LEARNING ENGLISH WITH LAUGHTER

ESL CURRICULUM

TEEN-ADULT CURRICULUM

MODULE 3 PART 1

STUDENT READER

An Interactive Structured Approach to Learning English

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The Students Will Experience Conversation Through Role-plays, Listening and Reading, Grammar, Activities, Competitive Games, Problem Solving, Writing and Speaking in Large and Small Groups, 4 Unit Tests, Mid-term Test

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MODULE 3  LESSON 1

ACTIVITY 1:
Listen to your teacher read each paragraph. Then take turns reading the sentences orally.

AN OPPORTUNITY OR A PROBLEM

Alex is unhappy because his work in an insurance office is boring. He has an offer of a better job as manager of a small office in a village fifty kilometers away. He will be paid more, but his family must decide whether they want to relocate.

His teenage children are in high school. They are athletic and enjoy playing on many teams. His wife, Martha, has job a teaching pre-teen students in a middle school. She enjoys it and she is also very active with a music group in their church. Her music group meets twice a week.

ACTIVITY 2:
Divide into small groups. Ask and answer the questions orally, then check your answers with those supplied in the box.

1. What kind of office does Alex work in?
2. Why is Alex unhappy?
3. What will he do in the small village?
4. How far away is the village?
5. Why is the small office job better?
6. What must his family decide?
7. What kind of school do his teenage children attend?
8. What do his children enjoy doing?
9. What does Martha do at work?
10. How old are pre-teen students?
11. Is Martha musical?
12. How often does Martha’s music group meet?
13. Martha is “very active” with a music group. What does that mean?

VOCABULARY:
- relocate (to)
- active (to be)
- twice
- bore (to)
- advantage
- disadvantage
- gas
- opportunity
- commute (to)
- whether
- unhappy [not happy]
- village
- depart (to)
- manage (to)
- kid (slang for a young person)
- drama

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LESSON 1 CONTINUED

ACTIVITY 3: WHOLE CLASS ACTIVITY

BRAINSTORM: WHAT SHOULD ALEX DO?

List everyone’s ideas on the board.
The students then move about the room asking: **What do you think Alex should do?**

When they find others who agree with them, they are to sit down together and decide why they made that decision. They are then ready to tell the class what they decided and why.

ORAL QUESTIONS TEACHER’S GUIDE

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EXERCISE 4 – WORKBOOK PAGE 2

ACTIVITY 5: Listen to your teacher read the dialogue. Role-play it for the whole class.

Then divide into small groups and role-play it several times, changing roles each time.

NARRATOR: Alex and Martha are talking about moving to the small village.

ALEX: My job here is really boring. I need a change.

MARTHA: I understand how you feel but I like my job and my music group.

ALEX: It would be expensive for me to commute because the price of gas is so high.

MARTHA: Can you ask for another job here in the city?

ALEX: Yes, but it would be the same as the one I have. In the village I’ll be the manager.

MARTHA: I worry about moving our family. Our kids would miss their friends and the sports.

ALEX: That’s true, but I don’t know what to do.

MARTHA: Perhaps you should commute. The price of gas may go down.

ALEX: The company would pay me more, so I’d have more money for transportation.

MARTHA: I think that’s the best plan. Let’s tell the kids that we aren’t going to move.

ALEX: They’ll be happy about that and I feel okay about it too.

NARRATOR: Alex goes to tell his kids about his decision.

ALEX: Hi, everyone. We’ve decided to stay here. We aren’t going to move. I’ll commute.

KIDS: That’s cool, Dad. Thanks!

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EXERCISE 1:  
See Page 1 of the Student Reader.  
Answer these questions in sentences.

1.  Where is Alex’s new job?

2.  Does Martha like her job?

3.  What does Alex think about his present job?

4.  What do you think Martha will say about moving to a small village?

5.  Would you want to live in a small village?

6.  Do you think that a small village would have a high school with a lot of athletic activities?

7.  Do you enjoy athletic activities?

8.  How old are pre-teen kids?

9.  What are you very active in?

10. Would you want to work in an office?

EXERCISE 2: MATCH THE MEANING

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| a bad thing                | your work                    |
| to do many things          | a very small town            |
| a chance to do something different | two times                   |
| to go to live in a different place | to be uninteresting now |

Go English Go!
LESSON 1 CONTINUED

EXERCISE 3: The letters “un” or “dis” in front of a word make it negative.

