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Programma svolto		
Anno scolastico	2023/24	
Classe	4B AFM	
Materia	Lingua e cultura straniera Inglese	
Docente	Simonetta Pelagalli	
Risorse	C. Medaglia - M. Seiffarth, <i>Twenty-Thirty</i> . <i>English for Responsible Business</i> , Rizzoli Education, Milano, 2021.	
	Materiali integrativi in forma cartacea e/o pdf ove indicato. (extra materials; worksheet)	
Note	Per le abilità e competenze, si fa riferimento al PTOF d'Istituto.	

## **Modules**

Module 1	My language biography
Time	September
Contents	Worksheet: 'My language biography'. ( <i>extra material</i> ) Video listening: 'Harvard, how many languages do you speak?' by The New Travel.
Skills	Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QAXtxNydhg4">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QAXtxNydhg4</a> Speaking How many languages do you speak? Can you say some expression in [language], so we can hear the language? Is there a word or expression that cannot be translated? What is the hardest language to learn? How do you practise languages? If you could learn one more, what would it be? In which language do you think?
	Grammar revision Use or omission of the article 'the'. Online grammar exercises:

	Test-english.com Link: <a href="https://test-english.com/grammar-points/a1/a-an-the-no-article/">https://test-english.com/grammar-points/a1/a-an-the-no-article/</a>			
Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Speaking and Writing.  Making and answering questions about languages, spoken, learnt, preferred.			
Module 2	Graphs and Charts			
Time	October			
Contents	Listening/ Reading: 'Visual communication. Graphs, tables and charts. Types of graphs' pp. 16-17.			
Skills	'Reading graphs and charts', p. 22.			
	Vocabulary: Revision of numbers and percentages.			
	'The language of graphs and charts' (extra material).			
	Video listening: 'How to Learn English: Describing Charts and Graphs'			
	by ESLgold.com			
	Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWMHapxDmMg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWMHapxDmMg</a>			
	Grammar revision			
	Word order in sentences, Subject + Verb + Object + Place + Time.			
	Online exercises (Englisch-hilfen.de, Test-english.com).			
	Link: https://test-english.com/grammar-points/a1/basic-word-order-in-english/ Link: https://test-english.com/grammar-points/b1-b2/position-of-adverbs/			
	Lonk: https://test-english.com/grammar-points/a1/basic-word-order-in-english/3/			
	The Passive Form (worksheet).			
	Reading the front page of some online newspapers.			
	Video listening / Documentary: 'Scotland - Highlands and Islands, Nature			
	Documentary' by Get.factual (Youtube.com).			
	Speaking and Writing			
	Describing trends in a graph.			
Expected learning	Speaking and Writing			
outcome - Assessment	Presentation of the trend/trends in a given graph.			
Module 3	Business structures			
Time	November/ December			
Contents	Essential vocabulary			
	Sole trader (ditta individuale), partnership (società di persone), limited companies			

Skills	(società di capitali), private limited companies (LTDs), public limited companies (PLCs), cooperative, charity. Franchise. Unlimited or limited liability. Legal entity. set up a business, run a company etc.  'Business activities and sectors' p. 25. 'Commerce and trade' p. 30 'Free and regulated markets' p. 31. 'Key terms of international trade' and 'World Trade Organization' p. 32. 'The private sector' pp. 47-50. 'Franchising' p. 52. Exercises pp. 66, 68.  Video listening: 'Financial Literacy - Good Savings Habits' by izzitEDU. Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&amp;v=ef7f7rYmOlg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&amp;v=ef7f7rYmOlg</a> Exercise: Summarise the main ideas of the speech. Video listening: 'Managing Your Money' by izzitEDU. Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pyYu9M4lN9Y">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pyYu9M4lN9Y</a> Writing/ Study guide  Make a mind map of the different business structures.  Grammar revision Video listening: 'Come parlano inglese gli italiani: A2 vs C1' by Bringlese. (Youtube.com) want + phrase, sample sentence 'I want you to call me' Reflexive pronouns, online exercises. Link: <a href="https://test-english.com/grammar-points/b1/reflexive-pronouns-myself-yourself/">https://test-english.com/grammar-points/b1/reflexive-pronouns-myself-yourself/</a> Speaking about Christmas / Winter holidays.	
Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Main features of the different business structures; the different levels of liability.  Understanding an article describing the development of a company.  Reading comprehension 'Co-Pilot Wind Project: affordable green energy for everyone' in Co-operatives UK. Link: <a href="https://www.uk.coop/case-studies/co-pilot-wind-project-affordable-green-energy-everyone">https://www.uk.coop/case-studies/co-pilot-wind-project-affordable-green-energy-everyone</a>	
Module 4	Language revision	
Time	January	
Contents	Speaking activity: 'Two Truths & A Lie: Holiday Edition' in Getupgetoutgetlost.com.	
Skills	Video listening: 'Impara le basi d'inglese in 10 minuti' by Bringlese. (Youtube.com)	

Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Video listening 'Da principiante ad intermedio in 10 minuti! (Fare frasi nel futuro, passato, condizionale, +altro)' by Bringlese. (Youtube.com).  Word order in English. Online exercises (Test-English.com).  Students can make correct sentences in English, using the most common verb tenses appropriately.	
Module 5	Job and Careers (Part 1)	
Time	February / March	
Links	Educazione Civica (Social Studies)	
Contents	Vocabulary Word families	
Skills	apply, applicant, application, apply for sth. employ / hire, employment, unemployment, employer, employee, employed, unemployed advertise, advertisement/ advert (BrEn) / ad (informal), advertising, advertising campaign, advertising agent  Speaking prompts Speaking: Have you ever had a full-time or part-time job? What do you think are the best and worst jobs in the world? What is your dream job? Would you like to work in this sector? (Business and Administration, Accounting)  Song and lyrics: 'Gotta serve somebody' by Bob Dylan (Worksheet).  'Recruiting people' p. 208. Reading: 'The importance of work motivation. Maslow's pyramid of human needs' p. 209. What motivates people in a job? Reading: 'Understanding job advertisements' pp. 210-211.  'Your online persona' p. 215. 'Hard skills and soft skills' p. 217 'Hard Skills vs. Soft Skills: What's the Difference?', link: https://www.indeed.com/career-advice/resumes-cover-letters/hard-skills-vs- soft-skills  'The CV', p. 212-213, 215, 226. Europass CV template; CV checklist (extra material). Writing: Gathering information for your CV. Create your Europass CV in English. Link: https://europass.europa.eu/en/create-europass-cv	

	Video listening: 'Learn English Words & Phrases To Talk About Your Favourite Things!' by Learn English with Bob the Canadian.  Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oeV3zgQV-Ss">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oeV3zgQV-Ss</a> Speaking: What's your favourite colour/ place/ movie/ actor and why?	
Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Writing one's Europass CV in English. Getting acquanted with the online platform by the EU.	
Module 6	Jobs and Careers (Part 2)	
Time	March / April	
Contents Skills	'Job Interview Questions' (Allthingstopics.com). Exercise. 'Facing a job interview' p. 223. Listening: 'An online interview' p. 224. Speaking: 'A job interview based on an advertisement' p. 225. Pair work: 'What school do you attend? / What school do you go to? / What about your education? 'What about your work experience / Do you have any work experience? 'Why do you want this job? 'What languages do you speak? 'Do you have any questions? (Prepare one or two questions about the job) Reading/ Writing 'A cover letter' ex. 3 and 4 p. 219.  Activities on students' school trip Video listening: 'Why Vienna is the World's Most Livable City   Must-sees in Austria's Capital' by DW Travel. Comprehension exercise. Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUXBQYhw_Ew">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUXBQYhw_Ew</a> Travel dialogues, in Link: <a href="https://www.learnenglishfeelgood.com/travelenglish/">https://www.learnenglishfeelgood.com/travelenglish/</a>	
Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Speaking / Interaction Travel English Making questions and giving answers in a simple job interview.	
Module 7	Sum-up	
Time	May	
Contents	Revision of vocabulary, grammar and topics.	
Skills	Remedial work (recuperi).	
	School-work experience	

	Questions and answers. Writing a report.
Expected learning outcome - Assessment	Skills test
Some suggestions for the summer	Two short stories in 'Story Zone' by the British Council.  'The green wars' (text and exercises)  Link: <a href="https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/general-english/story-zone/b2-c1-stories/green-wars-b2/c1">https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/general-english/story-zone/b2-c1-stories/green-wars-b2/c1</a> 'The devil's in the details' (text and exercises)  Link: <a href="https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/general-english/story-zone/b2-c1-stories/devils-details-b2/c1">https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/general-english/story-zone/b2-c1-stories/devils-details-b2/c1</a>

## Additional activities with relevance to English lessons

13th December	Career guidance activity (attività di orientamento). Visit to 'Salone delle			
	Professioni e delle Competenze 2023' organized by Friuli Venezia Giulia Region at			
	Trieste Convention Center, Trieste.			
19th February	Viewing of the movie 'Io Capitano' (Me Captain) by Matteo Garrone, 2023.			
February to April	Career guidance meetings and activities organized by the Chamber of Commerce of			
	Trieste and Friuli Venezia Giulia Region.			
10th April	Presentation of Istituto Tecnico Superiore Accademia Nautica dell'Adriatico			
	(Higher Technical Institute - Nautical Academy of the Adriatic), Trieste.			
15th to 20th April	School trip to Vienna, Austria			
30th April	Career guidance activity at I.T.S. Academy for New Life Technologies			
	Alessandro Volta, in Basovizza, Trieste.			
10th May	Skills Test (Prova multidisciplinare delle competenze)			
27th May-7th June	School-work experience. (progetto PCTO, stage aziendale)			

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