

## Business Writing B1 C2 Collins Business Skills And Communication

This comprehensive resource book contains an easy-to-use set of short activities essential for anyone teaching Business English. Reflecting real-life business activities such as emails, noisy telephone conversations, making excuses, negotiating, handling customer complaints and cultural awareness, Five-Minute Activities for Business English helps teachers mirror the pacey feel of the work environment. This book is also of interest to teachers of general English who are looking for stimulating skills-based activities in meaningful contexts and complements both tailored and coursebook-based materials. The four main areas covered are 'Business topics', 'Business communication skills', 'Language work' and 'Exploiting coursebooks'. These areas feature activities on various topics such as money, finance, meetings, negotiations, telephoning, management, marketing, etc.

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"Collins Work on your Handwriting will help you improve your handwriting in English, especially if your home language does not have the same alphabet."\_Contracub.

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If your speaking is preventing you from getting the score you need in IELTS, Collins Speaking for IELTS can help. Don't let one skill hold you back.

If your reading is preventing you from getting the score you need in IELTS, Collins Reading for IELTS can help. Don't let one skill hold you back.

Great Business English uses a unique phrase menu system to combine real business knowledge with the communication and language skills you need to do well at work. If you have intermediate or advanced English and need to do business with international colleagues or customers in English, then Great Business English is perfect for you. Great Business English is written by, Hilary Moore, who has a PhD, a Masters in Business, and is a qualified language teacher. She has years of experience training business managers like you to communicate well in English. The book includes sections on: presenting, negotiating, small talk, making telephone calls, conducting meetings, talking about employees' skills, managing disagreement, and discussing business and sales results. There are also sections which list the most useful business verbs and vocabulary, with definitions and examples. It uses a unique 'phrase menu' method to support your learning. A supporting set of 3 CDs are easily available to purchase online, after ordering the book. The book is quick, practical and portable. It will give you the language that you really need for a successful international business career!

Do you want to speak and write English better at work? Meet Jasmine Goodman, personal assistant. She answers the phone, writes emails, manages her boss' schedule and looks after visitors to the company. In Workplace English you can follow Jasmine's daily life at her office and learn the English you need for your everyday work life. \* Read the conversations to learn the language of business \* Have fun with practice activities \* Use the key phrases in your own work life The full colour book contains 24 units and a reference section including: \* key words and phrases \* answer key \* audioscript \* pronunciation guide \* example emails Suitable for learners at CEF level A1 / Elementary.

"This book will help you write clearer business documents more efficiently. Easy-to-follow explanations and simple tasks will improve your writing style. You can choose to work on individual units, or work through the whole course. Includes: the real language of business English taken from the Cobuild corpus; exercises and answer key in each unit; focus on 'soft skills' of communication such as getting your message across accurately and communicating effectively in intercultural environments."--Publisher.

At the request of his friend Ariadne (an eccentric mystery lover based on Christie herself), Hercule arrives at a sprawling estate to partake in a weekend game of mock murder. But when the victim appears far too dead, the game stops and the detective work begins.

No other description available.

English in the real world is constantly evolving, and learners need to move with it. But sometimes the English you can learn from your coursebook just isn't enough for real life. Being able to understand English as it is really spoken will give you the confidence to succeed in any English speaking environment.

Describes the photographer's travels around the country and his interviews with teens across ethnicities, socioeconomic groups, and educational backgrounds to capture the essence of life as a teenager today.

Build key business relationships

"Collins Work on your Phrasal Verbs presents the 400 most common phrasal verbs. Each phrasal verb is covered in depth with clear examples, definitions and exercises to help students become confident using them."\_Contracub.

This new edition of the Collins COBUILD English Grammar is a modern, global and learner-focussed grammar reference, aimed at learners and teachers of English.

Effective communication is the key factor that ensures success in all business and professional activities. It is a complex subject that requires knowledge of not only the language used, but also of human behaviour and sensitivities along with the basics of the business or professional activities of one's choice. Spoken and Written BUSINESS ENGLISH fulfills this requirement by providing easy-to-understand knowledge on: Communication Basics Spoken Business English Written Business English Useful Reference Materials This book is a complete guide for all business and professional communication activities explaining in a simple language how people interact with each other through their body language, etiquettes and manners and also through effective use of spoken and written English. It teaches how to speak well at the workplace, at meetings, seminars and in public. It also explains how to write error-free and effective memos, letters, applications and reports. The book contains an exhaustive reference section which provides information to facilitate business and professional activities around the world. Hence, we can conclude by saying that no work place would be complete without a copy of this book. So dear readers, it will serve as a Bible for all of you who are in service, in any profession, or managing their own business."