EXAMPLE: happy – unhappy advantage - disadvantage

Make these words negative.

Add “un”          Add “dis”

available _______________________ agree  _______________________
clean _______________________ please _______________________
ingeresting _______________________ respect ______________________

ACTIVITY 4: BRAINSTORM IN SMALL GROUPS

If you were Alex, what would be the advantages and disadvantages of moving to a small town?

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Every group is to list their advantages and disadvantages on the board
In the large group prioritize the advantages and disadvantages starting with the best one.

EXERCISE 4: Complete the following:

1. If Martha has to stay in a small village, she will ___________________________
2. If Alex has to commute, he ___________________________
3. If the children have to move to a small village ___________________________
4. If Martha has to give up her job ___________________________
5. If Alex decided to take the job offer, he could ___________________________
6. If you were Alex, what would you do? ___________________________
LESSON 1 CONTINUED

ACTIVITY 6:  DIVIDE INTO SMALL GROUPS:

Alex receives the job offer. He is very happy about it, but he has to talk to Martha. He doesn't think that she will want to move to another place. Make a conversation about this.

**ALEX:** I just received a job offer! It is a much better job, and it pays a lot more money.

**MARTHA:** ____________________, but where is it?

**ALEX:** The job is in Southtown.

**MARTHA:** ________________________________

**ALEX:** But it's only fifty kilometers away.

**MARTHA:** ________________________________

**ALEX:** If we moved there, we could _____________________________________

**MARTHA:** ________________________________

**ALEX:** I know so ______________________________________________________

ACTIVITY 7:  BINGO

DIRECTIONS: First, the students are to match the meaning by writing the number of the words in List 1 beside the meaning in List 2. EXAMPLE: 1. a very small town

Next, they are to write the **words** in List 1 into the BINGO squares.
The words should be placed randomly so that all of the printed cards are different. The meanings in List 2 can then be called to begin playing the game as outlined below.

The teacher or a student can call the words in the WORDS TO CALL list, allowing the students time to find the matching word(s) among the ones that they have printed into the squares. Some help is given as the game is played, as the goal is for the students to learn the vocabulary.

For the first game, the students are to mark the matching word box with a small x
The winner(s) of the game call BINGO when they have a straight and complete row of x marked boxes. The marked rows can be in a straight vertical line, a straight horizontal line, or a straight diagonal line. The diagonal line must go from one corner to the other.

The FREE box is counted as a marked word when it is a part of the completed row. The game can be played a number of times until the students know the vocabulary well. For each successive game, use a different symbol to mark the boxes.

Go English Go!
LESSON 1 CONTINUED

BINGO

LIST 1
1 a village
2 your job
3 to relocate
4 to be active
5 the present time
6 an offer
7 to bore
8 an advantage
9 whether
10 a disadvantage
11 twice
12 to return
13 to be able
14 wine
15 different
16 downtown
17 to shop
18 a couple
19 a decision
20 to afford
21 airport
22 to leave
23 in advance
24 a bathing suit

LIST 2
1a very small town
you decide what to do
two people or things
to move your home to a another place
to have enough money
where the planes are
an opportunity for something
before
you wear it swimming
to look for things to buy
if
to do many things
a good thing
to come back
can
you drink it
not the same
in town

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PHILOSOPHY

"LEARNING ENGLISH WITH LAUGHTER" means that the students and teachers can combine laughter and learning, while communicating in English. This is a structured approach, meaning that each new concept is mastered in a conversational English environment before another is introduced. During the past decade, research has shown that the students learn more effectively if the teaching of grammar is integrated with a communicative approach to the learning of the English language.

This program is written for students 13 years and older. We introduce the basic tenses and other structures in a logical sequence, integrating them with light hearted activities that provide practice in a conversational setting. The combination achieved in Learning English with Laughter has proved to be popular with the students and successful in achieving its goals.

