## Semester 1, 2025 Staff enhancement – Tier 1

Tier 1 staff English enhancement workshops are designed for advanced beginner /lower-intermediate level and are designed to help staff members build confidence with their language skills when interacting with foreign students and visitors.

### 1. 10/15/2025

# This Might Be Awkward! Making Small Talk with International Students and Visitors

**Objective:** To build confidence in starting and maintaining casual conversations in English, helping staff to become more comfortable in multilingual/cultural interactions.

**Overview:** This week we will cover common small talk topics, such as greetings, introductions, hobbies, and weekend plans. Participants will practice conversation starters, appropriate responses, and strategies for keeping a conversation going.

## 2. 10/22/2025

## **Celebrating Taiwan's Festivals and Holidays**

**Objective:** To help participants confidently speak about Taiwan festival and holidays with international students and visitors

**Overview:** This lesson will focus on using descriptive language to share about Taiwan's festivals and holidays. Participants will practice describing holidays and answering follow-up questions in natural conversation.

## 3.10/29/2025

#### **Ready for Takeoff: Travel English**

**Objective:** To equip participants with practical English language skills that can be applied in common travel situations, enabling them to listen, understand, and communicate more confidently in real-world travel contexts.

**Overview:** This workshop offers staff the opportunity to strengthen their English communication skills in authentic travel contexts. Through engaging activities such as listening practice with real airport announcements, a lively vocabulary game, and roleplay of common travel situations, participants will be better equipped to navigate international travel.

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初階英語增能工作坊專為具 初級至初中級程度 英文能力的行政職員設計,目標協助行政職員在與國際學生及外籍訪客互動時,更有自信運用英語溝通。

## 2. 10/15/2025

這可能有點尷尬!與國際學生和訪賓進行的初步對話

# 目標 (Objective):

培養職員在日常英語寒暄中開口與持續對話的自信,並提升在多語、多文化情境下的互動舒適度。

#### 課程概述 (Overview):

本課程將涵蓋常見的(對話)寒暄主題,如問候、介紹、興趣嗜好與週末計畫。學員將練習如何開啟對話、給予適切回應,以及維持談話的策略。

## 2. 10/22/2025

#### 臺灣No.1!! 認識台灣的節慶與假日

# 目標 (Objective):

協助參與者能夠自信地與國際學生及訪客介紹台灣的節慶與假日。

#### 課程概述 (Overview):

課程將著重於如何運用生動描述的語言來分享台灣節慶。學員將透過練習,習得自然地描述節日特色並回答延伸問題的技巧。

#### 3. 10/29/2025

#### 現在我們準備起飛!旅遊英語一把抓

# 目標 (Objective):

提供實用的旅遊英語能力,幫助學員在常見的旅遊情境中能更有效地聽、懂與說,增進實際應用的信心。

#### 課程概述 (Overview):

本次工作坊將透過真實化情境活動,包括機場廣播聽力練習、生動的詞彙遊戲,以及旅遊情境角色扮演,協助參與者強化英語溝通能力,提升面對國際旅遊的應對能力。