7, L8	28 L9, Review	29 Unit 9, L1, L2	30 L3, L4	31
3 L5, L6	4 L7, L8	5 L9, Review	6 Unit 10, L1, L2	7
10 L3, L4	11 L5, L6	12 L7, L8	13 L9, Review, Cc	14