



PROGRAMMA SVOLTO DAL DOCENTE DISCIPLINARE

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PROGRAMMA DETTAGLIATO

BUSINESS COMMUNICATION (revisione modelli e fraseologia, attività di reading e writing)

Unit 1 – Written Communication

Emails
Email netiquette
Business letters

Unit 4 – Enquiries, replies and offers

Steps in a business transaction
Understanding enquiries
Replies to enquiries
Unsolicited offers

Unit 5 – Orders

Placing orders
Order forms
Acknowledging orders

Unit 6 – Managing payments

Easy review (esercizi e mappa)

Unit 7 – Sending goods and covering risks

Easy review (esercizi e mappa)

Unit 8 – Customer care

Complaints and replies to complaints
Complaint concerning wrong goods
Complaint concerning goods not up to sample
Complaint concerning a delay in delivery
Complaining and replying to a complaint

BUSINESS THEORY (attività di reading, writing, listening, speaking)

Unit 1 – The framework of business

The production process
The factors of production
Commerce and trade
Distribution channels
The impact of digital technology on business



The five components of digital transformation
Building the green economy

Unit 2 – Home and international trade

The contract of sale
Import/Export
Visible and invisible trade
The balance of trade and the balance of payments
Trade restrictions
INCOTERMS

Unit 3 – Business organisations

Private and public enterprises
Sole traders
Partnerships
Limited companies
Cooperatives
Multinationals
How businesses grow
Franchising
Startups
Public enterprises in the UK
Case study: Clarks: a family-owned private limited company

Unit 4 – Principles of marketing

The role of marketing
Market research
Marketing segmentation
SWOT analysis
The marketing mix
Advertising
Advertising media
Design thinking: what is it?

Unit 5 – Digital and social media marketing

Why digital marketing?
The new 'empowered consumer'
The role of the 4 Ps in the digital marketing mix
The importance of social media
Social media marketing and influencers

Unit 6 – Banking and finance

Bank services
Assisting businesses
ATMs, debit and credit cards
Instruments of credit
The letter of credit
E-banking and mobile banking
Banking safety
The banking system in the UK and the US
The stock exchange
Ethical banks

Unit 7 – Transport and insurance

The transportation industry
Land transport 1: Rail and canal
Land transport 2: Road



Transport by pipeline

Sea transport

Air transport

The insurance contract

Unit 8 – Globalisation

The globalisation process

Leading players in globalisation

WTO, IMF and World Bank

Main aspects of globalisation

Supporters and critics of globalisation

Global strategies and global companies

Outsourcing and offshoring

Developing a global mindset in business

Global issues

CULTURE (attività di reading, writing, listening, speaking; flipped classroom)

Units 2 – Social and political institutions

The UK system of government

The US system of government

Unit 3 – The economy explored

General framework of British economy

Agriculture, fishing and forestry

Mining and sources of energy

Industry

Trade and services

General framework of US economy

Agriculture, fishing and forestry

Mining and sources of energy

Industry

Trade and services

Unit 4 – History I: The making of the British and the American nations

An early history of invasions

The Plantagenet sovereigns

The Tudor century

The Stuarts, the Civil War and the Restoration

The Industrial Revolution

The New World

The War of Independence

Unit 5 – History II: The 19th century

Britain and the Napoleonic Wars

The Victorian Age

The British Empire

Westward expansion and land acquisition in the US

Texas and the West

The slavery question and the Civil War

Unit 6 – History III: The 20th century and the new millennium

The Great War

Britain in the 1920s and 1930s

The Second World War

The post-war years



From the 1950s to the mid-2010s
Brexit

Unit 7 – The EU and international organisations

The origins: the EEC
The EU
How the EU is organised
Legislation
The European Single Market
The United Nations Organisation
The North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
Skills for First: The truth about young people and Brexit

Unit 8 – The English-speaking world

Australia
South Africa

Del fascicolo *Your Exam Partner*, annesso al libro di testo, sono state svolte alcune esercitazioni all'inizio dell'anno scolastico, in preparazione dell'eventuale prova scritta dell'Esame di Stato.

MATERIALI INTEGRATIVI (link e/o file in piattaforma Classroom GSuite - attività di reading, writing, listening, speaking)

- Connectors
- Incoterms 2020
- Squid Game* come fenomeno culturale globale
- film *Take the Lead* (Liz Friedlander, 2006) e approfondimento del concetto di *leadership*
- video pubblicitario di un profumo femminile associato alla canzone *You don't own me* di Lesley Gore
- Neuromarketing
- Tema dell'immigrazione:
 - il confine tra Usa e Messico
 - la poetessa di origini messicane Pat Mora e due sue poesie (*Immigrants; Elena*)
 - due canzoni italiane: Luigi Tenco, *Ciao amore ciao*; Massimo Ranieri, *Lettera al di là dal mare*
- Tema dei diritti umani:
 - lo scrittore e poeta britannico Benjamin Zephaniah e una sua poesia, *We Refugees*
 - i bambini del campo di concentramento di Terezin
 - i bambini aborigeni australiani della *stolen generation*

STAGE DI PCTO

Valorizzazione dell'esperienza in sede di verifica orale e condivisione con la classe, anche in vista del reimpiego del lavoro in sede di colloquio dell'Esame di Stato.

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