

Unit 7

Express opinions in the meeting

让每个人都有人生出彩的机会!

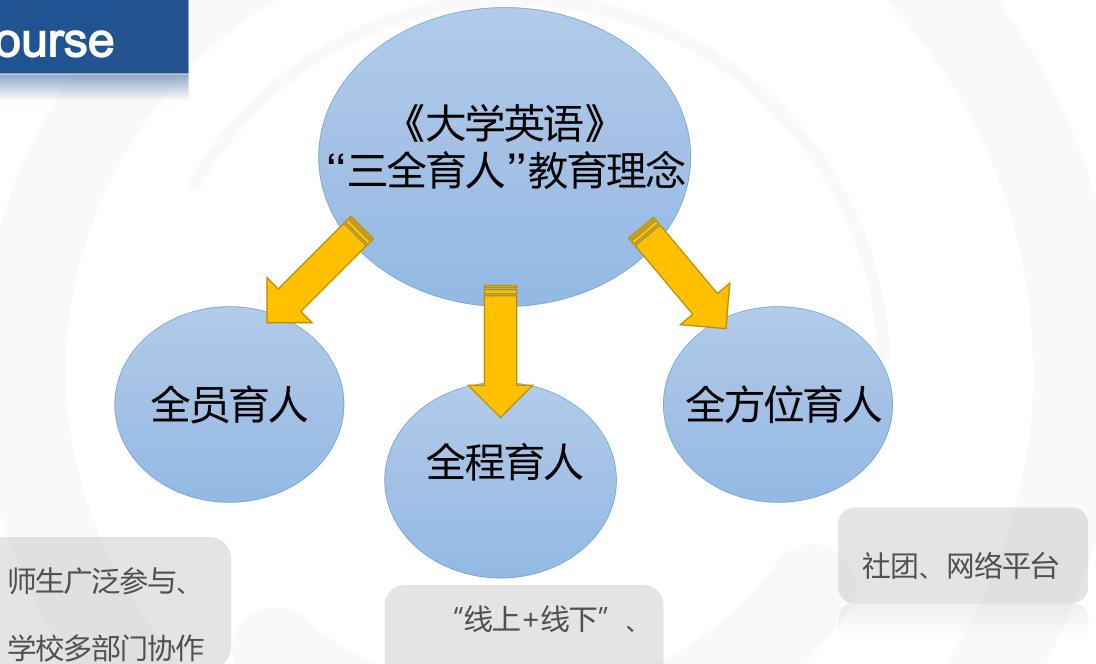








About the course



学校多部门协作

"课堂+第二课堂"

About the students

Characteristics		Needs		
Like to communicate	Lack of confidence	To learn skills and strategies		
Prefer learning by doing	Not be ready to memorize facts	To practice and apply		
Be interested in creating	Be short of chances	To think critically and explore		

About the unit

POA教学流程 Stages	教学内容 Unit 7 Expressing opinions in the meeting		第二届英语风采大寨 The 2nd Annual English Talent Competition		
驱动(Motivating) Case briefing Starting up	Introduction (Scenario)	1. Acknowledsteps and the2. Develop s			
促成(Enabling) Taking in Building up	Reading: the new program proposal Viewing: a conversation	Develop the evaluate infc	第二届英语风采大赛活动方案 The proposal for The 2nd Annual English Talent Competition.		
	Structure of expressing opinions Expressing opinions and giving evidence Avoidingvaguelanguage	Use the structure opinions and Masterthestructure ressingopinions			
评价(Assessing) Carrying out Biz practice Application	Expressing opinions in the meeting	Express clear a meeting	2 periods		

About the demo class

Teaching design

Teaching objectives

Teaching methodology

Teaching procedure

Highlights



Identify the structure of expressing opinions and the expressions of giving evidence



