EACHER'S BOOK

BOOST ENGLISH 2 TEACHER'S BOOK

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* SYLLABUS

	LESSON	LESSON OBJECTIVE	GRAMMAR FOCUS
UNIT 1 The Weekend	1	Students will learn how to express feelings.	• Information question with how
	2	Students will become more familiar with expressing likes and dislikes.	• Verb: do
	3	Students will learn the names of animals and how to describe them.	Adjectives of appearanceDemonstrative pronouns: this/that
	4	Students will learn the names of various activities and how to describe ability.	 Modal auxiliary verb: can Verbs and verb phrases
UNIT 2 My Things	1	Students will learn to discuss things from nature and toys.	Demonstrative pronouns: this, thatFrom
	2	Students will learn various stationery items and discuss ownership of them.	 Possessive adjectives: my, your, his, her, its, our, their Possessive pronouns: mine, yours, his, hers, its, ours, theirs
	3	Students will discuss clothing items, accessories, and other items.	Demonstrative pronouns: these, thoseSingular and plural nouns
	4	Students will learn how to identify household items and talk about where they are.	• Prepositions of place: in, on, under, behind
UNIT 3 With Friends	1	Students will learn to discuss meals and various kinds of foods.	Suggestions: Let'sAdverb: tooQuantifiers: all, some
	2	Students will learn to describe their favorite weather and seasons.	 Categories: seasons, animals, flowers, colors
	3	Students will learn to discuss free time.	• Simple present tense verbs
	4	Students will learn to identify certain animals and ask and answer questions about how many there are.	 Information questions with how many Be verbs: is, are

FUNCTIONS	TARGET LANGUAGE
 Greetings Asking and answering questions about emotions and feelings	good, bad, fine, not so good, terrific, great, OK, basketball, soccer, ballet, baseball, tennis
 Asking and answering questions about likes and dislikes 	cake, chocolate, ice cream, chicken, rice, fish, pizza, candy, tea, egg, soup, salad, camping, hiking, fishing
Discussing animalsDescribing the appearance of things	zebra, monkey, lion, frog, rabbit, spider, horse, turtle, butterfly, elephant, big, small, cute, fast, slow, old, young, pet, zoo
 Asking and answering questions about abilities 	read, swim, juggle, sing, dance, ride, laugh, play the guitar, run fast, jump high, walk on one's hands, pool, clown
 Identifying objects and their origins 	seashell, sea, beach, tail, wing, helmet, robot, string, yo-yo, tail, toy horse, mask, costume, roof, doll house, lid, paint set
 Asking and answering questions about ownership Asking and answering questions about singular items 	laptop, pencil sharpener, glue, stapler, stereo, CD, pencil case, smartphone, MP3 player, computer, camera, TV
 Asking and answering questions about ownership Asking and answering questions about items 	socks, shoes, glasses, sandals, scissors, mittens, boots, gloves, pants, sweater, shorts, dress
Describing placesAsking and answering questions about where things are	key, bathroom, cap, watch, comb, brush, hair band, toothbrush, earrings, towel, cup, sink, drawer, shelf, door, bed, bedroom, bathroom, in, under, on, behind
Asking and answering questions about feelingsMaking suggestions	pizza, chips, burger, Coke, French fries, grapes, cookie, lemonade, hungry, thirsty, breakfast, lunch, dinner, snack
 Expressing opinions Describing seasons	sunshine, leaves, bug, snow, rain, flower, rose, animal, monkey, dog, season, winter, spring, fall, summer
 Asking and answering questions about habits and routines Describing places 	paint pictures, watch TV, do one's homework, play basketball, play baseball, go to the library, play computer games, go jogging, read books, draw pictures, listen to music, practice the piano, play the guitar
 Understanding and using cardinal numbers 11-15 Giving precise information 	eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, crab, whale, shark, dolphin, jellyfish, seahorse, owl, mice, snake, bat, panther
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SERIES COMPONENTS

Boost English is a six-level children's English curriculum designed to engage young learners and facilitate their language acquisition through lessons that tap into the multiple learning-styles of the class. Each unit in Boost English moves students through thematically structured units focusing on basic vocabulary study, listening practice, speaking and pronunciation, reading, writing, games, and songs.

