

Pack1 Module1

Choose the best response.

1. How can I access my account?
2. When will you have time to finish the report?
3. Why was the history class canceled?
4. Would you like to try the appetizer special?
5. Have you made progress on the report?
6. When is the deadline for the project?
7. How do I extend my hotel reservation?
8. How can I update my user profile?

Conversation1

Listen to a conversation. Hey, did you end up making it to Janet's concert last night? I was planning to go, but I got completely sidetracked helping my cousin move into her new apartment. It took way longer than expected. That's too bad. It was incredible. She added a saxophonist to her band. You would have loved it. Oh, I knew I was missing something special. I hope she'll play again soon. I think she'll be at the spring festival in a couple weeks, so don't make any other plan

Conversation2

Listen to a conversation are you still planning to go to the exercise class this evening? Yes, I am, but I realized my old MAT is completely worn out. I'll need to pick up a new one before I go. There's a sporting goods store just a few blocks from the studio. Perfect. I'll stop by on my way. Hopefully they have a decent selection. Well, if not, the studio has plenty you can borrow. That's what I always do. See you there!

Announcement1

Listen to an announcement at a university event attention everyone! We are thrilled to announce that the university's annual charity auction will be held next Saturday at six PM in the main hall. All proceeds will go to local charities. We hope to see you there and appreciate your support!

Announcement2

Listen to an announcement at a university club meeting. Welcome everyone! Just a reminder that our club's annual hiking trip will be this Saturday. Will meet at eight AM at the student center and head out to the trails together. Make sure to bring water, snacks and comfortable shoes

Lecture1

Listen to a talk in a sociology class. Cultural relativism is the idea that a person's beliefs and activities should be understood based on that person's own culture, rather than be judged against the criteria of another culture. This concept contrasts with ethnocentrism, which is the practice of evaluating other cultures according to the standards of one's own culture. Cultural relativism encourages us to view cultural

practices in their own context. For example, while arranged marriages may seem outdated to some, they are a norm in many cultures and often serve important social functions. Practicing cultural relativism allows sociologists and anthropologists to gain a deeper understanding of how cultural practices shape societies. However, cultural relativism is not without its challenges. Critics argue that it can lead to moral relativism, where all cultural practices are seen as equally valid, potentially excusing practices that violate human rights. Balancing respect for cultural diversity with the recognition of universal human rights is a complex issue. Next, we will explore case studies that illustrate the principles of cultural relativism and its application in cross cultural research

Module2

Choose the best response.

1. Can you help me with this assignment?
2. Who is coming to the meeting?
3. Where is the nearest subway station?

Conversation1

Listen to a conversation. are you interested in going to the book fair this Saturday? Absolutely! I love discovering new authors. What time does it start? It starts at 10 AM and goes until four PM. There will be author readings and book signings. Sounds perfect! I'll bring my list of favorite authors. Great! Let's meet up at the entrance at 10

Conversation2

Listen to a conversation are you going to the craft fair this weekend? Yes, I love looking at handmade items and unique crafts. Me too! I'm hoping to find some nice gifts for my family that's a good idea. I've heard there will be a lot of local artists there. Great! Let's meet up there around 10 AM

Lecture1 听力原文:

Listen to a talk on a science podcast. Today's topic is the intriguing behavior of honeybees and their communication methods within the hive. Honeybees are known for their complex social structure and efficiency in gathering resources. One of the most fascinating aspects of their behavior is the waggle dance. This dance is used by worker bees to convey information about the location of food sources to other members of the hive. When a bee discovers a rich source of nectar, it returns to the hive and performs the waggle dance on the vertical surface of the honeycomb. The dance involves a figure eight movement and a waggle phase during which the bee vibrates its body. The duration and angle of the waggle phase relative to the hive's vertical axis communicate the distance and direction of the food source. The waggle dance is a remarkable example of symbolic communication in insects. It allows the hive to efficiently gather food and is crucial for the colony's survival. Understanding

the waggle dance has also provided insights into how bees navigate and the importance of environmental cues in their foraging behavior. However, studies have shown that environmental factors like the presence of pesticides can disrupt these communication methods, leading to less efficient foraging and potentially threatening the colony's health. The study of honeybee communication underscores the delicate balance of natural ecosystems, and highlights the impact of human activities on these intricate systems

Lecture2 听力原文:

Listen to a talk in a music class you are probably all familiar with jazz music. Its history begins in the southern United States. It originated in the early 20th century in the city of new Orleans, blending elements of different kinds of music like African rhythms, blues and ragtime. One of the key characteristics of jazz is its emphasis on improvisation. Musicians often create spontaneous melodies and harmonies, making each performance unique. This contrast with classical music, where compositions are typically played as written. Jazz musicians also use syncopation, which involves shifting the normal accents in the rhythm to create an unexpected and exciting sound. In the 1920s, jazz became widely popular and moved north to cities like Chicago and New York city during the jazz age. As this period became known, famous jazz musicians like Louis Armstrong became household names and jazz clubs flourished as social hubs. Over time, jazz continued to evolve, in part by incorporating elements from other musical traditions and cultures. Today, it remains a vibrant and influential genre, celebrated for its creativity and expressive power. Next, we will look at the impact of jazz on other musical genres and how it has shaped contemporary music.