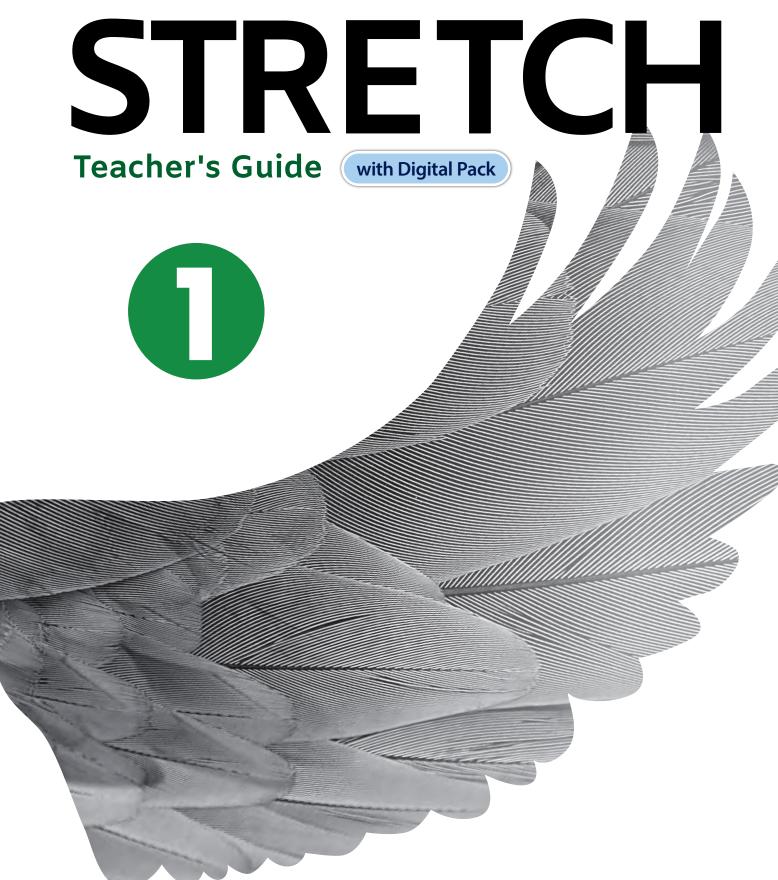
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Scope and Sequence

UNIT	VOCABULARY AND LISTENING	SPEAKING	GRAMMAR
Daily activities Pages 2–7	make breakfast, go for a walk, attend class, etc. Listening Listening for specific information Intercultural competence Common breakfast foods	Meeting someone new Pronunciation Intonation in Yes/No questions Communication Asking follow-up questions Useful language Are you in college?	Yes/No questions in the simple present
Work and study Pages 8–13	chef, dentist, hair stylist, etc. Listening Listening for main ideas (1) Intercultural competence Working from home	Talking about life after graduation Pronunciation Reduction of <i>do you</i> Communication Showing interest Useful language Oh, really?	Wh- questions in the simple present
At the moment Pages 14–19	go to college, live at home, move, etc. Listening Understanding who is speaking Intercultural competence Studying a foreign language	Catching up with old friends Pronunciation Stressed syllables (1) Communication Adding information Useful language I'm learning a lot about	Present continuous questions
Review 1 Units 1–3 Pages 20–21	Vocabulary and Grammar Reading: <i>Side hustles</i>		
Feelings Pages 22–27	excited, angry, bored, etc. Listening Listening for a speaker's attitude Intercultural competence How happy are we?	Making plans Pronunciation want to Communication Explaining your reasons Useful language Sorry, I can't.	Subject and object pronouns
On the weekend Pages 28–33	get together with friends, watch videos online, play sports, etc. Listening Listening for main ideas (2) Intercultural competence Weekend activities in the U.S.	Past weekend activities Pronunciation did you Communication Taking turns in a conversation Useful language How about you?	Simple past
Places around town Pages 34–39	library, park, hotel, etc. Listening Guessing setting from context Intercultural competence Cost of going to the movies	Asking for directions Pronunciation Linking Communication Repeating for understanding Useful language Go two blocks?	Prepositions of place
Review 2 Units 4–6 Pages 40–41	Vocabulary and Grammar Reading: Superhero movies		

