

**ASSUMPTION UNIVERSITY  
FACULTY OF ARTS  
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ENGLISH  
COURSE OUTLINE 1/2025**

Course: EN3288 English for Airlines Business  
Status: Major Elective  
Credits: 3  
Prerequisite: ELE2000 Academic English  
Lecturer: Dr. Nida Boonma  
Section: 401

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**Course Descriptions:**

English communicative skills used in airline business, basic knowledge of the aviation industry and airline works, and specific terminology for airline business.

**Objectives:**

1. To be familiarized with English usage in Airline Industry.
2. To understand terminology used in the field of commercial airlines.
3. To gain necessary skills regarding different tasks performed in airline operations.
4. To communicate effectively in various situations both onboard and aground.

**Course Learning Outcomes:**

Students are able to:

1. Use English to communicate effectively in various situations onboard.
2. Use English to communicate effectively in various situation a ground.
3. Explain various terms used in commercial airline business.
4. Demonstrate different tasks performed in airline operations.
5. Explain the process of airline safety precautions.

**Required Material:**

*English for Airline Business Compilation*, available at Au Bookstore

**Recommended Readings:**

Ellis, S. & Lansford, L. (2010). *English for Cabin Crew* (with CD-ROM) [Publisher: Oxford University Press, ISBN-13: 978-0194579575]

Emery, H. & Roberts, A. (2008) *Aviation English: Student's Book with CD-ROM Pack*. [Publisher: Macmillan, ISBN-13: 9780230027572]

Sukchuen, N. (2002). *English for Ground and In-flight Attendants*. [Publisher: Kasetsart University Press, ISBN: 9745371513]

**Teaching Learning Activities:**

1. Lectures
2. Discussions
3. Role-play
4. Presentations
5. Written Examination

**Course Requirements:**

80% Attendance (maximum absence = 2 times)  
Class Assignments and activities  
Mid-term examination  
Final examination

<b>Marks Allocation:</b>	
Attendance	5%
Role Play	5%
Presentation 1 & 2	20%
Announcement 1 & 2	10%
Safety Demonstration	10%
Project: Sky High Careers	10%
Midterm Exam	20%
Final Exam	<u>20%</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>

Grade Range (%)	
A	85-100
A-	82-84
B+	79-81
B	75-78
B-	72-74
C+	69-71
C	65-68
C-	62-64
D	50-61
F	0-49

Tentative Plans

Class	Contents	Materials
1.	Welcome and Introductions	
2.	Career in the airline industry <b>Team Formation*</b>	Unit 1-7
3.	Career in the airline industry	Unit 1-7
4.	Airlines, Airports and Time Zones	Unit 3
5.	Airlines, Airports and Time Zones	Unit 3
6.	Flight Reservation	Unit 4
7.	Flight Reservation	Unit 4
8.	Ground Services: Airport Check-in	Unit 5
9.	Ground Services: Airport Check-in	Unit 5
10.	Ground Services: Problem Solving	Unit 5
11.	Ground Services <b>Role-Play (Pair) (50 marks)</b>	
12.	Ground Services <b>Role-Play (Pair) Cont.</b>	Unit 5
13.	<b>Airline Presentation #1 (Team) (100 marks)</b>	Unit 5
14.	<b>Boarding Announcement (Individual) (50 marks)</b>	Unit 5
15.	Review for Midterm Exam	

Mid-term Examination: 5/8/2025 (12:00 - 14:00)

Class	Contents	Materials
16.	In-flight Service	Unit 7
17.	In-flight Service	Unit 7
18.	Food and Beverage Service	Unit 7
19.	Food and Beverage Service	Unit 7
20.	Onboard Announcements	Unit 7
21.	Onboard Announcements <b>Making Announcement (Individual) (50 marks)</b>	Unit 7
22.	Safety and Emergency Procedures	Unit 8
23.	Safety and Emergency Procedures	Unit 8
24.	<b>Safety Demonstration (100 marks)</b>	Unit 8
25.	<b>Airline Presentation #2 (Team) (100 marks)</b>	
26.	Resume writing/ English proficiency test for airline industry	
27.	Resume writing/ English proficiency test for airline industry ( <b>50 marks</b> )	
28.	Job interview for airline industry	
29.	Job interview for airline industry ( <b>50 marks</b> )	
30.	Review for Final Exam	

Final Examination: March 13, 2025 (9:00-12:00)

\*\*\* Last day to withdraw with a “W” is September 19, 2025. \*\*\*



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Assumption University of Thailand envisions itself as:

- an international community of scholars,
- enlivened by Christian inspiration,
- engaged in the pursuit of Truth and Knowledge,
- serving human society, especially through the creative use of interdisciplinary approaches and cyber technology.

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Assumption University of Thailand envisions its graduates as:

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- able to communicate effectively with people from other nations and to participate in globalization.

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- Entrepreneurial Spirit

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1. Enhance business language skills
2. Promote cultural awareness
3. Foster academic networking
4. Encourage ethical standards and practices

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**Language Education, Business Inspiration**

## **ARTS ORGANIZATIONAL CULTURE: More than faculty, we are family**

- Open communication
- Mentoring system
- Dedication
- Caring
- Teamwork
- Commitment
- Resource sharing

### **Core Values**

A = Adaptability

R = Responsibility

T = Togetherness

S = Sustainability

### **Core Competencies**

Employability

Multiculturalism

Internationalization

### **Quality Assurance Process**

Students should understand and apply the Quality Assurance Process in their study. The Plan-Do-Check-Act Cycle (PDCA) provides an easy but effective approach for problem solving and managing change, ensuring that ideas are appropriately tested before the full implementation. It can be used in all sorts of situations and can be clarified as follows:

**Plan:** Define the current problem, process, and issue and establish objectives and processes required to deliver the desired results.

**Do:** Implement the plans and new processes developed.

**Check:** Monitor and evaluate the implemented process by testing the results against the predetermined objectives.

**Act:** Apply actions necessary for improvement if the results require changes.

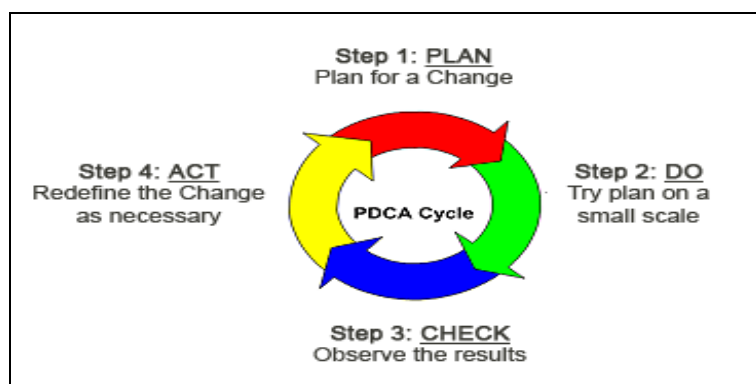


Figure 1: PDCA Cycle (<http://www.swopehealth.org>)

### **Plagiarism**

Plagiarism is a serious academic offence, a serious breach of ethical conduct and is unacceptable student behavior. Students who plagiarize copying words or ideas without acknowledging the original writer of the words or ideas, will face disciplinary action. This will range from receiving an "F" in the subject to university suspension.