American Club Sessions 2018-2019

	Lesson plan	Date
1	Ice-breaker (conversational game):	26.09.2018
	'Nice to meet you!' Question words.	
	Conversational game: 'What do you	
	do? What do you like?'(asking and	
	answering questions). Grammar: Past	
	Simple of be: was, were.	
	Conversational game: 'The memory	
	game'.	
	Everyday activities vocabulary.	
	Grammar: Past Simple regular verbs .	
	What did you do last week?	
	(discussion). Conversational	
	game:'What did you do last summer?'	
2	'Days of the week, months, numbers	10.10.2018
	game'.	
	Past simple (regular and irregular).	
	Lifetime events. 'Lifetime events'.	
	Biographical data (talk).	
	Love story (listening).Past Simple	
	common irregular verbs. Story chain	
	retelling.	
3	Conversational game (teams): asking	31.10.2018
	questions to find out about people's	
	lives.	
	Verbs and nouns: important events in	
	life.	
	Past Simple (questions). Interviewing	

	your partner (talking practice). Game:	
	'Interview an American celebrity'.	
4	'My lucky number' (a warming-up	07.11.2018
	conversational activity). Counting	
	song. Asking for and giving	
	measurements. A TV quiz show	
	(listening). Questions with	
	How+adjective. Roleplay:A TV quiz	
	show.	
	Asking for things and giving a	
	response. Quiz:'How polite are you?'	
	Everyday requests. Permission and	
	requests. Roleplay: Making requests.	
5	Talking about food you like. Countable	21.11.2018
	and uncountable nouns. Expressions	
	of quantity.	
	'What is your favourite restaurant?	
	Why? (conversation). Describing	
	restaurants (adjectives). Famous	
	American restaurants (talk).	
	Roleplay:'Let's eat out'	
	Traditional American food	
	(conversation). Thanksgiving day	
	celebration (discussion). Traditional	
	American Thanksgiving dishes	
	competition.	
6	Talking about future plans. Verbs /	05.12.2018
	nouns describing changes in life.	
	Reading: Stress free. Grammar:	

	Going to do for future plans.	
	Conversational activity: Talking about	
	your future plans.	
	Conversational game: 'I'm going to	
	eat out'.	
	Ordering food and drink in a	
	restaurant. Restaurant vocabulary.	
	Listening: Ordering in a restaurant.	
	Grammar: Would like / like, would	
	prefer/ prefer. Roleplay: 'In a	
	restaurant'	
7	Conversational game: 'What are your	19.12.2018
	plans?'	
	Grammar: Will for predictions. Will for	
	promises.	
	Discussing predictions for the year	
	2019. Future plans.	
	Conversational game: 'My New Year	
	Resolutions'	
	Christmas, New Year (talk). Christmas	
	and New Year traditions in America.	
	Christmas vocabulary. Poetry contest	
	(game).	
	American traditional Christmas dishes	
	contest.	
8	Asking and giving directions. Parts of	16.01.2019
	a public building; American English.	
	A hotel guest asks directions.	
	Prepositions of movement. Roleplay:	

	Giving directions to a visitor.	
	Vocabulary: Hotel words	
	Booking a room vocabulary.	
	Converstional activity ' I would like to	
	book'	
9	Comparing places in Estonia (talk).	30.01.2019
	Adgectives to describe places.	
	Comparatives.	
	Famous places in America.	
	Discussion: 'Choosing a better place'	
	Superlatives.	
	Conversational activity: 'The best	
	place for me'	
10	Conversational activity: Talking about	20.02.2019
	movies. Types of films.	
	Reading: 'Favourite film'	
	Grammar: Say and tell.	
	Get talking and writing: Describe and	
	review your favourite film.	
11	Conversational activity: Asking people	06.03.2019
	about their practical experience.	
	Practical activities vocabulary.	
	Grammar: Present Perfect Simple for	
	experience.	
12	Can you live without your phone?	20.03.2019
	(discussion). Modern gadgets (talk).	
	Telephones (vocabulary). Taking and	

	leaving messages. Listening: Aphone	
	conversation. Conversational activity:	
	Telephoning. Leaving a message.	
13	Conversational activity: Describing	03.04.2019
	jobs. Activities at work (vocabulary)	
	Grammar:Have to do / Don't have to	
	do.	
	' Very different jobs' (discussion).	
	Communicational activity: Making	
	excuses. Parts of the body; illnesses.	
	Listening: A conversation on the	
	phone. Making and accepting	
	apologies.	
14	Effective communication and social	17.04.2019
	etiquette (talk). Giving advice to	
	visitors (vocabulary).	
	Listening: Advice to Japanese	
	business people visiting the USA.	
	Grammar: Should for advice	
	Conversational activity: Giving advice	
	to foreign visitors.	
15	Conversational activity: Making	08.05.2019
	suggestions for social arrangements.	
	Money verbs (vocabulary) Listening: A	
	meeting with a party organiser.	
	Suggestions. Roleplay: Planning a	
	party.	
	'What can you say about our	
	American Club? (discussion with the	
		

American Club members	
(suggestions)). Farewell party. 'My	
favourite American dessert' contest.	