READING AND SPEAKING	PRESENTING	VIDEO AND GLOBAL SKILLS	WRITING
Take a tech break! Reading Finding information Collaboration Sharing information	My ideal day Presenting Introducing your presentation Useful language My presentation is about		Your lifestyle Writing Brainstorming
Jesse Heiman Reading Predicting Critical thinking Identifying reasons		Ruaridh's vlog: A day in the life of a surf coach Understanding video Using Wh- questions Critical thinking Identifying fact or opinion Digital literacies Using photos to describe your day	Your dream job Writing Describing details
Working your way through college Reading Using context clues (1) Collaboration Coming up with ideas together (1)	An event in my city or school Presenting Looking at the camera Collaboration Giving positive feedback		Language learning Writing Discussing before writing (1)
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Feeling fine? Reading Understanding no information questions Critical thinking Identifying emotions		Vivek's vlog: Young carer Understanding video Noticing time expressions Intercultural competence Caring for aging relatives Digital literacies Researching online	Your opinion about social media Writing Freewriting
World Leisure Day Reading Previewing Collaboration Making decisions together	A favorite weekend activity Presenting Using notes well Collaboration Giving constructive feedback		Your perfect weekend Writing Writing from notes
Walkable neighborhoods Reading Recognizing examples Critical thinking Asking questions		Erika's vlog: Where I go in the week Understanding video Pausing and rewinding for confirmation Intercultural competence Popular activities in Australia Digital literacies Making a local tour video	Your neighborhood Writing Making an idea map

UNIT	VOCABULARY AND LISTENING	SPEAKING	GRAMMAR
People we admire Pages 42–47	movie director, queen, actor, etc. Listening Listening for dates Intercultural competence Famous around the world	A class you missed Pronunciation was Communication Asking for examples Useful language Such as?	Simple past of <i>be</i>
At the supermarket Pages 48–53	juice, tofu, milk, etc. Listening Listening for key words (1) Intercultural competence Vegetarians	Ingredients for dinner Pronunciation Stressed syllables (2) Communication Showing you are thinking Useful language Good question	Count and noncount nouns
Health problems Pages 54–59	a headache, a stomachache, a backache, etc. Listening Listening for key words (2) Intercultural competence Celsius and Fahrenheit	Helping a sick friend Pronunciation should and shouldn't Communication Showing sympathy Useful language Oh, no!	Should for advice
Review 3 Units 7–9 Pages 60–61	Vocabulary and Grammar Reading: <i>Lab-grown meat</i>		
Clothes and colors Pages 62–67	a blue dress, yellow sneakers, a brown jacket, etc. Listening Listening for reasons Intercultural competence Traditional clothes around the world	Shopping for shoes Pronunciation Intonation in Whquestions Communication Asking for opinions Useful language Which one(s) do you like?	Comparative adjectives
Music Pages 68–73	classical, hip-hop, pop, etc. Listening Listening for opinions Intercultural competence Music from around the world	Making plans Pronunciation Stress in sentences Communication Accepting and declining invitations Useful language I'd love to!	Invitations and suggestions
Travel plans Pages 74–79	go backpacking, take a guided tour, go skiing, etc. Listening Understanding plans Intercultural competence Sustainable tourism	Travel plans Pronunciation going to Communication Showing enthusiasm Useful language How exciting!	Future plans with <i>be going to</i> and <i>might</i>
Review 4 Units 10–12 Pages 80–81	Vocabulary and Grammar Reading: From catwalk to closet		

GRAMMAR REFERENCE

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GRAMMAR TALK

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READING AND SPEAKING	PRESENTING	VIDEO AND GLOBAL SKILLS	WRITING
Lee Hyo-jae: a leader in women's rights Reading Understanding pronoun references Collaboration Sharing opinions	A person I admire Presenting Adding visuals for interest Useful language Here is a photo of		A famous person you admire Writing Organizing your ideas
The future of farming? Reading Using visuals Critical thinking Gathering information		Maiku's vlog: Reusing to help the environment Understanding video Taking notes Critical thinking Identifying persuasive devices Digital literacies Providing facts to be persuasive	What kind of shopper are you? Writing Writing a topic sentence
How to get a good night's sleep Reading Inferring Collaboration Making suggestions	It's good for you! Presenting Using gestures Collaboration Getting input on ideas		Health advice Writing Discussing before writing (2)
Are you really going to wear that?! Reading Skimming Critical thinking Applying rules		Justin's vlog: Bionic Boots Understanding video Noticing adjectives Critical thinking Identifying pros and cons Digital literacies Making flashcards	Online or in person? Writing Making a T-chart
J-pop Reading Scanning Collaboration Reaching agreement	Music in my life Presenting Concluding your presentation Useful language In conclusion,		Your favorite musician Writing Describing someone's life
Why study abroad? Reading Using context clues (2) Collaboration Coming up with ideas together (2)		Nadiya's vlog: Tasty travels Understanding video Connecting with the topic Intercultural competence Traveling by rickshaw Digital literacies Creating a vox pop intervew	Your summer plans Writing Editing and revising