TIMING AND LESSON STRUCTURE

The most successful order of presentation for the lessons is outlined below:
- Greeting the students in English
- Oral questions (20 to 30 minutes)
Oral Questions may be done before or after the new lesson has been introduced.
The order suggested in the Student’s Book should be adapted to the needs of the group.
- Introduction of a new lesson or continuation of a past lesson.
- Completion of exercises and/or partner activities
- Ending with a more relaxed conversational activity

VOCABULARY

The new words introduced in each lesson are listed under the title and may be introduced in any of the following ways:
- The teacher may write the words on the blackboard and use them in sentences.
- The teacher can dramatize, draw or use the pictures to explain the words.
- The students can work in small groups with their dictionaries.

ORAL QUESTIONS

The oral questions are designed to provide practice in speaking. The questions and answers stress grammatical structure, and word order of the English language. When our students completed surveys where Oral Questions were rated “helpful / not helpful” on a scale of 1 to 10, Oral Questions were consistently rated as “10 - very helpful”.

Teaching this Conversational English program without using the oral questions will result in the lessons becoming too difficult for the students.

These questions provide the basic models of the English Language. They are a vital part of the program, giving practice, review and an opportunity for the teacher to expand the language to talk about local events.
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SUGGESTIONS FOR PRESENTING ORAL QUESTIONS

If the group has fewer than 15 students the teacher can work with the whole group.
- It is best to begin at the top of the oral question page and work down, as the first questions are often a review.
- Avoid asking students in the order in which they sit. Their attention will be the best if they don’t know who you are going to ask next!
- It is important to write difficult questions on the blackboard and discuss the possible answers with the students.
- Always be willing to use the blackboard to clarify a question or answer. Encourage the students to request such clarification.
- Be sure to ask the same question a number of times until the students can answer fluently. This is especially important for the difficult questions.
- As the basic questions and answers are learned, it will be important for the teacher to adapt and expand the questions and answers. The given questions and suggested answers provide basic grammatically correct English. It will be helpful if teachers try to provide additional humorous and / or questions about local events.

ALTERNATIVE WAYS OF PRESENTING THE ORAL QUESTIONS SO THEY CAN BE ADAPTED TO DIFFERENT GROUPS

If the whole group approach is not appropriate to the situation then the presentation of the questions may be adapted in the following ways:

The class can be divided in half.
One copy of the oral questions can be given to each pair of students in one half of the class. They can then take turns asking each other the questions. Meanwhile the teacher can be working orally with the other half as explained above. Working with half of the class at a time is well suited to using volunteers.

EXERCISES
The exercises are designed to give the students practice in important points of grammar. These can be done in class or assigned as homework. Due to the differences between the English language and other languages, students should understand the meaning of each sentence, but they should avoid making a direct translation, (a translation of each word). Word by word translation often changes the meaning, takes too much time, and prevents the student from learning the correct English word order. Teachers should use their discretion when deciding the order in which the students complete the exercises.

ACTIVITIES
The activities are often designed to take place in a more relaxed atmosphere, with the students moving around the room, and practicing what they have learned. The goal of these activities is for the students to gain practice, and not to finish the activity quickly. They will require supervision, so that they do practice the English, and not complete the activity in their own language. If time is limited, then an activity may be skipped and returned to at a later time. Teachers should use their discretion when deciding the order in which the students complete the activities.

SEATING ARRANGEMENT

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We suggest that the students sit facing each other. A U shaped configuration works well.

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TESTS
The tests are a part of the learning process. They allow the students to identify the areas they need to study. When marking the sentence answers, subtract one mark for each error.
   - If a student has one mistake he or she will get 3 marks for that answer
   - If a student has two mistakes, he or she will get 2 marks for that answer
   - If a student has three mistakes, he or she will get 1 mark for that answer
   - If a student has four or more mistakes, he or she won’t get any marks

GIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO INDIVIDUAL NEEDS WHEN MARKING
The teacher should use discretion when marking. Some students work very hard but have difficulty. They should be given the best possible mark. Some students learn easily but become careless, so they should be marked down for their mistakes. In other words, the teacher needs to be aware of the needs of the students. The tests are designed to make most of the students feel good about their English but also give a clear signal to those who aren’t making satisfactory progress.