Professional qualities

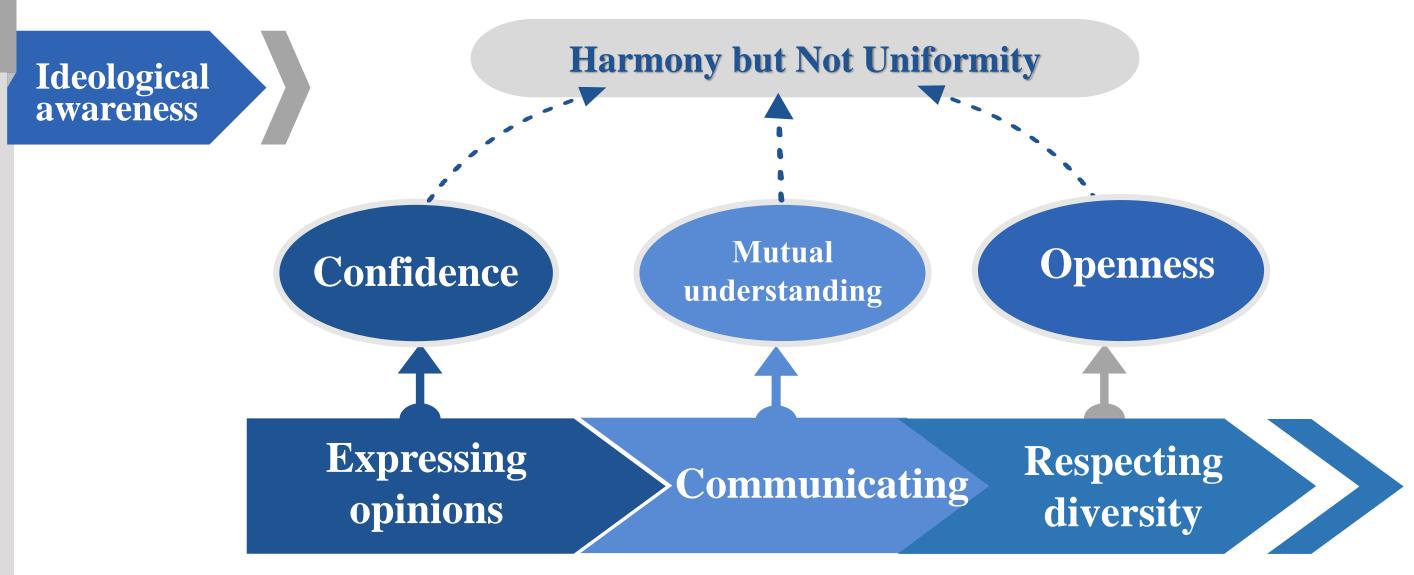
Express clear and well-supported opinions in the meeting



Ideologica

Develop an active attitude towards sharing opinions and making various voices heard and valued Develop critical thinking and awareness of diversity and community





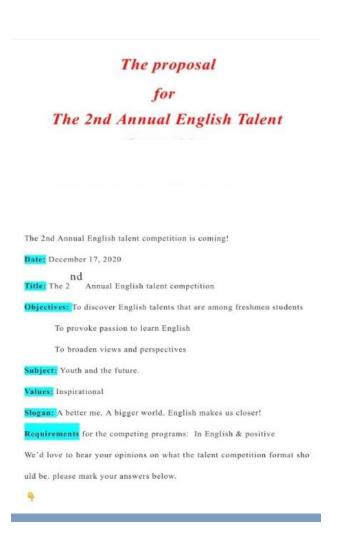
Scenario: The 2nd Annual English Talent Competition

POA: **Production Oriented** Approach









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We'd lo	ve to hear your opinions about this event, so please take a moment and mark
below w	hat you'd like to see for the format of the show. 🕡
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Length:	60 minutes ☐ 90 minutes ₽
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Mode:	Online □ Off-line □ or ₽