WORD LIST

WRITING

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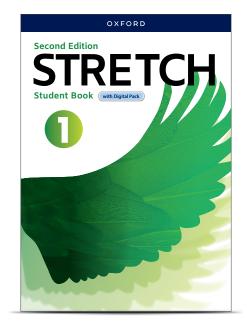
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Print components

FOR STUDENTS

Student Book

- 12 topic-based units including global skills
- 6 Presenting Skills and Presenting Practice lessons including model presentation videos
- 6 Understanding Video and Video and Global Skills lessons including documentaries and social media videos
- 4 Review lessons
- 12 Grammar Talk pages
- 6 Writing practice pages
- Grammar Reference section with extra practice



FOR TEACHERS

Teacher's Guide

- An overview of the course and its methodology
- Teaching notes for the Student Book
- Support for teaching presenting skills and global skills
- Extra activities for stronger and weaker students
- · Answer keys
- Audio and video scripts



Digital components

on Oxford English Hub

The digital materials and resources for this course can all be found at oxfordenglishhub.com.

FOR STUDENTS

Student e-book

A digital version of the Student Book with audio and video

Student Online Practice

 Extra interactive practice of speaking, listening, reading, grammar, vocabulary, presenting, understanding video, and global skills

Student resources

• Course audio and video



FOR TEACHERS

Teacher's Guide

PDF version

Classroom Presentation Tool

- Student Book on screen with interactive activities
- Audio and answer keys
- 12 videos including model presentations, documentaries, and social media videos

Course assessment

• Unit tests, mid-term test, and end-of-year test

Teacher resources

- Student feedback worksheet for presenting skills
- 6 guidance sheets to support presenting skills and video creation
- 12 grammar and vocabulary worksheets
- 12 grammar PowerPoint™ presentations

Professional Development

 Methodology support, bite-size training, and more to maximize your teaching

Introducing Stretch Second Edition

Stretch is a four-level, outcome-based, skill-driven series. In addition to explicit instruction in listening, speaking, reading, and writing, *Stretch Second Edition* teaches presenting skills, global skills, and skills for understanding video. The skills presented and practiced—in print and online—prepare students for success in academic and professional life. *Stretch Second Edition* offers you and your students:

- a carefully levelled and consistent grammar syllabus
- a strong vocabulary focus with vocabulary aligned to the CEER
- clear skills development with strategies in the four skills
- speaking lessons with carefully staged activities to build students' confidence through model dialogues, useful language, and the development of pronunciation and communication skills
- online and face-to-face presentation tasks supported by skills development and model presentation videos
- documentaries and social media videos from around the globe, accompanied by activities to help students develop their video comprehension skills and opportunities for students to create their own videos
- Global skills development made simple, with clearly signposted boxes throughout the course and in dedicated Video and Global Skills lessons.

Stretch Second Edition also offers professional development through a range of online resources found on oxfordenglishhub.com.

Key features of this course

Vocabulary and Listening

The units are thematic and based around the vocabulary set presented at the beginning of each unit. Each unit introduces an average of eight vocabulary items. The presentation of the vocabulary is followed by controlled practice. The Listening activities recycle target vocabulary, and practice a specific listening skill, such as listening for gist, listening for key words, and inferring meaning.

Speaking

This page opens with a short introductory activity that introduces the language modeled in the conversation. Students have multiple opportunities to practice the speaking skill, first in a conversation, then in a personalized activity that follows the conversation. Students learn communication skills like showing interest, asking follow-up questions and turn-taking. Conversation strategies, pronunciation guidance, and useful everyday expressions help students sound more natural.

Grammar

The *Grammar* page provides a clear presentation of new language structures. Students listen to and then repeat the sentences in the grammar chart to solidify the form and pronunciation of the structures. There are multiple opportunities for students to use the grammar in controlled practice activities as well as in communicative *Grammar Talk* activities. A *Grammar Reference* section at the back of the book provides more comprehensive explanations and additional controlled practice.

Reading and Speaking

This page offers students opportunities to develop their reading skills and further develop their speaking skills. It features a colorful magazine-style or web-style article that recycles vocabulary and grammar from the unit. Students develop their reading skills followed by a structured speaking activity which allows students to prepare their ideas before speaking with a partner. A further *Writing* section at the back of the book provides a scaffolded writing activity and allows students to develop writing skills.

