
Curso: Inglés National Geographic Interactivo Avanzado

Horas:

Objetivos:

Mejorar las destrezas generales del Inglés a nivel oral y escrito.

Dirigido a:

A interesados que quieran aprender el idioma desde un punto de vista no sólo gramatical sino también enfocado a aprender los aspectos culturales del idioma y de un punto de vista interactivo, con la ayuda de CDs y un documental de National Geographic de cada lección.

Capacita para:

Para que el interesado mejore en el idioma y pueda expresarse tanto por escrito como hablado de manera adecuada a un nivel avanzado.

Otros datos:

El material es muy gráfico y atractivo, con gran cantidad de imágenes y fotografías que ayudan a la comprensión del contenido.

Muy práctico y didáctico.

El curso se acompaña de un CD de audio, para ayudar al interesado a practicar la pronunciación del idioma, y ejercicios interactivos para practicar la gramática, además de un soporte audiovisual de un documental de National Geographic. También se adjunta con el material el Workbook con ejercicios de apoyo a los temas tratados.

Contenido Formativo:

1. People and places

- 1.1. Discuss reasons for living where you do.
- 1.2. Grammar: Present perfect vs present continuous. Structure: so+ adjective+ that.
- 1.3. Vocabulary: Migration, climate.
- 1.4. Listening: Interviews about why people live where they do.
- 1.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Discussing reasons for staying or moving.
- 1.6. Reading and writing: Writing a traveller's journal.

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2. The mind

- 2.1. Talk about remembering and forgetting.
- 2.2. Grammar: Gerunds as subjects and after prepositions.
- 2.3. Vocabulary: Thought processes, scientific investigations.
- 2.4. Listening: A radio program about the unusual condition of synesthesia.
- 2.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Talking about sensations, /th/ sounds.
- 2.6. Reading and writing: Writing about a personal experience.

3. Changing planet

- 3.1. Discuss causes and effects.
- 3.2. Grammar: Passive voice, past perfect tense.
- 3.3. Vocabulary: Environmental changes.
- 3.4. Listening: Climate change.
- 3.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Discussing cause and effect, linking words.
- 3.6. Reading and writing: Writing a letter about life in the future.

4. Money

- 4.1. Describe your money habits.
- 4.2. Grammar: Gerund vs infinitive, review of the passive.
- 4.3. Vocabulary: Money transactions.
- 4.4. Listening: Radio program: the history of money.
- 4.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Giving suggestions for how to have fun.
- 4.6. Reading and writing: Writing a personal opinion.

5. Survival

- 5.1. Talk about emergency situations.
- 5.2. Grammar: Unreal conditional, wish.
- 5.3. Vocabulary: survival skills.
- 5.4. Listening: A radio program interviewing survivors.
- 5.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Situation: working with a team in a survival situation.
- 5.6. Reading and writing: Writing an advertisement brochure.

6. Art

- 6.1. Report what another person said.
- 6.2. Grammar: Reported speech, subject adjective clauses.
- 6.3. Vocabulary: Art terminology and materials.
- 6.4. Listening: Conversations in a museum.
- 6.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Discussing personal selection.
- 6.6. Reading and writing: writing a detailed description.

7. Transportation

- 7.1. Talk about new developments in transportation.
- 7.2. Grammar: Passive voice, indirect questions.
- 7.3. Vocabulary: Modern transportation, public transportation.
- 7.4. Listening: Subway systems.

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7.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Role-play: solving an airport problem.

7.6. Reading and writing: Writing a letter to the editor.

8. Competition

8.1. Give your opinion about sports.

8.2. Grammar: Negative questions, object adjective clauses.

8.3. Vocabulary: Sportmanship.

8.4. Listening: Interviews.

8.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Matching sports to personalities.

8.6. Reading and writing: Writing a list of competition tips.

9. Danger

9.1. Discuss ways to stay safe.

9.2. Grammar: Tag questions, adverbial clauses.

9.3. Vocabulary: Dangerous things.

9.4. Listening: Radio program: an unusual job.

9.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Role-play: a newspaper interview.

9.6. Reading and writing: Writing about a risk situation.

10. Mysteries

10.1. Speculate about mysteries.

10.2. Grammar: Modals, future in the past.

10.3. Vocabulary: Reactions to surprise.

10.4. Listening: Interviews of eye-witnesses.

10.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Role-play: two sides of a mystery.

10.6. Reading and writing: Writing about fauxtography.

11. Learning

11.1. Talk about educational plans and decisions.

11.2. Grammar: Modals, noun clauses.

11.3. Vocabulary: education, university majors.

11.4. Listening: Personal experiences.

11.5. Speaking and pronunciation: Discussing quiz results.

11.6. Reading and writing: Writing about improving schools.

12. Space

12.1. Talk about the future.

12.2. Grammar: Future tenses, future modals.

12.3. Vocabulary: Space exploration.

12.4. Listening: Interview of an astronaut.

12.5. Speaking and pronunciation: role-play: choosing a space experiment.

12.6. Reading and writing: Writing about orbiting telescopes.

13. Contenido del CD:

13.1. 1 CD con audiciones del libro del alumno y ejercicios interactivos.

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13.2. 1 CD con solucionario del libro del alumno y solucionario del libro de ejercicio.