Telephoning in English is for professionals or trainee professionals in business, commerce and administration who need to make and answer phone calls. It is suitable for learners at the intermediate and upper-intermediate levels, and can be used in class or for self-study. The emphasis is on developing and consolidating practical telephone skills in a variety of interesting and relevant contexts. Activities range from message-taking and spelling practice to role play, providing learners with a comprehensive course in using the telephone in English. Second edition This has been fully revised and updated to take into account the most important recent developments in the world of telecommunications. It has also been redesigned at a larger format and in colour to make it easier to use for learners working on their own. The recorded material is available on an audio cassette set (2) or audio CD set (2).

This third edition has been fully updated to reflect today's business world with new topics and example sentences. Armed with this book, you will learn the words you need for effective business communication. Suitable for intermediate/upper-intermediate learners of English (CEF level B1-B2), Collins Business Vocabulary in Practice presents business words in context and exercises to help you remember them. New words are introduced using Collins COBUILD definitions and supported by examples of real English from the Collins corpus. The user-friendly format, with visually dynamic presentation of vocabulary on the left-hand pages and related practice exercises on the right-hand pages, will help you gain a better understanding of the English language in the field of business and commerce. Collins Business Vocabulary in Practice is an indispensable reference tool for learners of English studying business in today's world.

Improve the way you communicate in English when working internationally - it's as much about how you say it as what you say! You need more than just a good level of English to communicate successfully in international business. Collins Effective International Business Communication gives you clear and practical advice to help you to communicate successfully with colleagues and business partners around the world, using the English you already know. Part 1 will help you with speaking and listening, with practical ideas to help you create better understanding with colleagues and business partners. Part 2 covers key interpersonal skills, such as building relationships, networking, influencing, making decisions, managing conflict and building trust. Part 3 considers the challenges of virtual communication with colleagues at a distance, with advice on how to write better emails and manage conference calls. Each unit features tip boxes, model conversations and case studies Work environments today are increasingly complex - with greater demands on time there is more emphasis on choosing the right form of communication at the right time. You need to be able to work with colleagues at a distance and build and maintain relationships with people at home and abroad. Effective International Business Communication will help you to build the relationships you need to be successful. Can be used for self-study or by Business English trainers who want their clients to get results. CEF level B2-C1 / Upper Intermediate - Advanced

The 4th edition of the Collins COBUILD Intermediate Learner's Dictionary has been revised and updated to include detailed coverage of today's English in a clear, attractive format. Ideal for intermediate level learners of English, and with full sentence definitions written in simple, natural English, this dictionary is easy to use and understand. Thousands of updated examples, taken from the 4.5 billion word Collins Corpus, show learners how the words are used in authentic contexts. This dictionary covers all the essential words, phrases and idioms that students at this level need to learn and provides help with grammar and usage. Additional information is provided throughout the dictionary to help learners improve their fluency and confidence in using English. Informative and relevant vocabulary panels show how words are used in a range of everyday contexts. In addition, this dictionary offers learners guidance on how to communicate effectively in English. The Language in Use supplement provides a wealth of invaluable information on how to write and speak English for different purposes using the appropriate language, style and tone. Resources and activities to help learners make the most of the dictionary are available for free online. The Collins COBUILD Intermediate Learner's Dictionary provides invaluable guidance on the English language, and is the complete reference tool for learners of English.

This major new edition of the Collins COBUILD English Usage is a modern, easy-to-use and in-depth guide to English usage, aimed at upper-intermediate and advanced learners and teachers of English. Collins COBUILD English Usage has been designed to help learners to use individual words correctly, and choose the right words and structures for the meaning they want to convey. The title not only explains what English words mean, but also provides information on how the words actually work. The title covers a range of different areas of the English language, to help learners use the language naturally and effectively. It provides clear information on easily confused words, words with similar meanings, and help with words that are often tricky for learners to understand. Entries are organized alphabetically so that they are easy to find, and each has a clear explanation of when and how to use the word. Each entry also includes examples from the Collins Corpus, which show how the words are really used in everyday English. In addition to information on usage, the title includes helpful grammar boxes, which explain elements of English grammar which students need to be able to write and speak in English. A supplement of various topics, including punctuation and academic writing, will help to ensure that learners have all the information they need to be able to communicate effectively and accurately. Collins COBUILD English Usage has been thoroughly revised and updated, based on extensive corpus research and is now easier to use than ever. With additional information on American English, and warning notes highlighting particular problems, Collins COBUILD English Usage is an indispensable tool for learning English today.