Presenting

Presenting Skills pages help students become better public speakers. These pages offer students opportunities to develop face-to-face and online presenting skills such as introducing a topic, pausing, using notes, and using slides. Practice in a safe and friendly class environment enables students to sharpen these skills and use them confidently outside the classroom. The Presenting Skills page always includes a model presentation video and an opportunity to practice the presenting skill through a short activity. The Presenting Practice page builds on the previous page by helping students to plan, create, and deliver their own face-to-face or online presentation with opportunities for peer feedback and self-reflection. See page xi for more information on presenting skills in Stretch Second Edition.

Understanding Video and Global Skills

Learning English through videos helps students to remember information, develop intercultural awareness, and expand critical thinking. The *Understanding Video* pages include authentic documentaries and social media videos which expose students to life beyond the classroom. The page introduces a skill for understanding video, such as interpreting facial expressions, focusing on visuals, and identifying facts and opinions. It starts with a pre-viewing activity which introduces the topic and activates students' schema. This is followed by two while-viewing activities which practice the skill. The page ends with a personalized speaking activity that relates the topic of the video to the students' lives. The Video and Global Skills page builds on the previous page by introducing and practicing intercultural competence or critical thinking related to the topic. It then develops students' digital literacies through digital language learning ideas and through opportunities to create digital outputs such as photo slideshows, audio or video voxpops, and social media videos.

See page xii for more information on global skills in *Stretch Second Edition*.

Review

Four two-page *Review* units practice vocabulary and grammar from the units and offer an additional reading that recycles the target vocabulary and grammar. These pages can be assigned as homework or used as an in-class quiz. A list of can-do statements with unit references helps students identify the skills they need to review.

Presenting skills

The first edition of *Stretch* was groundbreaking in incorporating presentation skills into a four-skills textbook, giving students the opportunity to acquire practical work and life skills while using English for communication. Since then, presentation skills have become even more important, and studies show that students are highly motivated to develop these skills through observational and practice-based learning (de Grez, Valcke, & Roozen 2013).

Stretch Second Edition features a dedicated presentation skills strand with two separate sections. Presenting Skills pages introduce key skills for presentations and guide students towards analysis and quick practice of the skills with minimal preparation. Optional Presenting Practice pages build on the skills development and provide structure to help students develop and deliver their own online or face-to-face presentations.

Model presentation videos

Stretch Second Edition includes six model presentation videos, allowing learners to observe key presenting skills before practicing them in their own presentations. All model presentation videos feature non-native model presenters to give students a realistic and achievable example that they can aspire to.

Presenting skills in Stretch Second Edition

The presenting skills featured in *Stretch Second Edition* fall into four categories:

- **Body Language** is the simplest skill set to introduce and practice, but it often causes students the most problems. Body language includes posture, gestures, and eye contact.
- **Organizing Ideas** is vital to developing a successful presentation. Organizing ideas involves introducing the topic, signposting key points, and concluding a presentation effectively.
- **Design** is an important feature of presentations that feature slides or other visual aids. Design involves using these visual elements to complement and enhance the presentation content.
- **Speech Techniques** are used to highlight main points. Examples include repetition and rhetorical questions.

Benefits for learners

- Presenting can be a way for lower-level students to practice speaking within a structured context. This allows them to perform at a level higher than they might in a more open setting.
- Presentating skills are specific, easy to demonstrate, and transferable to other communicative contexts such as freer discussion, self-expression, and writing.
- Presentating skills are also transferable from English to learners' native languages, thus providing them with important life or professional skills.

Benefits for teachers

- Presentation activities are flexible. Stretch Second Edition includes both Presenting Skills and Presenting Practice, allowing teachers to go deeper if time allows or simply focus on the key skills if pressed for time.
- Presentating skills are an ideal way to include peer feedback which, when clearly guided, can be more effective than traditional teacher feedback (Murillo-Zamorano & Montanero 2018). Stretch Second Edition includes downloadable presentation feedback worksheets to help teachers encourage structured peer feedback.

How to use the *Presenting Skills* and *Presenting Practice* pages in *Stretch Second Edition*

Stretch Second Edition offers a flexible approach, with the choice of a quick presentation task at the end of Presenting Skills lessons or a more in-depth presentation as part of a Presenting Practice lesson depending on time and interest. Apply the following general principles to all presentation activities in Stretch Second Edition:

- Give learners a chance to prepare and practice before they present. This can be done in class or as homework using the structured activities in the textbook.
- Encourage students to learn from each other: observing their classmates' presentations and identifying effective and ineffective techniques is an effective way to improve. Recording presentations and watching the video later can also be useful. Stretch Second Edition incorporates peer teaching and feedback so that students can maximize their language and presenting skill practice in class.
- Encourage learners to relax and enjoy their presentations. They will be nervous at first, but presenting is a skill that gets easier with practice. Students can also record their presentations, allowing them to notice weak areas and practice until they are satisfied.

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