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PROGRAMMA SVOLTO

Testi in adozione:

1)Grammar

- A)Sharman, E., *Identity B1 to B1+*
- B)*Oxford Grammar 360°*

Revision:

Grammar: Simple tenses (Present and past, present perfect, past perfect), perfect tenses (present and past), continuous tenses (present , past, present perfect). modal verbs, auxiliary verbs, all the other verbs and their constructions.

Unit 7 “Use your imagination”

Grammar: Modals for deduction: in the present and in the past

Defining and non-defining relative clauses, so, such a/an. such.

Vocabulary: Art. Literature and adjectives of opinion (p. 208)

Functions: Giving opinions and adding emphasis

Texts: Speculate and make deductions (reading p. 84)

Dublin : the literary tour (P.88)

Unit 8 “Wish you were here”

Grammar: Hypothetical period (0,1,2,3 type).Wish (for regret and desire);conditionals (should, could, might, would and their differences); linkers (see the list on classroom)

Vocabulary: Holidays and travel (phrasal verbs and means of transport p.216)

Texts: Take nothing but photos reading p. 101

Unit 9 “Do the right thing”

Grammar: Past perfect, present perfect vs past perfect, past simple vs past perfect, past perfect continuous vs present perfect continuous; time expressions, duration form (since , for); question tags

Vocabulary: Holidays and travel (phrasal verbs and means of transport p.216)

Texts: Freedom fighters: Gandhi and Rosa Parks p. 106

Unit 10 “On the money”

Grammar: Passive (all tenses), Gerunds and infinitives

Vocabulary:Monety verbs)

Speaking skills: A job interview

Texts: Talk about news and events p. 116

How to be money-savvy (p. 118)

Crowdfunding p.122

Unit 11 “Our digital lives”

Grammar: Past participle, past conditional

Functions: Talk about consequences (p. 129)

Texts: Talk about imaginary and past situations (p. 128)

Unit 12 “Media matters”

Grammar: Reported speech, request and commands (direct to indirect and vice versa): all tenses

Vocabulary: Advertising p. 248

2) Business English**A) Schinardi G., Revellino P., *Let’s do business in English*****1) The world of business:**

- Introducing a company
- Writing a business letter
- Writing business emails
- Talking on the phone

2) International trade and logistics:

- Making written enquiries and replying
- Request for a quotation
- Making enquiries on the phone
- Placing orders
- Replying to orders (and inability to carry out orders, modifying or canceling orders)
- dealing with complaints

3) Banking and finance:

- The world of banking
- E-banking
- The British and American banking systems
- Ethical banking
- The stock exchange
- The stock indexes
- Inflation
- History of banking

Impresa Simulata IFS (4 h):

Find a job: soft and hard skills requested.

The steps of a business transaction

The types of business letters. Dealing with complaints.

role play .Phone calls to place orders

Citizenship: (4H) Volunteering

- vision of the film "Pay it forward"
- planning of a project to "make this world a better place"
- discussion about the experiences

Cultural background:

The UK: physical and political map, currency and characteristics

historical background:

- key events from the Celts to Magna Charta
- The Black death, Elizabeth I
- Shakespeare: life, principal tragedies and plays
 - from the glorious revolution to 1707 (Gunpowder plot, Bill of rights, Act of Union)
- the British Parliament (origin and nowadays)

- the industrial revolution
- The Victorian Age
- The suffragettes
- the commonwealth of nations
 - The British institutions and the crown: Elizabeth II and Charles III (topic developed with the mother tongue)
- Brexit (topic developed with the mother tongue)
- London : top -rated tourist attractions
- Common Law and its differences with our legal system
- English houses from the Renaissance to nowadays
- English and Italian gardens

George Orwell: life and plot of Animal farm

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