Scope and Sequence

	LESSON A		LESSON B	
UNIT	VOCABULARY	LISTENING	LANGUAGE FOCUS	SPEAKING
Embrace Stress!	Stress collocations	Leading a stress-free life Dr. Trudi Edginton, psychologist	Function Talking about jobs and stress Grammar Gerunds and infinitive	Ways to relax
2 Media Influences	Influences	Movies and career choices Mamta Nagaraja, aerospace engineer	Function Talking about media and inspirations Grammar Relative clauses	Ranking movies
3 Development	Goals and ambitions	International development Linda Steinbock, aid worker	Function Talking about change Grammar Present perfect and present perfect progressive	Talking about expenses
	PRESENTATION	1 Talking about a fict	tiona character who insp	ires you
4. Secrets and Lies	Collocations with <i>truth</i> and <i>lie</i>	Lying in a job interview Erin Wong, recruiter	Function Speculating about the truth Grammar Modals of deduction and speculation	Speculating about real and fake photographs
5 To the Edge	Describing challenges and successes	Facing challenges Nadia Ruiz, marathon runner	Function Describing accomplishments Grammar Past perfect and past perfect progressive	Talking about yesterday's activities
6 Money Matters	Money collocations	Crowdfunding Shree Bose, entrepreneur	Function Using phrasal verbs Grammar Phrasal verbs	Planning a budget

LESSON C	LESSON D		LESSON E		
READING	TED TALK	PRESENTATION SKILLS	COMMUNICATE	WRITING	
The stressed-out generation	HOW TO MAKE STRESS YOUR FRIEND Kelly McGonigal	Involving the audience	Dealing with stress	Writing a letter giving advice	
Are superheroes good role models?	HOW MOVIES TEACH MANHOOD Colin Stokes	Knowing your audience	Assessing movies	Writing a movie review	
The economics of happiness	GLOBAL POPULATION GROWTH, BOX BY BOX Hans Rosling	Using props	The distribution of wealth	Writing about how wealth is distributed in your country	
Lies we need to tell	HOW TO SPOT A LIAR Pamela Meyer	Beginning with a strong statement	The lying game	Expressing an opinion on lying	
Magic man	HOW I HELD MY BREATH FOR 17 MINUTES David Blaine	Explaining technical words	Talking about big achievements	Comparing people's achievements	
Giving something back	WHY GIVING AWAY OUR WEALTH HAS BEEN THE MOST SATISFYING THING WE'VE DONE Bill and Melinda Gates	Being authentic	Convincing people to give to your project or charity	Writing about a charitable project	

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7 Medical Frontiers	The language of discovery	Drug discovery and development Dr. Michael Hanley, biotech executive	Function Making predictions Grammar Modals of probability	Talking about future technology
8 Life Decisions	Describing milestones in life	Comparing generations Dr. Laurence Steinberg, psychologist	Function Talking about milestones Grammar Future perfect and future perfect progressive	When will you?
9 Technology and Innovation	What can robots do?	Robobees Robert Wood, roboticist	Function Talking about conditions Grammar First conditional and second conditional	Discussing the impact of driverless cars
	PRESENTATION 3 Stating your position on a controversial topic and explaining your reasons			

10 Connections	Collocations with <i>listen</i>	Mediation David Walker, mediator	Function Reporting what someone said Grammar Reported speech	A survey
11 Life in the Slow Lane	Slowing down	Living in the present Carl Honoré, author	Function Talking about quantity Grammar Articles and quantifier	A multitasking test
12 Make Yourself Heard	Voicing an opinion	The Challenger disaster	Function Talking about the imaginary past Grammar Third conditional and mixed conditionals	A moral dilemma

PRESENTATION 4 Talking about a vacation to slow down and enjoy nature

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Just press "print"	THE SORE PROBLEM OF PROSTHETIC LIMBS David Sengeh	Body movement and gestures	Pitching an invention	Writing a letter to a potential investor	
The defining decade	WHY 30 IS NOT THE NEW 20 Meg Jay	Using a case study	Giving advice	Writing an advice column	
Drones are here to stay	ROBOTS THAT FLY AND COOPERATE Vijay Kumar	Referring to visuals	Debating	Writing about the applications of drone technology	
The lost art of listening?	FIVE WAYS TO LISTEN BETTER Julian Treasure	Using acronyms to summarize	How good are your listening skills?	Summarizing the results of a survey	
Your brain on nature	CLOUDY WITH A CHANCE OF JOY Gavin Pretor-Pinney	Being enthusiastic	Slow movement organizations	Writing an advertisement for an organization	
Whistleblowers	DARE TO DISAGREE Margaret Heffernan	Using pauses	A company meeting	Writing an email to a company CEO	