

# Fipsila



Business & English Competency Development  
Vocational Training

## Session #1 Discussion Engage & Inspire to Stay & Learn

1. Attempt to start off in the learner's native language. Be casual. Ease into the session.
2. Discuss how the sessions will be organized.
  - Sessions per week; length of each session.
  - Email after each session; same day.
  - Add to / create your English "folder"
  - Cancellation policy; 24 hour advance notice
  - Discuss Fipsila Kiosk / Learning method"
3. Have a discussion asking open-ended questions – evaluate their spoken English.
  - How do you spell your name?
  - What is your phone number
  - What is your email address?
  - Where do you live? How long?
  - How old are you? How have you been celebrating your birthdays?
  - Where were you born? When did you leave that place?
  - Tell me about your family: immediate and extended.
  - What are your hobbies? Your chosen vocation(s) – line of work?
  - What other languages do you speak?
  - Where did you learn English?
  - What is the last book you read, film watched, country visited? Vacation taken?
  - What in English do you excel at? What are your challenges that you want to work on?
4. Review Start Level (circle one):      Beginner – Elementary – Lower Intermediate – Intermediate -  
Upper Intermediate – Advanced
5. By the end of these sessions our goal is to advance your level to \_\_\_\_\_. We will do this by increasing the following Competencies as discussed: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Our focus will be on the strategies discussed (Main three in order): \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Schedule next session(s)

Thank you for trusting us at Fipsila to build your English language confidence!

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