Number of the hosts: $3 \square 5 \square 6\square 4$



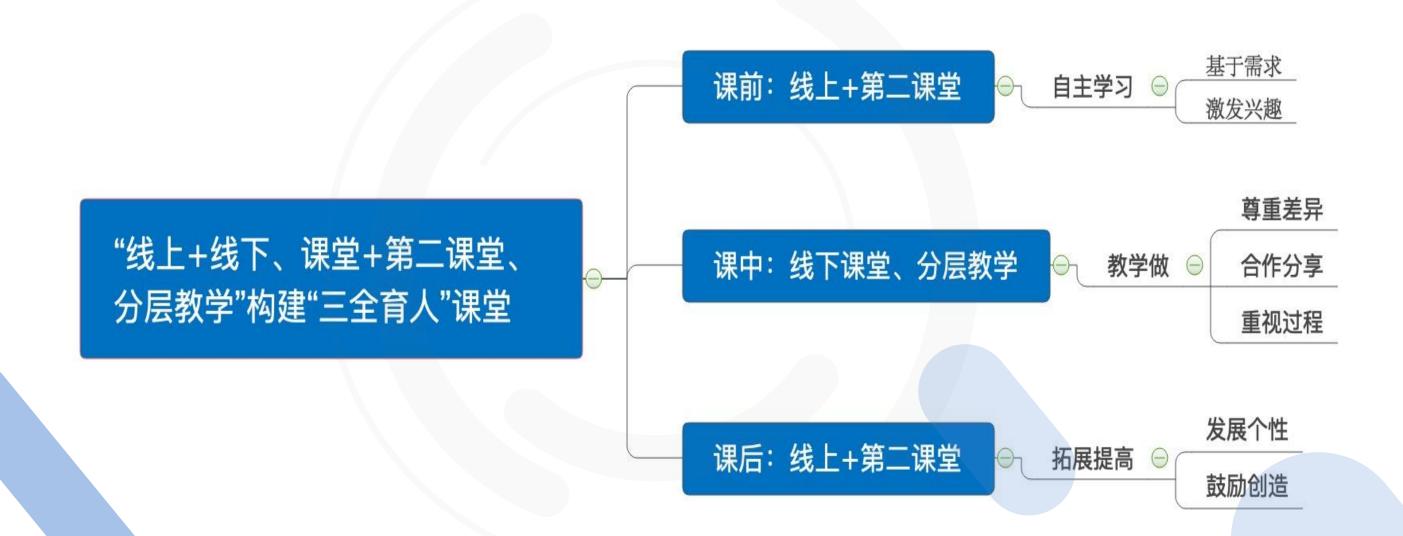
Production: filming a meeting of discussing the proposal for the campus activity