WHAT KIND OF MISTAKES SHOULD BE CONSIDERED?
Marks should be deducted for:
   - not knowing the right vocabulary
   - word order mistakes
   - grammatical errors
   - no marks are given if the student doesn’t understand the question
Do not deduct marks for spelling mistakes if you can understand what the student means.
Students with marks above 80% are ready to continue with the program.
Test answers are included in the Guide.

ANSWERS TO THE ORAL TEST QUESTIONS
The teachers have the choice of having the students answer orally or in writing. As some of the teachers are speaking English as a second language, it might be difficult for them to test pronunciation. If the teacher can understand what the student is saying then the pronunciation should be accepted. Internationally, it is acceptable if the speaker is understood.

The tests are out of 50 except for the last test in Part 1 and in Part 2.
There are no absolutes when assessing test marks. Many factors always enter into the mark. These can range from the student being sick that day to some problem at home. It’s also possible that the student missed a lot of classes due to illness.

The purpose of these tests is to allow the students to see where they are having difficulty. This lets them know where they should spend their time when they study.

This is the most important aspect of the tests.

ANSWERS
Answers in the Guide are written in italics. The suggested answers are the most likely, but others are possible.

GLOSSARY
The glossary contains the vocabulary for this Module.
The verbs are shown in the infinitive form: do (to).
The past tenses are included for reference in the glossary, shown as: infinitive, past tense.
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REVIEW OF MODULE 2

To the teacher: We suggest that you take time to do this review of Module 2 with the students. You can return to the lesson indicated in Module 2 if the students are having difficulty with a particular part. The review lessons in Module 1 are not included in this review. Assign the written exercises in Lesson 1 as homework if you are short of time.

Lesson 2
In what month is your national holiday?
What day of the month is Christmas?

Our national holiday is in _______.
It’s in _________.
Christmas is on December 25th.
It’s on December 25th.

Lesson 3
You’re not a nurse, are you?
You eat dinner at noon, don’t you?
You wear shoes to work, don’t you?
You didn’t get time off from work today, did you?

No, I’m not a nurse.
Yes, I do.
Yes, I eat dinner at noon.
Yes, I do.
No, I didn’t.

Lesson 5
Do you live the same distance from school as __?
Do you live as far from school as ____________?

Yes, I live the same distance from school as __.
No, I don’t live the same distance from...
Yes, I live as far from school as ______.
No, I don’t live as far from school as ____.

Lesson 6
Do you like tennis better than basketball?
What drink do you like the best?

Yes, I like tennis better than basketball.
I like _______ the best.

Lesson 7
Are bicycles lighter than buses?
Who came to class the earliest?
Who came to class the latest?

Yes, bicycles are lighter than buses.
__________ came to class the earliest.
__________ came to class the latest.

Lesson 9
Lakes are wonderful, aren’t they?
She's beautiful, isn't she?

Yes, they are.
Yes, she's beautiful.

Lesson 10
Are you wearing a black jacket?
Does ______ have long hair?

Yes, I'm wearing a black jacket.
No, I'm not wearing a black jacket.
Yes, ______ has long hair.
No, ______ doesn't have long hair.
LESSON 1 CONTINUED

Lesson 34
Do you frequently travel a long way?
Yes, I frequently travel a long way.
No, I seldom / never travel a long way.

Do you often take a bus?
Yes, I often take a bus.
No, I never take a bus.

Do you have many monuments in your city?
Yes, we have many monuments in our city.
No, we don’t have many monuments in our city.

Lesson 35
Can you drive a truck?
Yes, I can drive a truck.
No, I can’t drive a truck.

Do you ever go to the movies?
Yes, I sometimes go to the movies.
No, I never go to the movies.

Lesson 37
Do you put food in a refrigerator?
Yes, I put food in a refrigerator.

Do you usually make a shopping list?
Yes, I usually make a shopping list.
No, I don’t (usually) make a shopping list.

Lesson 38
Are you going to have a holiday soon?
Yes, I’m going to have a holiday soon.