For the Student

Student Book



The Student Book serves as the core component of the Boost English series. Each book contains level-appropriate language targets, activities, stories, and songs. There are three units per book, each containing four lessons linked to the unit's theme. Skill and activity headings subdivide each lesson so that lessons can be easily adapted to suit a variety of course structures.

For the Student

Workbook



The Workbook parallels the structure of the Student Book, providing additional practice and reinforcement of each lesson's language targets. Six pages of workbook activities correspond to each lesson in the Student Book. Suitable for either in-class use or as a homework supplement, the Workbook provides useful practice to enhance the development of students' English language skills.

For the Teacher

Teacher's Book



The Teacher's Book includes teaching strategies and supplemental activity ideas to accompany each section of the lesson presented in the Student Book. Step-by-step instructions guide teachers through each section with warm-up or introduction ideas, activity organization, and optional follow-up tips. Explanations are also accompanied by full-color pictures of the Student Book pages to help teachers see how activity instructions and tips relate to what the students see in their own books during the lesson.

HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

BOOST ENGLISH CHARACTERS



Amy is fun and outgoing. She likes to go to the mall and talk to her friends on the phone.



Max is energetic and kind. He likes to listen to music and skateboard. He also likes to hang out with his older brother, Cody.



Eric is smart and easygoing. He enjoys science, photography, and taekwondo. Some of his family lives in China!



Rachel is talkative and athletic. She likes to go to the park and spend time outdoors. She also likes to play the piano.



Jeff is funny and adventurous. He likes to tell jokes and water ski. He also likes to watch scary movies.



Katie is friendly and nice. She likes to sing and dance. Her parents are from France, and she speaks French.

These six children are the main characters of the book. They are all friends, and they go to the same school. They help teach students the target language and conversational expressions.



Ms. Lindsey and **Mr. Wesley** appear in various activities. They ask students questions about themselves.



Mr. Kitty appears in the **LISTENING**. He helps draw attention to important parts of conversations.

ACTIVITY GUIDE

The WARM-UP activity introduces the key language and expressions taught in the lesson. Look at the picture with students and see if they can identify the different characters and objects. Help students discover words they don't know. Then, listen to the audio recording.



In the opening activity, students listen to and repeat the key language and expressions extracted from the dialog they will hear later.

The follow-up activity is a dialog. Listen to the audio and look at the picture with students. Find the speakers.

The **SONG** activity helps students retain key vocabulary and expressions. The songs are set to familiar tunes and feature colorful illustrations. Downloadable MP3 audio recordings and animated videos bring the songs to life. Many of the songs can be personalized with students' own information. Lyrics are provided at the back of the book.



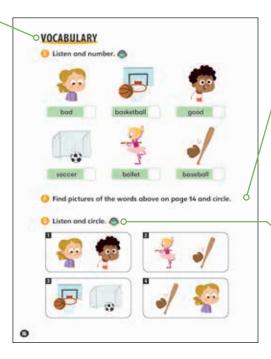
Audio and video can be played on mobile devices by scanning the QR codes (internet required). Files are also available for free download at compasspub.com.

The LANGUAGE activity focuses on the target language structure. Listen to the audio and number. Then, repeat the conversation aloud and have students follow along. Next, practice the conversation again with students' books closed. Finally, students should open their books and listen and repeat again. This time, they should follow along with the text.

Function boxes are used to help students analyze and use the key language of the lesson. Have students focus on listening and repeating the examples to acquire the language naturally through trial and error over the course of the unit.



The **VOCABULARY** activity introduces the key vocabulary of the lesson. Explore the illustrations with the students and check which words they do and do not know. Listen to the audio recording and number the pictures accordingly.



The follow-up activity tests students' memory retention. Go to the WARM-UP picture and ask students to find the objects taught in the VOCABULARY activity.

This follow-up activity checks students' comprehension of the vocabulary words and tests students' ability to recognize the words with various activities.

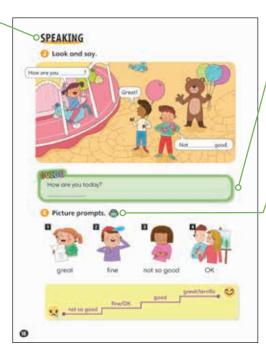
The **LISTENING** activity shows the target language being used in an everyday situation and features the main characters. Listen to the audio and number. Then, repeat the conversation aloud and have students follow along. Next, practice the conversation again with students' books closed. Finally, students should open their books and listen and repeat again. This time, they should follow along with the text.



