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TALK! TALK! TALK!

“TALK! TALK! TALK!” started on May 7th. This year, we have NEW topics which we hope you’ll find exciting! (see the charts below)

If you want to try English conversations, please come to the English Education Center office and sign up for this program. Max 6 people. First come, first served!



Schedule

Mon	Glen	12:50~13:20
Tue	Kristin	14:40~15:10
Wed	Kevin	11:30~12:00
	Sarah	14:45~15:15
Thu	Ashley	15:00~15:30
Fri	Michael	10:30~11:00
	Samuel	14:45~15:15

Information

English Gang

Reading “Little Charo” now!
All students and staff members of the Ehime University are welcome!

Activity schedule:
12:30-13:00 every Friday
at the Student Chat Room
(2nd floor, Aidai Muse)

BOOK CLUB

For students who want to enjoy reading books and talk about them with other people.
More information at the EEC office.

Activity schedule:
12:50-13:50 every Thursday
at the Student Chat Room
(2nd floor, Aidai Muse)

*** Topic Base ***

1. Meeting people for the first time
2. Hometown/ Our favorite places
3. Communication and technology
4. Holiday plans (summer/spring vacation)
5. Future plan, ambitions and dreams
6. Expectations of university /University Life
7. Daily life
8. Culture (Japan and Overseas) and Stereotypes
9. Interesting experiences
10. Current affairs/events (read news article)

NEW TOPICS!

*** Function Base ***

1. Complaining and airing grievances
2. Suggesting and recommending
3. Agreeing and disagreeing
4. Explaining plots and stories (sequences)
5. Preferences
6. Switching tenses
7. Requesting
8. Reported information
9. Turn taking/ keeping and killing conversation/ negotiation
10. Correcting someone

“Yarinaoshi Eigo Juku” is a remedial class for students who want to restart studying English from the basics.

It started on May 22nd in M23. There are 10 classes up to July 24th. A Japanese teacher will help you with your English study. You can ask anything about English in this class.

Many students are currently enjoying this class. Come and get more information at the EEC office!

Yarinaoshi Eigo Juku

schedule



- ☆Date : Tuesdays from May 22nd
- ★Place : M23
- ☆Time : 17:00-18:00
- ★Application : Sign-up at the EEC office

DVD review — White Collar — Sarah Faherty

“White Collar” is an American TV show about the FBI “White Collar Crime Unit” and its members. “White Collar Crime” means crime such as making fake paintings or stealing money from a bank.

Peter Burke is an FBI agent in the White Collar Crime Unit with a good reputation. Neal Caffrey is a criminal who was caught by Peter Burke after a long search. Neal made a deal with the FBI to be released from prison, on the condition that he works with Peter to help catch criminals. They make an interesting team, with very different personalities, but a lot of respect for each other.

Neal’s past as a white collar criminal provides him with an exciting background and interesting friends, Mozzie being the one we see the most of. Mozzie has many special skills, such as forging letters, or jamming cell phones in the area to force people to use a public phone that the FBI can listen to. He’s not happy about working with the FBI, but he would do anything for his best friend, Neal.



Peter is happily married to the very beautiful Elizabeth, and they live with their dog, Satchmo. Peter discusses everything with his wife, and is grateful for her good advice.

“White Collar” is an exciting show with a unique storyline, I really recommend it!



Message from a new foreign lecturer

Kevin Tang - As a Foreign Lecturer



Sup? I'm Kevin Tang, and I come from the Big Apple. That's New York City. I have lived pretty much all my life as a New Yorker. Do you know the five boroughs of NYC? I spent my childhood in Little Italy, near the infamous Five Points in Manhattan before moving to Queens then Brooklyn, then back to Manhattan. The other two boroughs are the Bronx, home of the Yankees, and Staten Island.



Before I came to Japan, I worked in different fields, such as comic book publishing at Marvel Comics, home of Spider-Man and Iron Man—I even got a chance once to walk in NYC's Thanksgiving parade as a balloon handler for the Spider-Man balloon—and in multimedia, developing edutainment titles and applications.

A change in the winds led me to Japan in the summer of 2004 and put me in Aomori prefecture, home of apples and Nebuta. I have even played the drums at the famous Goshogawara Tachineputa with floats towering at 22 meters high!

I'm into sports, playing not watching. While I'm not super good at the sports that I do play, the important thing is trying. I also love spending time riding motorcycles, watching movies, and cooking. Some of my best and most popular dishes are gumbo, goulash, chili, meatloaf, and oxtail. I am also into staying in shape, so I weight train and practice martial arts, such as aikido and escrima.

I am new to Shikoku and Matsuyama, so please tell me some new, exciting things I should try and places I should see. Talk to ya soon!

My life in Japan Ashley Peace

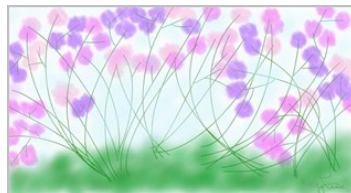
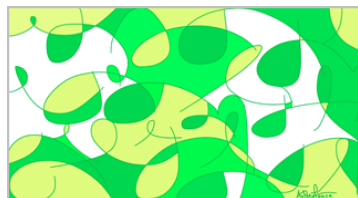
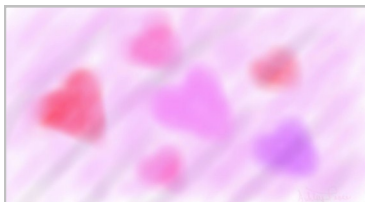


I'm from the U.S.A. but have been living in Japan for four years now. The first place I came to in Japan was Kagoshima. Kagoshima was a nice city with a beautiful view of the Sakurajima volcano and the Kinko Bay area. I studied Japanese language in Kagoshima for one year and taught English there for two years.

I came to Matsuyama in 2011 and started teaching English at Ehime University. I think Matsuyama is a great city with many interesting areas like Matsuyama castle and Dogo Park. I also like the many shrines and temples in Matsuyama. I hope to do the Shikoku 88 temple pilgrimage someday.

My hobbies are writing poetry and making computer art. I like jazz, rock, pop, hip-hop, and classical music. My favorite movies are action, adventure, and science fiction. I also love green tea. I have a lot of fun drinking green tea and eating snacks together with my friends.

I really enjoy helping people, especially my students. If you have any questions you'd like to ask me or just want to chat for a few minutes, please come see me in my office anytime!



**New Director
of the EEC**

Satoshi Yamauchi



I was born in Fukuoka in 1963. I have lived in Matsuyama and worked for Faculty of Agriculture of Ehime University since 1992. My specialty is organic chemistry. I was appointed to be Director of the English Education Center this April.

My responsibility is mainly to encourage and support the members of the EEC to develop the quality of English Education Program. We provide attractive and effective English programs for students. I hope that students enjoy studying English and join the variety of English activities that we offer.



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