



STUDENT GUIDE

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

TRIMESTER	:	1
COURSE	:	English
LEVEL	:	1st Grade of Secondary - A2
TEACHER	:	Tom Collins
WEEKLY HOURS	:	6 (3 classes per week)

II. UNITS

TRIMESTER	ALGARROBOS UNIT 1
1	AMCO UNIT 1: Relaxed and Ready for School

III. COMPETENCE AND CAPACITY TO EVALUATE

- **Communication, Comprehension and Oral Capacity**
- **Competence:** Analytical and Critical Thinking
- **Capacity:** Evaluating Advantages and Disadvantages, Finding New Solutions.

DURATION

- 1st of March – 15th of April 2021

FUNDAMENTAL CONTENTS

- Grammar, Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking

INDIVIDUAL CONTENTS

- **Grammar:** Past Simple, Prepositions of time, Prepositional Phrases, Adverbs of time and Past Continuous.
- **Reading:** Web Page and Magazine Article
- **Writing:** Writing an Effective Email
- **Listening:** A Variety of Conversations
- **Speaking:** Roleplays and General Interactions

METHODOLOGICAL GUIDELINES

It is important that you look at the following points:

1. **Be punctual**, prepared with all necessary materials (including books, pens, notebooks, homework completed if applicable)
2. All Students should only **speak English** during class
3. **Listen carefully** to the class, your classmates and teacher. By paying attention, determination and dedication you will reach the goals set for you.
4. **Make a glossary of words** learnt during class with their contextual meanings. New vocabulary will help you shape your English knowledge and fluidity.
5. **Use your notebook** for all class activities. Keep the notebook neat and complete with all activities that are done in class. It is the students’ responsibility to keep their notebooks up to date (particularly if classes are missed).
6. Students who do not **meet the fundamental objectives** will work individually towards assigned goals; (students who achieve the fundamental objectives will work towards individual goals.)
7. **Effort and initiative** will always be taken into account in case a student is struggling with any of the individual goals that have been set.
8. **Respect the opinions** of your classmates, your teacher and collaborate during class.
9. The non-fulfilment of **tasks** will affect general scores.
10. You will be assessed based on **class-room performance & assignments**.

1. Resources and Materials

- Student Book
- Notebook
- AMCO Login & Aluzo Platform Login
- Standard materials (pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers)

IV. EVALUATION

- a) **Start:** Classroom participation, Brainstorming, Teamwork
- b) **Process:** Specific tasks together with on-going evaluation during the classroom across the core skills (reading, listening, speaking and writing).
- c) **Final:** Evaluated Practices

Evaluation	%	What will be evaluated?
Process	70%	Oral Production, Guided Reading, Creative Writing, Completion of exercises related to core skills in general
Final	30%	Evaluated practices, Exercises during class
Total	100%	