Expressive Communication and Conversation Skills, Lesson 3



Arturo



Listens Without Interrupting (ECC.7) and Asks a Question About a Topic (ECC.5)

Academic & Social Conversation Scenarios

ACADEMIC

1. Matt: *Sitting at his desk in math class*

Sam: "Hey Matt, did you get the answer to number 12 on last night's homework?"

Matt: "No, I can't figure it out."

Sam: "Hmm maybe we could ask Tyrone? I know he's really good at algebra."

Justice: "I heard you guys talking about the homework from last night, I came up with the answer. I can share how, if you want?"

2. **Duke:** "I think art is my favorite elective. I really want to take Art 2 next semester."

Sampson: "I really liked my FACS class last semester."

Arturo: "That's cool. I think I like FACS more than art. I need to think about my schedule for next

semester."

Duke: "Yeah I just met with Mrs. Martin to pick out my classes."

Arturo: "That's a good idea. I'm going to fill out a meeting request form to meet with her too."

Sampson: "I think I will do that too."

3. **William:** *Standing by the pencil sharpener in the classroom*

Laurence: "Excuse me, can I sharpen my pencil after you?"

William: *Doesn't hear Laurence*

Matt: *Taps William on the shoulder*

William: "That's my bad, I don't need to sharpen my pencil. I was just standing here."

Laurence: "Oh gotcha! No worries. Thanks for the help, Matt."

4. **Justice:** *Turns to peer* "Did you hear what Ms. Jones said about late assignments this week?"

Anderson: "I wasn't paying attention, I was thinking about all of the work I need to do before I get to Mr.

Unruh's history class."

Justice: "Wait! I see she wrote it on the board." *Points to board

Anderson: "Good eye, I didn't even notice that."

Quentin: "Thanks for pointing that out, I didn't know the new rule either. Do either of you know if Mr.

Unruh is here today?"



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ACADEMIC Continued

5. Alexis: "Hey Scott, I like those new mechanical pencils you got from the school supply table."

Scott: "Hey thanks, you should try one. The lead never breaks even though I push kinda hard when I write"

Alexis: "That's good to know. When they have the school supply sale in the 7th grade hall again I'm going

to look for them."

Rayessa: "Have you guys tried the erasable pens from there?"

Alexis: "No, not yet"

Scott: "Me either. I heard the next sale won't be until next semester. But I have a few of the pencils,

Alexis-do you want to borrow one?"

Alexis: "Sure! Thanks, that was really nice of you. Rayessa remind me to look for the erasable pens when

they have the sale again"

SOCIAL

1. Sam: *Walking to cafeteria & see's Matt "What's going on?"

Matt: "Oh not much, waiting on the a la carte line to open."

Sam: "I saw today's lunch was hot dogs; figured you wouldn't want to eat those."

Matt: "No way, I'm not a fan."

Jermario: "Speaking of fans, did you see how many new followers...Matt did you see how many new

followers your favorite YouTuber got last night?"

Matt: "No, I don't have my phone or laptop. Still grounded..."

Jermario: "I'm sorry, you can check it out on mine right now." *Shows Matt his phone*

Sam: *Looks at phone too* "I see he did a big giveaway and he got almost 5,000 new subscribers."

Matt: "That's cool, maybe when I get my phone back we can work on our channel we have been wanting

to start?"

Sam: "For sure!"

Jermario: "That sounds cool."

2. **Phoebe:** *Running at a track meet*

Miles & Abigail: *Sitting on side of track, waiting for their next relay*

Miles: "Come on Phoebe!"
Abigail: "You got this!"
Miles: "She is so fast."

Jada: *Walks up to Miles & Abigail* "Wow! Phoebe is really good at the 400."

Miles: "We were just saying that."

Abigail: "I wonder if she has tried the 800?"

Jada: "I bet she would be good, maybe you should ask her if she's thought about it?"

3. **Jackson:** "How are you today?"

Tommie: "Well I was good, until I realized the 8th grade vending machine is out of blue gatorade."

Steven: "Hey I think the vending machine in the 7th grade hall still has some."

Tommie: "Nice, I will check next passing period, thanks!"

Jackson: "Good to know, thanks Steven."



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4. **Koby:** "So I heard you're moving to a different school?"

Alaina: "I don't know how that rumor got started, but I've heard that too. Not true though."

Koby: "Oh good, I got kinda sad that you didn't tell me."

Kennedy: "You're not moving? Thank goodness!"

Alaina: "Wow news sure travel fast around here!"

5. **Travis:** "Okay, I will meet you outside of the 7th grade exit door at 3:30."

Tyson: "Sounds like a plan."

Silas: "Are you guys going to the 9th grade scrimmage today?"

Travis & Tyson: "Yes"

Silas: "Cool, I wanted to go."

Travis: "Wanna go with? We are meeting at 3:30."

Tyson: "At the 7th grade exit door."

Silas: "Yeah, see you then"

Self-Monitoring Sheet

DIRECTIONS: Directions: At the end of each class period fill out the self-monitoring sheet. At the end of the day take the self-monitoring sheet to Ms. Jones to go over it & get a reward if I met my goals for the day.

Name: Date:

My Ultimate Goal: Talk with people & keep my friends.

My Daily Goals:

- Get my work done in classes, with no more than 1 assignment to do during study hall
 - 1st period
 - · 2nd period
 - 3rd period
 - 4th period
 - 5th period
 - 6th period
- · Had a Conversation with a Peer
 - Conversation Topic:
 - Conversation Setting:
- Waited my turn to talk (no interrupting)
- · Asked a Question
 - Question I Asked:

Total:



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Picture Conversation Question Prompt Cards

Academic



Social



Have you watched ______ 3



Can we compare answers?



Do you have any plans ______



Ask a peer for help, "Hey, can you help me?"



What is your favorite _____?