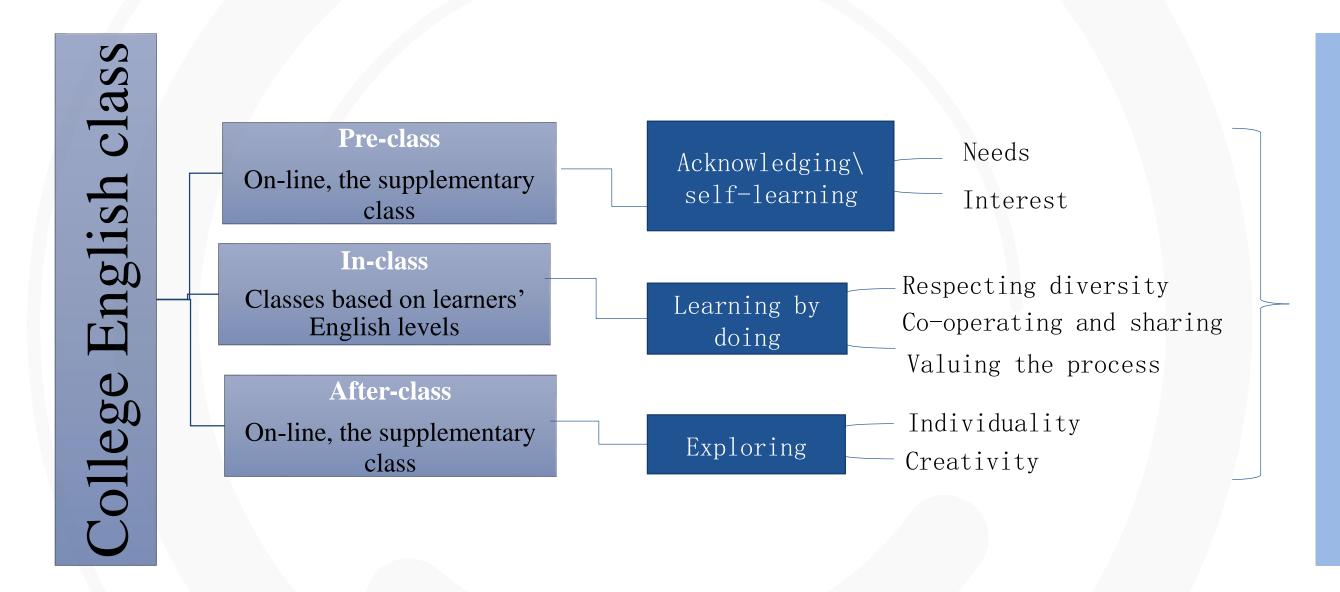
Enabling

- Get familiar with the structure of expressing opinions
- Master the skills of expressing opinions and giving evidence

Assessing

• Biz practice & Application (Evaluation form)







Listening

Building up

Preparing for the structure

After talking with Mary, Chen Ming is going to participate in the meeting and express his opinions on the new program proposal. The following is a sample of opinions by Chen Ming's colleague. Do the following activities to get familiar with the structure of expressing opinions.

Structure of expressing opinions

- 1 Work in pairs and discuss the following question.

 How would you organize your thoughts when you express opinions in the meeting?
- The following audio clip is Chen Ming's colleague's opinions on the proposal. Listen to the audio clip and fill in the blanks with the information in the box.



- B In a word, this proposal doesn't seem so practical.
- C I'm afraid I would turn down this proposal.

A The budget seems to be another problem.

D Two or three points of the production timelines are not so clearly and accurately stated.

Chen Ming's colleague's opinions

Expressing opinions

1)

Giving evidence

Evidence 1: Inviting too many actors and actresses will make the program appear too entertaining and less professional.

Evidence 2: 2) _____ Evidence 3: 3) ____

Restating opinions

4) ___



Sharpening the skills

Chen Ming has learned the basic structure of expressing opinions. However, to make his opinions clear and well-supported, it is also important to learn the language of expressing opinions and giving evidence. Do the following activities to learn the language patterns of expressing opinions and giving evidence.

Expressing opinions and giving evidence

Work in pairs and underline the language of expressing opinions and giving evidence from the sample opinions below.

As far as I'm concerned, I'm afraid I would turn down this proposal. First of all, we must bear in mind that we are here to pick a new program of science and technology, which mainly aims to educate and inspire, while in this proposal, the fact is that there are too many actors and actresses. They are bound to steal the scenes of the scientists and experts, and also make the program appear too entertaining and less professional. Secondly, from my point of view, the budget seems to be another problem. Apparently, the proposed budget is about three million RMB, and it's right within our planned budget. However, it may not include the expenses of inviting the host and guests. If too much money is spent on the famous actors and actresses, what is left for the other aspects will be cut down, which will definitely result in a big sacrifice of the quality of the production, and I do not want to see that happen. Besides, I also notice that two or three points of the production timelines are not so clearly and accurately stated. Therefore I have doubts about the timing of the production. It will be a tragedy if the program cannot be completed before our deadline. In a word, this proposal doesn't seem so practical to me.

express your opinions and give evidence.

SKILLS

An opinion is a view, judgment or attitude formed in your mind about a particular issue. Without being familiar with the language of expressing opinions, you can hardly express yourself clearly in meetings.

At the same time, an unsupported opinion would be fragile. Therefore, evidence is often given to make the opinion more convincing.