Do you practice a sport with an instructor?
Yes, I practice with an instructor.
No, I don’t practice with an instructor.

Lesson 39
Do you ever ride a bicycle?
Yes, I ride a bicycle.

Are you taller than your friend is?
Yes, I’m taller than my friend is.
No, I’m not taller than my friend is.

ORAL QUESTIONS FOR LESSON 1

Did you get an offer for (of) a better job?
Yes, I got an offer for (of) a better job.
No, I didn’t get an offer for (of) a better job.

Do you like your job / school?
Yes, I like my job / school.

Do you live in a village?
Yes, I live in a village.

How far from town do you live?
I live ________ kilometres from town.
I live in town.

Do you live as far from town as ________?
Yes, I live as far from town as ________.
No, I don’t live as far from town as ________.

Have you ever relocated with your family?
Yes, I have relocated with my family.
No, I haven’t ever relocated with my family.
No, I’ve never relocated with my family.

Are you active with a group?
Yes, I’m active with a ________ group.
No, I’m not active with a group.
LESSON 1 CONTINUED

PAGE 1: ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS

EXERCISE 1:

1. Where is Alex’s new job?
   It is in a small village fifty kilometers away.

2. Does Martha like her job?
   Yes, she likes / enjoys her job.

3. What does Alex think about his present job?
   He thinks it is boring.

4. What do you think Martha will say about moving to a small village?
   She’ll say she doesn’t want to leave her job.
   She’ll say she doesn’t want to live in a small village.

5. Would you want to live in a small village?
   Yes, I’d want to live in a small village.
   No, I wouldn’t want to live in a small village.

6. Do you think that a small village would have a high school with a lot of athletic activities?
   No, I don’t think that a small village would have a high school with a lot of athletic activities.

7. Do you enjoy athletic activities?
   Yes, I enjoy athletic activities.
   No, I don’t enjoy athletic activities.

8. How old are pre-teen kids?
   Pre-teen kids are ten, eleven or twelve years old.

9. What are you very active in?
   I’m very active in ...
   I’m not very active in anything.

10. Would you want to work in an office?
    Yes, I’d want to work in an office.
    No, I wouldn’t want to work in an office.

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PAGE 2: SUGGESTED ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS ACTIVITY 4:

ADVANTAGES
- a more interesting job
- more money
- new friends
- quiet life

DISADVANTAGES
- moving the family
- changing Martha’s job
- leaving Martha’s church group
- children will miss their friends

PAGE 2 ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS EXERCISE 4:
1. If Martha has to stay in a small village, she will be unhappy. / be bored.
2. If Alex has to commute, he will drive a long way each day.
3. If the children have to move to a small village they will find new friends. / go to a new school.
4. If Martha has to give up her job she will need to find another one.
5. If Alex decided to take the job offer, he could make more money.
6. If you were Alex, what would you do? _____________________________________________

PAGE 3: SUGGESTED ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS ACTIVITY 6:
Alex receives the job offer. He is very happy about it, but he has to talk to Martha. He doesn't think that she will want to move to another place. Make a conversation about this.

ALEX: I just received a job offer! It is a much better job, and it pays a lot more money.

MARTHA: That’s great, but where is it?

ALEX: The job is in Southtown.

MARTHA: That’s a long way from here.

ALEX: But it's only fifty kilometers away.

MARTHA: Your gas would be expensive.

ALEX: If we moved there, we could have a better house. / buy some nice things.

MARTHA: I don’t know what we should do. / I like living here.

ALEX: I know so I think I’ll have to commute. / I’ll have to think about it.

PAGE 4 ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK BINGO ACTIVITY 7:

1 a very small town 17 to look for things to buy 9 if
19 you decide what to do 18 two people or things 4 to do many things
2 your work 3 to move your home to another place 8 a good thing
10 a bad thing 20 to have enough money 12 to come back
5 now 21 where the planes are 13 can
22 to depart 6 an opportunity for something 14 you drink it
7 to be uninteresting 23 before 15 not the same
11 two times 24 you wear it swimming 16 in town

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ACTIVITY 1: Listen to your teacher read these paragraphs. Then take turns reading the sentences aloud.