The follow-up activity checks students' comprehension of the conversation with various activities meant to retain student engagement.



The **SPEAKING** activity presents the target language together with the key vocabulary. Look at the picture and talk about it. Identify the things and children in the picture. Next, try to work out what they are saying.

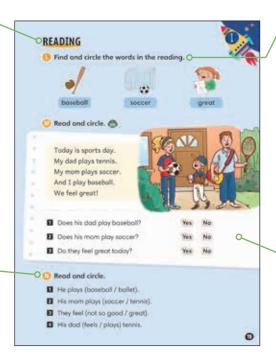


The guide focuses on the target language. Students can refer to the guide and use it to talk about themselves. They can also use puppets or toy animals for role playing.

Look at the picture prompts and have students work out what to say. Then, listen to the audio recording while looking at the pictures. Finally, pair students together to practice and present their dialogs to the class.

The **READING** activity uses some of the target vocabulary and language in a fun, new context. An audio recording is available, so the passage can be used for a variety of approaches to reading instruction, including follow-along and listen-and-repeat. Students can also use the passage as a model to talk or write about themselves or the world around them.

The final **READING** activity presents an additional comprehension task in various formats.



A brief warm-up activity is used to reinforce the vocabulary before students read the passage.

Each reading passage is followed by a comprehension activity. The comprehension activity varies from lesson to lesson.

The **WRITING** activity develops handwriting and spelling, and reinforces students' learning of the target language and vocabulary. The activity varies from lesson to lesson.

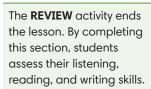
ACTIVITY 1 is a classroom game or group project. The activities allow students to move around and interact with one another. It is a fun way for students to practice and consolidate their language learning.

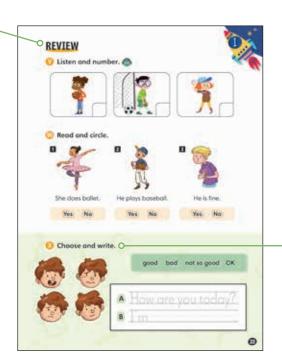


ACTIVITY 2 is a more personalized activity. Students should first work on their own before presenting and sharing their work with their classmates.



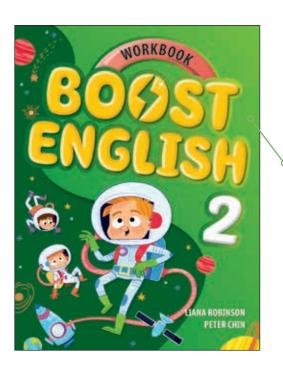






In this activity, students use what they have learned throughout the lesson to complete a writing task that gives students a greater degree of freedom.

WORKBOOK



The Workbook parallels the structure of the Student Book, and provides additional practice of the target language from each lesson. Every Student Book lesson has a corresponding six-page workbook lesson filled with activities. Students can utilize the content in the Workbooks either in class or as a homework supplement.

• SAMPLE LESSON PLANS

There are many ways that teachers can use lessons from Boost English in the classroom. Depending on a course's weekly schedule and daily time allotment, teachers can pace the students' work through each lesson to best suit the general skill level and needs of the students. The following lesson plans are suggestions for general approaches to pacing lessons from this series.

One Lesson per Class Meeting

55 minutes per lesson / 11 hours total per level

	Activity	Time
Warm-Up	Preview picture, listen and repeat, warm-up activity	5 min
Song	Preview picture, listen, watch the video, and sing along	5 min
Language	Oral practice as a whole class followed by pair work	5 min
Vocabulary	Preview pictures, listen, read aloud, complete follow-up activity	5 min
Listening	Preview story, listen, read aloud, complete follow-up activity	5 min
Speaking	Preview picture, listen, oral practice as pair work	5 min
Reading	Preview picture, listen and read along, read aloud, complete comprehension questions	5 min
Writing	Complete writing activity	5 min
Activity 1&2	Play a classroom game or do a group project and complete the personalized activity	10 min
Review	Review of the lesson's target language structure	5 min