The following are some useful expressions for reference:

Expressing opinions

- ... It's my considered opinion that ...
- · As far as I am concerned .
- From my point of view ...It seems to me that ...
- I cannot deny that ...
- That is why I think ...

Giving evidence

- The fact is that .
- This proves that ..
- What it comes down to is that ...
- It is obvious/certain/clear that ...

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Case 4

Task

Students analysis

- 1. Vote online
- 2. Express opinions online



Aim

Confidence in sharing opinions Multiple perspectives

1.Length(单选)
60min
90min (已选)
2.Mode(单选)
Online (已选)
Off-line
3.Number of the hosts(单选)
Three
Five (已选)





Assessing Enabling Assessment (a form) Structure, Motivating Expressions, **Critical thinking** A campus English activity

Teamwork, professionalism.

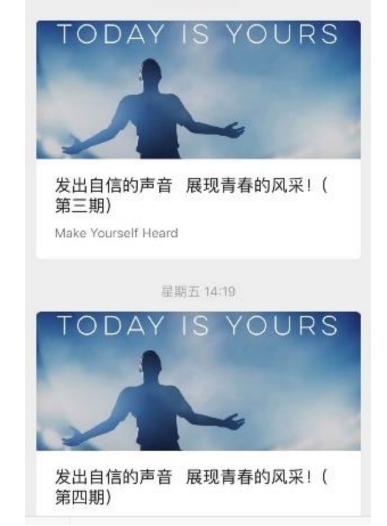
Post-class



Task Improvement and uploading



Aim **Creativity, Individuality**

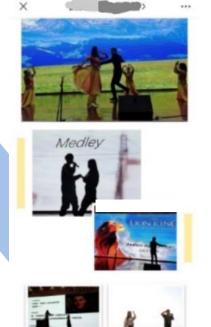




Production-oriented 1. Students aim at completing a real task. They are motivated to learn by doing, to think critically, and to apply skillfully.

Supplementary-class-supported 2. Students together create a sense of

community. Every student is part of it. Every individual has an opportunity to develop.













Everyone has an opportunity to develop and excel.



A special task: to explore, to co-operate, to communicate, to share.

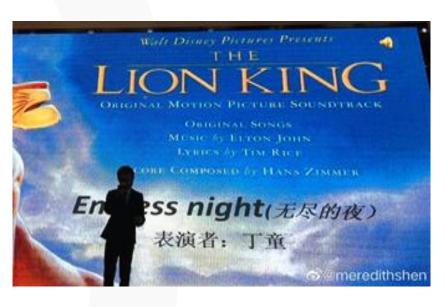
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To make our voices heard

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罗密欧与朱丽叶

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——习近平

Education is growth. Education is life itself.



Unit 7

Express opinions and give evidence







Scenario

How can we hold the 2nd Annual English Talent Competition during the post epidemic period?

Motivating Enabling Assessing

Quality of communication =
$$\int (K, P, \tau)$$



Knowledge, Practice, Talent

➤ How to make your opinions valued?



Dogs are the best friends of human.

Dogs are loyal to human.

They treat human friendly.

They are helpful.

Dogs are grateful.



Preparing for the structure

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Turn to page 95 and check the answers.

- **A.** The budget seems to be another problem.
- **B.** In a word, this proposal doesn't seem so practical.
- C. I'm afraid I would turn down this proposal.
- **D.** Two or three points of the production timelines are not so clearly and accurately stated.

Chen Ming's colleague's opinions

Expressing opinions

1) <u>C</u>

Giving evidence

Evidence 1: Inviting too many actors and actresses will make the program appear too entertaining and less professional.

Evidence 2: 2) A

Evidence 3: 3) _D_

Restating opinions

4) <u>B</u>_

Preparing for the structure

The structure of expressing opinions and giving evidence

1.Expressing opinions

2. Giving evidence

Evidence 1:

Evidence 2:

Evidence 3:

3. Restating opinions



Sharpening the skills

Useful expressions of expressing opinions and giving evidence

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Sharpening the skills

Expressions

Expressing opinions

- It's my considered opinion that ...
- As far as I am concerned ...
- From my point of view ...
- It seems to me that ...
- I cannot deny that ...
- That is why I think ...