MOVING DAY

Daniel and Kate are moving into a new house with their two children, Douglas and Susanna. They had a lot of furniture to move to their new home. Tom and Peter came to help them with the heavy lifting.

They worked hard all morning, and by afternoon, everything had been carried into the house. It was a very hot day and they were all tired, hot, thirsty and hungry. Kate opened a box that she had filled with juices, sandwiches, tomatoes and fruit.

ACTIVITY 2: Divide into groups of two or three and role-play the dialogue several times.

WHERE DOES EVERYTHING GO?

NARRATOR: After they had eaten and Tom and Peter had gone home, Daniel and Kate started planning where everything should go. Douglas and Susanna wanted to help.

KATE: Your clothes are here, Susanna. Would you put them in your cupboard and put everything in these boxes away in your dresser drawers?

DANIEL: I need some help with some of this furniture, Douglas. Would you carry these coffee tables and lamps into the living room? Then you can put your clothes away in your bedroom.

KATE: Would you help me to move the refrigerator, Daniel? When it’s in place, I can put the food away.

DANIEL: Sure, let’s do it now.

NARRATOR: By evening many things had been put away and the beds had been made. They went to bed early that night, as they were all very tired.

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ACTIVITY 4: Stay in your small groups and ask each other these questions. Then check your answers.

1. Have you ever moved to another place?
2. Do you drink much juice?
3. Are you tired?
4. Do you ever lift heavy things?
5. Does a refrigerator keep things cold?
6. Does a dresser have some drawers?

ACTIVITY 5: WHOLE CLASS ACTIVITY

Listen to your teacher read this paragraph and then take turns reading the sentences orally. Look at the plan of their house and discuss how it is different from yours.

Daniel and Kate’s new house has a yard at the back of the house. The living room and dining room are together in one room. They will likely eat breakfast and lunch in the kitchen and have dinner in the dining room. The cupboard in the kitchen is above the sink. There is a counter under it. The master bedroom is always bigger than the other bedrooms.

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ACTIVITY 3:
When the family woke up on the first morning in their new house, they had trouble finding their things. Please help them.

Divide into groups of two, three or four. Look at the pictures below.

Ask each other: Where is / are ___________________________?
Write your answers under each person’s lost things.

EXAMPLE:  ASK: Where is Kate’s lipstick?  ANSWER: It is in her handbag.
Each person in the group should ask and answer some questions.

Daniel can’t find: his underpants, briefcase, umbrella or the mouse for his computer.

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

Kate can’t find : the box with her underwear, her pantyhose, her handbag with her lipstick

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

Susanna can’t find: her bedside table, her sandals, her bedroom lamp, her tennis racquet.

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

Douglas can’t find: his football, his runners, his packsack, his hat

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EXERCISE 1: MATCH THE MEANING

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it has some drawers
you cook food in this room
you keep important papers / letters in it
for carrying things on your back

they open and close
where you keep clothes or dishes
you play a game with it

EXERCISE 2:

Draw and label these things on the house plan.

one dining room table
one couch
two single beds

four bedside tables
one mirror
one coffee table

two living room lamps
one armchair
one queen-sized bed

three dressers
dining room chairs
small kitchen table
EXERCISE 3: Make a list of five more things you will need to buy for your house. You may need to use your dictionary.

________________ ________________ ________________
________________ ________________

ACTIVITY 6: Divide into groups of three or four.
Make a group list of all the extra things that those in your group bought.

________________ ________________ ________________ ________________
________________ ________________ ________________ ________________
________________ ________________ ________________ ________________

Were there some things that everyone in your group bought? List them.

________________ ________________ ________________

EXERCISE 4: If this were your house, what kind of a location would you want it to have? The location of your house will affect the way you feel. Put an X beside three of the things that would be the most important to you.

________ area with new houses
________ near a school
________ near some stores
________ near a bus stop
________ among some trees
________ beautiful buildings
________ quiet
________ near your work
________ away from other houses
________ other? ______________

ACTIVITY 7: Who will you share the house with? Find the right person. Ask three other students in the class these questions. They should answer: “Yes, I do.” or “No, I don’t.” If the answer is “yes”, then write that person’s name beside the question. The person with the most answers that are the same as yours, is the best person to share the house.

