Syllabus of Foreign Languages and Culture (summer 2014)

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英美大众文化 (US and British Pop Culture)

特殊用途英语 (English for Special Purposes--Business English)

英语电影欣赏 (English Movie Appreciation)

	Date	Business	Culture	Movie
1	6/23-24	Quizzes, Introduction, Unit 2	Quiz & Introduction; How to study-A	Quiz; Paulie
2	6/25-26	Unit 5 & 7	How to study-B; intro to US university	Paulie
3	6/30-1	Unit 7 & 8	Uncle Sam & other symbols	Narnia (Lion, Witch, Wardrobe)
4	7/2-3	Unit 9	Student presentations and more	Narnia
5	7/7-8	Unit 13 & 14	Leisure chapter	Quiz; cartoons
6	7/9-10	Unit 14 & 15	Leisure chapter	Rudy
7	7/14-15	Unit 18 & 19	Ivy League & Public Colleges	Rudy
8	7/16-17	Unit 19 & 21	Exam	Groundhog Day
9	7/21-22	Unit 21 & 22	Bend it Like Beckham-A	Groundhog Day
10	7/23-24	Exam	Beckham-B	Exam
	How your grade will be determined (subject to change)	Quiz & HW & Daily-15% attendance-10% exam-75%	Quiz, Poster presentation & Daily- 15% attendance-10% exam-75%	Quizzes & HW & Daily- 15% attendance-10% exam-75%

Classes start Jun 23; end Jul23&24

There will not be much written homework, but I expect students to do book homework and other assignments well.

The movie class will use my EFL Movie Study Guides at www.EFLsuccess.com (and www.krigline.com.cn/movies.htm); I expect students to have access to these DURING class (on phones, etc.)

Absence: I cannot teach students who are not present, so EVERY absence can affect your grade (no matter what reason, "excused" or not excused). You do not have to "ask for leave" or give me any "papers" to explain your absense. If you are not there, you will be marked "absent". IF YOU ARRIVE LATE, it is up to YOU to tell me why during the break (and be sure I change you from "absent" to "late").

I EXPECT all students to have read and understand the instructions posted at http://eflsuccess.com/welcome/