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Let's Talk 2



English as a
Foreign
Language

Preface

This group class discussion book will help fortify the student's survival skills learned from Let's Talk 1. It contains seventeen (17) stories where the discussion questions are based. The majority of the activities integrated into each lesson is vocabulary and picture-oriented which will serve as discussion starters as well. The teachers might need to research more on the activities or topics which will not only supplement discussions, but also widen the students' knowledge.

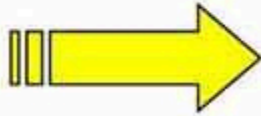
As with Let's Talk 2, the main lessons are composed of dialogs containing expressions and/or vocabulary which should be memorized by the students and used in applicable situations. Moreover, to check the students' ability to use these expressions and vocabularies, sentence-construction activities are also incorporated. The lessons will end with discussions which will enhance the student's fluency with the English language.

Due to the diversity of students, some lessons and activities may not meet each of the student's expectations and/or may not be in congruence with the student's personality, age, or the like. With such, the teacher can opt to alter the activities as to the student's needs or preference to promote learning. Additional activities are also greatly encouraged such as simulations in the classroom or around the school campus. This will most likely promote better memory and comprehension to students.

Chapter I. At The Restaurant



Tom and Leslie Go to a Restaurant



A. Getting Ready

Have you eaten in these fast food restaurants? What kinds of foods do they serve?




B. Dialog

Tom and Leslie have decided to dine at an Italian restaurant which just opened.

Leslie: Oh, no! There's a line to **get in**, and I am very hungry.

Tom: Don't worry. **I thought this might happen, so** I made a reservation.

Leslie: I hope they have your reservation.

(Tom goes to the waiter.)

Tom: Excuse me.

Waiter: Can I help you?

Tom: Yes, I have a reservation for Tom and Leslie Smith.

Waiter: Yes, sir. I see you have a reservation here. **Right this way.**


C. Vocabulary

Use the following expressions in a different situation:

a) Get in.

= go inside

b) I thought this might happen, so + S-V-O.

= you had expected that something may happen, so you did something

c) Right this way.

= an expression used to direct another person or show the direction


D. Discussion Questions

1. How often do you eat out?
2. Name the restaurants you have been to in your country? How about in other countries?
3. Of all the restaurants you have been to, which one is your favorite? Why? How often do you go there?
4. Do you make reservations when you go to a restaurant? Why or why not?
5. What kind of restaurant would you like to try? Why?
6. Talk about a restaurant that you went to recently.
7. Have you ever worked in a restaurant? If so, describe the experience.
8. Do you like posh restaurants? Why or why not?
9. What kind of restaurant would you like to open?
10. Do you think ambience (= atmosphere) is important in a restaurant? Why or why not?