1. Do you like cats and dogs?  
2. Do you like rock music?  
3. Do you have a lot of parties?  
4. Do your visitors stay until after midnight?  
5. Do you watch TV all evening? 

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ESL CURRICULUM
LEARNING ENGLISH WITH LAUGHTER

PHILOSOPHY

"LEARNING ENGLISH WITH LAUGHTER" means that the students and teachers can combine laughter and learning, while communicating in English. This is a structured approach, meaning that each new concept is mastered in a conversational English environment before another is introduced. During the past decade, research has shown that the students learn more effectively if the teaching of grammar is integrated with a communicative approach to the learning of the English language.

This program is written for students 13 years and older. We introduce the basic tenses and other structures in a logical sequence, integrating them with light hearted activities that provide practice in a conversational setting. The combination achieved in Learning English with Laughter has proved to be popular with the students and successful in achieving its goals.

TIMING AND LESSON STRUCTURE

The most successful order of presentation for the lessons is outlined below:
- Greeting the students in English
- Oral questions (20 to 30 minutes)

Oral Questions may be done before or after the new lesson has been introduced. The order suggested in the Student’s Book should be adapted to the needs of the group.
- Introduction of a new lesson or continuation of a past lesson.
- Completion of exercises and / or partner activities
- Ending with a more relaxed conversational activity

VOCABULARY

The new words introduced in each lesson are listed under the title and may be introduced in any of the following ways:
- The teacher may write the words on the blackboard and use them in sentences.
- The teacher can dramatize, draw or use the pictures to explain the words.
- The students can work in small groups with their dictionaries.

ORAL QUESTIONS

The oral questions are designed to provide practice in speaking. The questions and answers stress grammatical structure, and word order of the English language. When our students completed surveys where Oral Questions were rated “helpful / not helpful” on a scale of 1 to 10, Oral Questions were consistently rated as “10 - very helpful”.

Teaching this Conversational English program without using the oral questions will result in the lessons becoming too difficult for the students.

These questions provide the basic models of the English Language. They are a vital part of the program, giving practice, review and an opportunity for the teacher to expand the language to talk about local events.
MODULE 3      LESSON 21

ORAL QUESTIONS

Is your home located near a bus stop?
Yes, it’s located near a bus stop.
No, it isn’t located near a bus stop.

Is this school located near the city center?
Yes, it’s located near the city center.
No, it isn’t located near the city center.

Is there a couch in your living room?
Yes, there’s a couch in my living room.
No, there isn’t a couch in my living room.

Do most bedrooms have a clothes cupboard?
Yes, most bedrooms have a clothes cupboard.
Some bedrooms don’t have a clothes cupboard.

Would you put a television in the living room?
Yes, I’d put a television in the living room.

Is the master bedroom the biggest bedroom?
Yes, it’s the biggest bedroom.

How many people sit in an armchair?
One person sits in an armchair.

Is a queen-sized bed bigger than a single bed?
Yes, a queen-sized bed is bigger than a single bed.

How many people sleep in a single bed?
One person sleeps in a single bed.

Is your home among the trees?
Yes, my home is among the trees.
No, my home isn’t among the trees.

Where is an entrance hall?
It’s at the front door.
It’s where you enter the house.

Is the toilet always in the bathroom?
Yes, the toilet is always in the bathroom.

Do people cook in the kitchen?
Yes, people cook in the kitchen.

Where do you put a coffee table?
I put it in the living room.

Where do you carry a packsack?
I carry it on my back.

Do you wear runners?
Yes, I wear runners.
No, I don’t wear runners.

Do people wear sandals in the summer?
Yes, they wear sandals in the summer.

Does a refrigerator keep food cold?
Yes, it keeps food cold.

Do you have a mirror in your bathroom?
Yes, I have a mirror in my bathroom.
No, I don’t have a mirror in my bathroom.

What game do people play with a tennis racket?
They play tennis.

Does a computer have a mouse?
Yes, it has a mouse.