Giving evidence

- The fact is that ...
- This proves that ...
- What it comes down to is that ...
- It is obvious/certain/clear that ...

Critical Thinking

Work in pairs and use the useful expressions.



	Pros	Cons				
Opinions	In my opinion, I strongly recommend it.	I'm afraid I will turn down this proposal.				
Evidence	 originality. 2. What's more, the host is famous, humorous 3. And I also noticed that he guests have 	 1.Too many actors and actresses will make the program appear too entertaining and less professional. 2.Two or three points of the production timelines are not so clearly and accurately stated. 3.The budget seems to be another problem. 				
Restating	In a word, I think it's a great	In a word, this proposal doesn't seem so practical.				
	proposal.					

Discussion:

Have a group discussion

"How can we hold the 2nd Annual English

Talent Competition during the post
epidemic period,On-line? Off-line or other
ways?"



Discussion:

How can we hold the 2nd Annual English Talent Competition? On-line? Off-line or other ways?

Strcture

- I.Expressing opinions ____
- 2. Giving evidence
 - 2.1:Evidence
 - 2.2:Evidence
 - 2.3:Evidence
- 3.Restating opinions ____

Expressing opinions

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Giving evidence

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Assessment

Evaluation Form

Items	Specifics		Grading				
		5'	4'	3°	2'	1'	
		Excellent	Good	Average	Could	Not very	
					be better	successfu	
Content	1. Express opinions clearly with evidence						
	2. Express opinions logically						
Linguistics	1. Use the structure we learned correctly. (Expressing opinions → Giving						
	evidence > Restating opinions)						
	2. Use the expressions we learned correctly.						
	Pronunciation is correct; intonation and stress are appropriate.						
	4. Speak fluently.						
Professional	1. With good etiquette (greeting warmly, speaking politely, professional						
qualities	clothes etc.)						
	2. With good communicative skills (suitable body gesture, eye contact						
	with audience, vocal style etc.)						
	3. With reasonable emotion/full of emotion						
				,	Total:		
					Marker:		

Online platform discussion



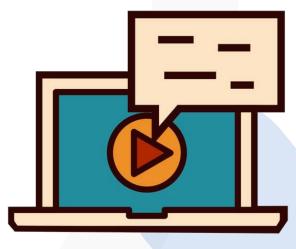




Assignment

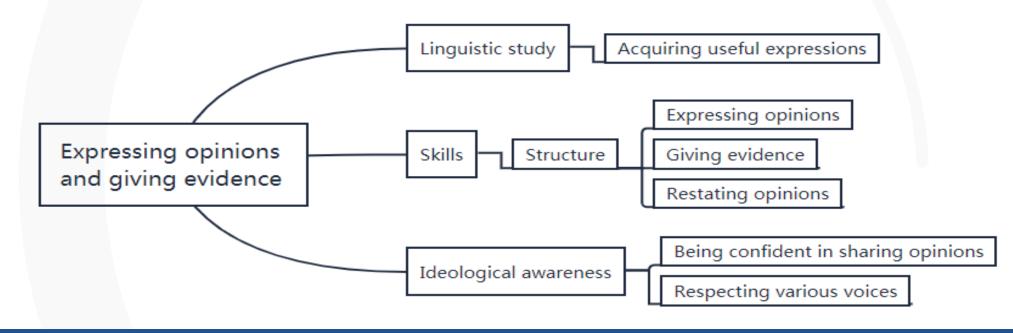
Write down your opinion about "How can we hold the 2nd Annual English Talent Competition?" and upload it to the online-learning platform

Preview "Avoid vague language" on page 97



Summary

What have we learned today?



Business communication skills Good etiquette

Buzzword





Respect

Harmony but Not Uniformity



讲好中国故事,既要"敢讲"又要"善讲"





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