"Email English' contains a wealth of practice activities, all of which can be used for self-study or with a teacher in class. It also has a phrase bank providing over 500 key expressions for reference while you are writing."--Publisher.

This new edition of the Collins COBUILD Phrasal Verbs Dictionary offers comprehensive and up-to-date coverage of the most important phrasal verbs in English. Collins COBUILD Phrasal Verbs Dictionary gives learners of English detailed help with this often tricky area of the English language. Revised and updated to reflect changes in the English language,

this new edition provides learners with detailed information on phrasal verbs in a language that is easy to understand. With new phrasal verbs and updated examples from the Collins Corpus, this edition is packed with information on how phrasal verbs work, what they mean and how to use them. The 2-colour layout of the dictionary means that it is easier than ever for students to find the information they need. The dictionary also includes an index of 200 single-word verbs and their phrasal verb equivalents, plus information on when you should use a single-word verb (for example, in academic writing) and when a phrasal verb would be more appropriate (for example, during an informal conversation with a friend). There are also collocations boxes, which provide students with the language they need to build natural-sounding sentences in English. There is also a self-study exercise section at the back of the book so that students can practise and consolidate what they have learnt. The particles index provides students with in-depth information on what particles mean, boosting their vocabulary and understanding of the language. As with all COBUILD products, the Collins Corpus provides thousands of examples of real English, showing words in context and providing essential guidance on usage. Attractively presented, the Collins COBUILD Phrasal Verbs Dictionary is invaluable for all learners of English wishing to gain a fuller understanding of phrasal verbs and use them more effectively.

Business Result Second Edition offers business professionals more communication and language practice than ever before, helping students develop relevant communication skills they can use immediately in the workplace.

This short course is for learners who need to improve their ability to communicate when socialising, telephoning, presenting, taking part in meetings and negotiating. The course aims to build confidence and fluency by encouraging students to analyse tasks and take part in practice activities. This second edition has been redesigned and now includes a page of self-study tasks for each of the 15 units.

Marian Forrester is the symbolic flower of the Old American West. She draws her strength from that solid foundation, bringing delight and beauty to her elderly husband, to the small town of Sweet Water where they live, to the prairie land itself, and to the young narrator of her story, Neil Herbert. All are bewitched by her brilliance and grace, and all are ultimately betrayed. For Marian longs for "life on any terms," and in fulfilling herself, she loses all she loved and all who loved her.--From publisher's description. Collins English for Business is a new series of self-study skills books which focus on the language you really need to do business in English - wherever you are in the world. Each title includes tips on how to communicate effectively and how to communicate inter-culturally.

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To understand all the documents you come across at work you need to practise reading different kinds of text. This brand new self-study book is the ideal way for business people to refine their reading skills in English. It provides practice reading the kinds of texts that business people come into contact with at work every day, using authentic examples from real business situations. It is aimed particularly at executives who communicate in English frequently or work in foreign or multinational companies. The twenty 4-page units focus on a wide variety of texts, which are useful as a quick-reference guide or for more in depth study and practice: \* Section 1: Emails\* Section 2: Business documents such as agendas, CVs, job descriptions and annual reports\* Section 3: Marketing and advertising, including company websites, brochures and social media such as Twitter\* Section 4: Business media, for example reading newspaper reports, financial news and business blogs \* Each unit contains practice activities and exercises; key vocabulary and phrases and grammar tips, with notes on American English variants \* Includes helpful advice on different reading styles, such as reading for gist and reading for detail \* Reference section with advice on how to improve your reading speed, and tips to help you choose the best reading method to find the information you need \* Also focuses on useful skills not covered in traditional reading courses, such as 'reading between the lines' or understanding the true meaning behind the message \* Includes an answer key, making it ideal for self-study \* Powered by COBUILD - using the real language of business English Collins English for Business is an innovative series of self-study skills books which focus on the language you really need to do business in English - wherever you are in the world. Each title includes tips on how to communicate effectively and how to communicate inter-culturally. Other titles in this series are Speaking, Listening and Writing.