Do some women wear lipstick?
Yes, some women wear lipstick.

Would you put a couch in your bathroom?
No, I wouldn’t put a couch in my bathroom.

Do some people carry a briefcase to work?
Yes, some people carry a briefcase to work.

Does a stove get hot?
Yes, a stove gets hot.
LESSON 21 CONTINUED

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ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS

Daniel can’t find: his underpants, briefcase, umbrella or the mouse for his computer.

His underpants are on the couch.
His briefcase is beside the TV.
His umbrella is on the floor beside the bed.
His mouse is on the table beside the couch.
His mouse is on the table in front of the bookcase.

Kate can’t find: the box with her underwear, her pantyhose, her handbag with her lipstick

Kate’s box is beside the bed.
Her box is on the floor at the foot of the bed.
Her pantyhose is on the floor beside her box.
Her pantyhose is on the floor in the bedroom.
Her handbag is on the floor beside the bed.

Susanna can’t find: her bedside table, her sandals, her bedroom lamp, her tennis racquet.

Her bedside table is on the floor beside the bed.
Her sandals are on the floor beside the coffee table.
Her bedroom lamp is in front of the TV.
Her tennis racquet is on the floor in front of the dresser.
Her tennis racquet is beside the packsack.

Douglas can’t find: his football, his runners, his packsack, his hat

His football is on the bed.
His runners are on the couch.
His packsack is beside the dresser.
His hat is on the floor in front of the couch.

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EXERCISE 2:

kitchen  you cook food in this room

drawers  they open and close

furniture  you sleep, eat or sit on it

an armchair  a comfortable chair

briefcase you keep important papers / letters in it

lamp  it gives light

cupboard where you keep clothes or dishes

a dresser  it has some drawers

runners  shoes

tennis racquet  you play a game with it

packsack for carrying things on your back

stove  you cook on it

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POSSIBLE ANSWERS TO THE WORKBOOK QUESTIONS

EXERCISE 3:

small table  television  DVD player

plants  radio  curtains

buffet for dishes  bookcase  VCR player

Go English Go!
LESSON 25 CONTINUED

Cut the questions into separate cards and give at least one to each student. Divide the students into two groups or teams and have them ask each other these questions. Points can be given for correct answers if appropriate.

**Have you ever been to Barbados?**
- Yes, I’ve been to Barbados.
- No, I haven’t ever been to Barbados.

**Do you ever go to the theater?**
- Yes, I go to the theater.
- No, I never go to the theater.

**What to you enjoy the most, music, art or dancing?**
- I enjoy … the most.

**Is Barbados an island country?**
- Yes, it’s an island country.

**What do you like the least, sports, homework or TV?**
- I like … the least.

**What languages do you speak?**
- I speak …

**Are there many artists in this country?**
- Yes, there are many artists in this country.
- No, there aren’t many artists in this country.

**Does our country get a lot of wind?**
- Yes, we get a lot of wind.
- No, we don’t get a lot of wind.

**Is music an important part of our country’s history?**
- Yes, our music is an important part of our history.
- No, music isn’t an important part of our history.

**Have you ever attended a festival?**
- Yes, I’ve attended a festival.
- No, I haven’t ever attended a festival.

**Does our government support the arts?**
- Yes, our government supports the arts.
- No, our government doesn’t support the arts.

**Do palm trees grow in our country?**
- Yes, palm trees grow in our country.
- No, palm trees don’t grow in our country.

**Have you ever listened to Calypso music?**
- Yes, I’ve listened to Calypso music.
- No, I’ve never listened to calypso music.

**Do you play a musical instrument?**
- Yes, I play a musical instrument.
- No, I don’t play a musical instrument.

**Do many tourists come to our country?**
- Yes, many tourists come to our country.
- No, not many tourists come to our country.

**Is freedom important to you?**
- Yes, freedom is important to me.
- No, I don’t worry about it.

**Do you think music is awesome?**
- Yes, I think it’s awesome.
- No, I don’t listen to much music.

**Is your T-shirt made of cotton?**
- Yes, it’s made of cotton.
- No, it isn’t made of cotton.