Podcasting

With Marianne Raynaud

Please sit with people you do NOT know.

A digital handout is available on request

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Teamwork
Sharing
“Golden Rule”: 75% Individual STT
Teach Less, Learn More
QualityTime-ESL: The Digital Resource Book (DVD)

Film: “Scenes from an ESL Classroom”

Podcasts: “QualityTime-ESL Podcasts”, “Your English” & “5-Minute TOPs” (On iTunes)
Get to know the person sitting in front of you or behind you

Who are you?

What have you been doing these last years?

Why are you here today?

2 minutes
• **Podcasts**  \( p = \text{portable} \quad OD = \text{on demand} \\
• **iPad**  \( \rightarrow \) copies your computer’s audio & video files

• **YouTube**  \( \rightarrow \) huge video storage center  \\
  easy uploading

• **iTunes**  \( \rightarrow \) software directory  \\
  uploads with xml files
Advantages

• Easy access/directories on platforms
• Browsing or quick download through the iTunes store
• Subscriptions to favorite podcasts
• Variety: accents, elocution, subjects
• Producers: professionals vs. amateurs
• Adaptation with Audacity (MP3)
• Way to encourage student autonomy
iPod Language Lab

Table for Tutorials

Laptop / Server
A look at iTunes
4 ways of accessing podcasts:
1. Type a title or category in the “search window”
Home Page - iTunes Platform

2-> Scroll down from the toolbar to “education”
Home Page - iTunes Platform

3 -> Choose “advanced search”
Choose "explore" at the bottom of the home page.
Use “advanced search” by scrolling and writing in info, i.e. ESL, English, literature, etc.
Advice: Be sure to click on “display all” to get more...
What you get with "ESL podcasts" if you choose "display all". Click on "subscribe" to get links on your computer. Click on icons to get all titles to listen to (streaming) or to download free.
Example of my vocabulary podcasts

“Your English”

Select “levels” in the column “description”
Example of my grammar podcasts “QualityTime-ESL”

Listen in “streaming” without downloading by clicking on the blue arrow or download any episode by clicking on “free”.

QualityTime-ESL - English Drills and Practice

Description du podcast

QualityTime-ESL podcasts are recordings aimed at helping people who have learned the basic grammar and vocabulary but still feel "blocked" when trying to speak English. These podcasts (about 10 minutes long) are designed both for students working on their own and for teachers looking for original drills that focus on essential knowledge of English grammar. They are ideal for international exams and university courses or anyone, who wants to...

Suite
Example of Anita Evans’ podcasts
“Video Language Network”

Listen in “streaming”, download or go directly to her website to get her 5-page worksheets - most podcasts come with transcripts (sometimes a fee to pay)
Anita Evans’ website
"Video Language Network"

Learn English with Our Videos of Real English Conversations

FREE Short Lesson: “Living and Surviving in New York”

Click HERE for the English text.
Anita Evans’ website
“Video Language Network”

Click to download a 5 page worksheet – a whole lesson
Scroll from home page using “iTunesU” to get podcasts from universities worldwide.

Example of “Intensive English” below
My favorite podcasts – TED Talks

Choose by categories or type in the speaker’s name
Example of a TED Talk: Green School

Choose language of subtitles from those offered and also get the “interactive transcript” that drives the film; transcripts can be copied for exercises.
Questions
A Moment of Pride for My New Podcasts

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Ideas for Using Podcasts (1)

LC is essential but time-consuming & challenging (logistics...)

- In class activities led by the teacher
  - Autonomy*
  - Soundtrack first -> video shown after work on script
  - Progressive, step by step with teacher and in PW
  - Assignment -> students listen out of class and in class they do PW with Qs & answers on a key

* Lab or MP3 players
iPod Language Lab

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Ideas for Using Podcasts (2)

- In class activities led by students
  - Presentations as summaries of different podcasts
    - PW or in threes / Rotating (Letter charts)
  - Presentations using part of a podcast to show/play
    - Quiz (Gap-filling, Qs, vocabulary)
  *Check prior to performance!
Ideas for Using Podcasts (3)

- Grammar/vocabulary drills
  - Out of class or in lab without scripts
  - In class PW with scripts to check assimilation
- Vocabulary
  - Lists on worksheets (tick off when recognized)
    - Definitions, antonyms, rhymes, translations
  - Class lists, blogs, portfolios, personal diaries
    - Imitation (TED Talks), parodies, voice-over (demo)
Discussion
(+Brainstorming)
Producing an xlm file for iTunes (1)

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Producing an xlm file for iTunes (2)

Make friends with the school’s computer expert!
Thank you for participating in this workshop!

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# Web Sites I recommend

## Resources
- **breaking news english**
- **esl discussions**
- **esl printables**
- **englishexercises.org**
- **qualitytime-esl**
- **teflclips**
- **video language network**

## LC, study plans, exercises, *Sean Banville*
- Debates in PW
- Worksheets in exchange system
- Select and assign online exercises for self-study
- Oral grammar & vocab drills: “QT-ESL podcasts”, “Your English”, 5-minute TOPs
- Marianne Raynaud
- Lesson plans with YouTube clips by Jamie Keddie
- Video lessons in clear American with Anita Evans

## Technology & Info
- **Teacher training videos**
- **Wordle & Tagul**
- **Photo funia**
- **Burcu Akyol**

## How to... with *Russell Stannard*
- Word clouds & Gorgeous “tag” word clouds
- Insert personal photos in funny contexts
- Links to sites, blogs, news, events, Twitter tips, widgets, ESL celebrities, teacher in Turkey

## Presence of Tech Educators
- **Shelly Terrell**
- **David Kapuler**
- **Heike Philp**
- **Anthony Krese**

## Young tech educator from Texas living in Germany
- Free ebooks on cutting-edge technology
- Virtual Round Table
- Free ebook with Twitter slang
That’s the end of this talk.
Thank you!
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