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Ketertarikannva dalam bidang pengajaran dan pelatihan Speaking skill juga Linguistics digelutinya sejak mengajar dan pada akhirnya membidangi mata kuliah yana berhubungan dengan kedua bidang. Kecintaannya terhadap bidang ini terlihat dari usahanya menulis buku yang berhubungan dengan bidang tersebut yang akhirnya melahirkan karya yang sedang anda baca ini. Sejalan dengan kegiatan Tridharma, ia aktif menulis beberapa artikel ilmiah dan menaikuti seminar yang berhubungan dengan linguistik. Harapan kedepannya jalah ja dapat menelurkan karya yana lebih baik bagi dari segi kuantitas maupun kualitas.



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#### PREFACE

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As one of the Tri Dharma requirements, a lecture is able to conduct a research, scientific article and teaching materials expansion to help her in any chances. Therefore, this book is intended to help her teaching in classroom as the learning source and provide students with a basic introduction to most of the topics dealt with in courses described. General speaking is the compulsory subject taken by the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester students of English Literature department. Hence, this practical book supports the

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students' speaking skill at class and aids their learning source since the speaking book of local scope is still limited.

This practical book is designed into fifteen lessons (units) based on the syllabus stipulation which provides speaking skill and vocabulary mastery. All materials are compiled in accordance with sixteen meetings class. The topics are drawn up on students` daily speaking and their environment. There will be three units of review for the whole materials. It is for briefing, reviewing and discussing per five lessons. These reviews could be used as the expanding materials of test or quiz.

Every single lesson will be enclosed with two or three activities. 1<sup>st</sup> lesson starts with introduction of the subject (course) then continued to the part of knowing people around you on the 2<sup>nd</sup> lesson. The 3<sup>rd</sup> part is how to be a polite person by having good impression. Next lesson, it discusses about the cooking. In the 4<sup>th</sup> lesson, you meet the part of weather then the materials figure out the working for a living. Leisure time will be the next lesson. As the 7<sup>th</sup> part, you will be revealed out the sports and games as the teenagers likely to do. Lesson 9 and 10 tell about transportation and vacation time respectively. As an adolescent, the author thinks that the 11<sup>th</sup> lesson will be more exciting to be discussed, that is all about gadget. The next parts are lesson 12, 13 and 14 will be about environment, news and city life respectively. The last topic is closed with funny things around us.

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All these units are the bridging practice for students who proceed the next subject of Public Speaking on the next semester.

Last but not least, the author builds upon the readers to suggest and criticize for the book improvement next time. All suggestions and critics are friendly welcome to be sent via her email: indahsari.lubis@fib.unmul.ac.id or indah.lubis1987-@gmail.com so she is capable of doing better in the future writing.

> Samarinda, ....May 2021 The author,

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# SUBJECT ORIENTATION

Name of Subject	: General Speaking (Kemampuan	
	Berbicara)	
Code	: 14025206	
Learning Outcome	: A3, A6, GA2, SA4, SA6, K3	
A3 (Attitude 3)	: Contributing to improve the quality of	
	life in society, nation, state, and	
	advancement of civilization based on	
	Pancasila	
A6 (Attitude 6)	: Working together within social	
	sensitivity and care for the society and	
	environment	
GA2 (General ability	): Assessing knowledge or technology in	
	his/her expertise in accordance with	
	scientific principles, producing	
	design/artwork and descriptions based on	
	standard methods which are compiled in	
	the skripsi or final project report	
SA4 (Specific ability)	): Understanding theories of language and	
	literature, being able to apply both	
	theories dealing with certain linguistic	
	and literary phenomena (poetry, prose,	
	and drama) or cultural problems	
	especially tropical culture	

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SA6 (Specific ability) : Having competence as language and		
	literature observers with integrity who	
	are adhere to the truth and independence	
	particularly in groups to preserve local	
	culture	
K3(Knowledge 3)	: Mastering Techniques in practical	
	language proficiency	
Subject Description	: This course is designed to improve daily	
	speaking English conversation skills.	
	Topics related to this are personal	
	information, daily activities, hobbies and	
	interest, works and schools as well.	

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### **BOOK MAP**

LESSONS (page)	Speaking	Vocabulary
LESSON 1 (15-19)	Introducing oneself	Personal information;
GETTING STARTED		personal motives
A. At Glance to General Speaking		
B. I am a University Student		
LESSON 2 (20-34)	Talking about colors (basic and combination); colors and	Phrases of describing
GETTING TO KNOW YOU	personality; talking about favorite places, naming and	colors; phrases of
A. A. Favorite Colors	describing places; talking about personalities (yourself,	describing places; color
B. B. Favorite Places	family and public figure)	and its traits
C. C. Personalities		
LESSON 3 (35-42)	Talking about how to impress someone well; conversation	Phrases of first impression;
MAKING GOOD IMPRESSIO	in phone call; describing ways to start conversation	ways of first meeting;
A. First Impression		phone phrasal verbs
B. Meeting New People		
C. Telephone Conversation		
LESSON 4 (43-53)	Demonstrating the cooking techniques; delivering main	Phrases of cooking verbs;
FOOD and COOKING	idea; describing the foods (home-made and restaurant);	naming food and its origin
A. Cooking Techniques	describing the beverages; demonstrating the way of	
B. Our Menus	cooking dish; sharing experiences	
LESSON 5 (54-58)	Naming the seasons; giving opinions; sharing	Definitions and phrases of
WEATHER and SEASON	experiences; speaking your activities	climate, seasons and
A. Seasons in the World		weathers
B. Weathers in the World		

LESSON REVIEWS 1-5 (59-63)		
LESSON 6 (64-73)	Describing workplace; describing your job; interviewing	Matching job and
WORKING FOR A LIVING	your partner's job preferences; telling your job	workplace; kinds of job;
A. Workplace	experiences	job preferences; phrases of
B. Job Experiences		currently job; graph of
C. Millennial Job		certain job fields
LESSON 7 (74-81)	Talking about weekend plans; discussing your lifestyle;	Phrases of hobbies; couch
LEISURE TIME	talking about your free weekend activities	potato phrases
A. Hobbies and Interests		
B. Couch Potato		
C. Weekend Plans		
LESSON 8 (82-89)	Interviewing your partner's sports; talking about your	Kinds of sport; history of
SPORTS AND GAMES	favorite games; giving opinions	certain sport; kinds of
A. Favorite Sports		games (online and offline)
B. Favorite Games		
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TRANSPORTATION and	solutions; describing the ways to travel in your city	transportation
TRAVEL		
A. Traffic Lights		
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VACATION TIME	giving opinions	places, tourist attraction
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OUR ENVIRONMENT	demonstrating 3R concept to plastic materials; talking	environment; plastic kinds
A. Plastic Today	about animal problem and solution, talking about plant	and features; 3R concept;
B. Animals	problem and solution	kinds of animals, kinds of
C. Plants		plants
LESSON 13 (117-124)	Talking about pandemic (causes, effects and solutions);	Pandemic; finding out
NEWS and CURRENT NEWS	giving opinions; talking about hoax (prevention and	meanings; medical puzzle
A. Current News	solution)	
B. Hoax		
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A. You Live Here	research; talking about city criminals causes; illustrating	in the city and village;
B. City Criminals	the sorts of criminals	matching your living
		preference; data of city criminals
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