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Weeks	Topics
1	Introduction to the course
2	Unit 1: Art→ Lesson 2: Ceramics → Reading strategy: Distinguishing facts and opinions
3	Unit 1: Art→ Lesson 2: Ceramics→ Multiple meanings, prepositions, ...
4	Unit 1: Art→ Lesson 3: Cave Paintings→ Reading strategy: Making inferences
5	Unit 1: Art → Lesson 3: Cave Paintings→ Word forms, irregular verbs, ...
6	Unit 1: Art→ Lesson 4: Graffiti→ Reading strategy: Identifying the main idea
7	Unit 1: Art→ Lesson 4: Graffiti→ Collocations, past participles as adjectives, ...
8	MID TERM EXAMINATION
9	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 1: Hawaii→ Reading strategy: Making a timeline
10	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 1: Hawaii→ Suffixes, noun substitutes, ...
11	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 2: Deserts→ Reading strategy: Identifying cause and effect
12	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 2: Deserts→ Collocations, sentence combining, ...
13	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 4: National Parks→ Reading strategy: Identifying facts and opinions
14	Unit 3: Places→ Lesson 4: National Parks→ transition words, sentence combining, ...
15	Unit 4: Science and Technology→ Lesson 3: Motor Vehicles→ Reading strategy: Classifying
16	Answering students' questions
17	FINAL EXAMINATION

Scoring Criteria	
Midterm Exam	6
Final Exam	9
Class Participation	5
Total	20

Required Source: Ackert, P., & Lee, L. (2005). Reading & vocabulary development 4: *Concepts & comments*.