

Topic Packs overview: Pre-beginner

Learning English

Personal ID

Personal information

1. Can say and write or copy name

The alphabet

2. Can copy and write the letters of the alphabet
Can recognise upper and lower case letters

Numbers

3. Can recognise numbers from 1-30
Can recognise and say numbers related to personal identification

Personal information

4. Can say and write or copy personal information
Can complete a simple form

Socialising

Being polite

1. Can use expressions of greetings and closings
Can use statements to apologise, to thank, to ask for repetition

The family

2. Can identify and talk simply about family members
3. Can talk about things they can or cannot do
4. Can talk about things they have or do not have

Money

Notes and coins

1. Can recognise and identify numbers 1-30
2. Can identify and say names of notes and coins
3. Can understand and read simple prices and price tags

Shopping

Colours

1. Can recognise and say colours

Fruit

2. Can recognise and say the names of fruit
Can speak about what they like and do not like
Can recognise weights – kilos
Can participate in a basic transactional exchange

Vegetable

3. Can recognise and say the names of vegetables

Clothes

4. Can identify and say items of clothing

Signs and symbols

1. Can read common signs and symbols in a shopping context

Education

Time for school

Days of the week

1. Can recognise and sequence the days of the week

Months of the year

2. Can recognise months of the year and identify months that are relevant to the learner

Time

3. Can read digital time and analogue clock faces on the hour and half hour
Can demonstrate understanding of time expressed orally

Types of schooling

4. Is aware of the different educational institutions
Can answer questions that are related to their children's and their own personal schooling

Health

Parts of the body

1. Can identify parts of the body

Feelings

1. Can identify and express different feelings
2. Can participate in a social exchange

Signs and symbols

1. Can understand social signs and symbols in context of washing hands
2. Can understand signs relating to opening hours

Housing

Types of housing

Types of housing

1. Can identify types of houses

Rooms in a house

2. Can identify and name rooms in a house

Daily activities

3. Can match daily activities to specific rooms

A new life

Australia

Australia the country

1. Can identify the map and the states and territories of Australia

Australian animals

2. Can identify some Australian animals

Transport

Types of transport

Types of transport

1. Can identify types of transport

Signs and symbols

2. Can recognise signs related to public transport

Work

Work skills

Application form

1. Can fill in a simple form

Work skills

2. Can identify their work skills

Environment

Weather

1. Can talk about the weather and copy or write simple sentences

Signs and symbols

1. Can demonstrate understanding of common community symbols

Leisure

Interests

1. Can talk about what they like doing in their free time

Law

The police in the community

1. To develop understanding of the police's role
2. Can understand and use pedestrian crossings
Can understand and use school crossing