Essential grammar reference and practice for anyone using English in a business context. Grammar for Business is a must-have for intermediate business students and anyone using English in the workplace. It provides clear explanations and authentic practice of the most essential language used in business English. Designed to help you improve your communication skills in real business situations, it includes a unique focus on spoken as well as written grammar, and practical tips on areas such as organising presentations, negotiating and giving your opinion. Ideal for classroom use and self study.

Improve your grammar with Collins Grammar for IELTS and get the score you need.

A workbook that introduces the most frequently used phrasal verbs in English and shows you how to use them effectively.

Do you want to be "ahead of the curve" in business vocabulary in time for your next big company meeting? Want to "get the ball rolling" on improving your communication with employees, employers and possible clients that will work alongside you? In the world of business and finance, proper communication is key to achieving success, expanding your frontiers and reaching your goals. Whether you're in for an important interview with an experienced recruiter, having a video conference with clients for a contract signing, or you're selling to an audience, you're going to want to dominate the idioms and expressions necessary for getting your points across. And this is precisely where The Business English Vocabulary Builder steps in! Providing you with an essential guide on business-related English vocabulary, this book will allow you to: ? Discover over 300 different business expressions and idioms, covering many different subjects for a wide variety of uses? Learn the correct definition and usage of each expression, ensuring that you know exactly when you can say them out loud during a conversation? Visualize examples of the sayings in common conversations, helping you understand their context? Take advantage of important tips we provide you in the introduction and conclusion of the book, so that you can boost your learning and get a much better understanding of the English language. You really can't miss out on this opportunity to gain a better grasp of the language you'll require to become a better and capable professional within the business world! Grab a copy of this amazing Business English Vocabulary Builder and boost your professional

vocabulary today!

Develop key reading skills and become more confident when reading in English. If you want to understand everything you read in English, you need to practise reading different kinds of texts. With Collins Reading (A2) you will learn how to get the information you need from every text you read. Includes both authentic and adapted texts in a wide variety of styles: • signs and labels • timetables and tickets • advertisements • newspapers and magazines • brochures • social networking sites • blogs • • Twenty units with a clear design in full colour. • Appendices contain detailed advice targeting specific reading skills. • Mini-dictionary with definitions of the most difficult words in each unit, taken from the Collins COBUILD dictionary. • Answer key Collins Reading (A2) is part of the English for Life series. It is suitable for self-study and classroom use, and can help towards Cambridge KET preparation. Suitable for pre-intermediate learners of English (CEF level A2). The English for Life series uses authentic material from the Collins Corpus. The 4.5-billion-word Collins Corpus is the world's largest database of the English language and is updated every month. Also available in the Collins English for Life series: For Pre-Intermediate (A2) learners: Writing • Listening • Speaking For Intermediate (B1+) learners: Reading • Writing • Listening • Speaking If your listening is preventing you from getting the score you need in IELTS, Collins Listening for IELTS can help. Don't let one skill hold you back.

Make an Impact with your Written English deals with the English business writing you need to take you a step further in your executive career. The book also helps organizations stand apart by getting noticed for the right reasons, whatever the target audience. It focuses on writing English as a key business tool and how clear, concise messages are a must in international business today. Yet the fewer words you use, the more important it is to get them right. So the book focuses on word power: to promote and sell your messages - as well as 'brand you' and your organizational brand. An essential read, full of invaluable advice and checklists for native and non-native English writers who need to brush up their skills in writing English for sales, PR, presentations, reports, minutes, manuals and the web etc.

Speaking HARPER COLLINS

If you use English on a regular basis, but you feel you need to brush up a little on your grammar, Collins' new Business Grammar and Practice is the perfect solution. Well-known EFL experts Nick Brieger and Simon Sweeney guide the user through 72 short, succinct units to explain the structure of the English language. They provide examples of real usage, explanations and then practice exercises to cement your understanding. All of the sample sentences are taken from the COBUILD corpus, ensuring that users don't learn traditional, theoretical language, but rather, they come to understand real, useful, everyday expressions.

Do you understand 'textbook English' recordings but not what you hear in the real world?

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