

**\***BACKSTAGE

Ementa do curso



### Intro

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Communication - Going with the flow

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Sup / what's up - Greetings, saying hello

Parte 2. Bye / Goodbye - Greetings, saying goodbye

### **Smarty Pants:**

Simple Present: We live in the present

### 24/7:

My home

### Like a pro:

Mute T

### So what?:

Motivação e goal-setting

### Thinking out loud:

Goals

# Unidade 1 To stream or not to stream

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Watching Series - Chills

Parte 2. Let's just scroll

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Binge watching - "binge"", watching series, affirmative & interrogative sentences

Parte 2. I'm into it - Liking things

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Simple Present - questions (aux. do)

Parte 2. Simple Present - Do + Questions Words

### If you think about it:

To get hooked

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

T sounds

Tap T

#### I read therefore I am:

Adaptação de livros (Time to adapt)

#### 24/7:

What I like to watch on Netflix

### So what?:

Nada é pra ontem - paciência com o aprendizado

### Thinking out loud:

Roteiro de série

### **Unidade 2 Mobile life**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Mobile games

Parte 2. Screen use, cellphones

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Phone zombie/smombie/phubbing/phubber - Phone addiction

Parte 2. Food for thought - Thinking; critical thinking

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Simple Present - he/she/it

Parte 2. Simple Present - questions (aux. does)

### If you think about it:

Screen Time

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

U sounds

Long/Short U

### I read therefore I am:

Are we reading less because of cellphones?

### 24/7:

Dealing with screen excess/screen time

### So what?:

Procrastination

### Thinking out loud:

Rotina e tecnologia

### **Unidade 3** Reality show: is it real life?

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Reality Shows - verb to be, being part of a reality

Parte 2. Introductions - names, characteristics, verb to be

### Come again?:

Parte 1. To put all eggs in one basket - Apostas; esforço

Parte 2. Couch Potato - Exercising; being lazy

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Verb to be

Parte 2. Present Continuous

### If you think about it:

Growing up on tv/ in the spotlight

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

To be reductions

R sound

#### I read therefore I am:

George Orwell's 1984 (Big Brother)

### 24/7:

**Daily Routines** 

### So what?:

Formas de falar sobre a sua rotina

### Thinking out loud:

Creating a profile for a reality show

### **Unidade 4 Digitally social**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Digital Influencing - work, exposure

Parte 2. A youtuber talking about the duty itself

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Keep it real - Being real, being honest etc

Parte 2. To get hyped - Getting excited; being disappointed

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Gerund

Parte 2. Infinitive + Gerund

### If you think about it:

Should we cancel Cancel Culture?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Gerund

Stop G/Skip G

### I read therefore I am:

Livros escritos por celebridades da internet

#### 24/7:

Como começar sua carreira de vlogger/blogger/produtor de conteúdo

### So what?:

Como aproveitar redes sociais para aprender mais

### Thinking out loud:

Divulgar um produto em redes sociais

### **Unidade 5 Diversity and inclusion**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Diversidade - Autism spectrum

Parte 2. Discrimination

### Come again?:

Parte 1. True colors - The best and the worst of a person

Parte 2. Do your thing - Individuality

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Collocations (take, get, have)

Parte 2. Possessive adjectives

### If you think about it:

Diversity

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Isounds

Short I / Long E

#### I read therefore I am:

Wonder - Extraordinary

### 24/7:

**Bookshelf Tour** 

#### So what?:

Falar inglês com sotaque

### Thinking out loud:

O que é diversidade?

### Unidade 6 Is this real life?

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Virtual Reality being used for "serious" purposes - Work place, groundbreaking technology

Parte 2. Virtual Reality as a lifestyle - Futuristic lifestyle, groundbreaking technology

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Get it out of my system - Venting, talking about feelings

Parte 2. Reality check / wake up call - Real life

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Can & May

Parte 2. Could (past ability)

### If you think about it:

Impacto da realidade virtual em games, séries, filmes, etc.

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

What are/do you reduction

H sounds

### I read therefore I am:

Huxley's Brave New World

#### 24/7:

Playing in Virtual Reality

#### So what?:

Importância das novas tecnologias e como aproveitá-las para estudar

### Thinking out loud:

Como usar Virtual Reality para aprender

### **Unidade 7** Get'cha head in the game

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Olympic/Paralympic Games - paralympic athletes

Parte 2. E-sports

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Knock something out of the park - Making success

Parte 2. Break a sweat - Making effort

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Simple Past (regular verbs)

Parte 2. Simple Past (aux. did)

### If you think about it:

Teamwork (competition)

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

-ED

### I read therefore I am:

Biografias de esportistas

#### 24/7:

**Sports** 

#### So what?:

Disciplina de atleta / treino

### Thinking out loud:

Conquista olímpica emocionante

### **Unidade 8** All fun and games

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Gameplay - Good at games; rage games

Parte 2. Adaptação de games pro cinema

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Rage quit - Getting mad/annoyed

Parte 2. Ahead of the game - Games

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Simple Past (verb to be)

Parte 2. Simple Past (irregular verbs)

### If you think about it:

Are gamers athletes?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

reductions with /dja/ (did you/do you)

D sounds

#### I read therefore I am:

Book adaptations into games

#### 24/7:

Games

### So what?:

Encarando a progressão da fluência como a de um jogo

### Thinking out loud:

How do games help you learn English?

### **Unidade 9** Online, but not available

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Dependência emocional - Artificial intelligence

Parte 2. Interações online nos anos 2000

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Throwing shade - Críticas; indiretas

Parte 2. Spill the tea - Gossip

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Simple Future (will)

Parte 2. Simple Future (going to)

### If you think about it:

Is the internet world the real world?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Dark L / Clear L + I'll / you'll / y'all

owl/girl/world, etc. (RL)

### I read therefore I am:

As old as time

### 24/7:

Dealing with haters

#### So what?:

A importância das interações humanas em um universo digital

### Thinking out loud:

Guia de boa convivência online

### **Unidade 10 Overloaded**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Data manipulation - Social media

Parte 2. The information is technically public - Stalkear

### Come again?:

Parte 1. To get the wires crossed - Getting things confused

Parte 2. FOMO / Get up to speed - Conversations; catching up

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Zero & First Conditional

Parte 2. Phrasal verbs

### If you think about it:

Choice and excess of information (feed)

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Gonna+Wanna

XC/CC

### I read therefore I am:

Como o excesso de informação / tecnologia afeta sua paciência e tempo de foco para leitura

### 24/7:

Dealing with information excess while working with information

#### So what?:

Como o excesso de informação / tecnologia afeta sua concentração para estudo e para assistir vídeos?

### Thinking out loud:

Avaliar a notícia

### **Unidade 11** Strike the band up

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Composição de música - Songwriting

Parte 2. Como definir sucesso - Successful

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Music to my ears

Parte 2. Face the music - Facts

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. There be (present)

Parte 2. There be (past and future)

### If you think about it:

The value of "Popular music"

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Schwa sound

Schwa sound - It's still there

### I read therefore I am:

Daisy Jones and the Six by Taylor Jenkins Reid

### 24/7:

Expressões relacionadas a shows, eventos e artistas musicais

### So what?:

Aprendendo com músicas

### Thinking out loud:

Writing music

### **Unidade 12** Don't touch it, it's art

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. An artist's life work - Vida vs trabalho do artista

Parte 2. People painting / following tutorials - Artes visuais, trabalho manual

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Picture - Big picture, paint someone a picture

Parte 2. Like watching paint dry - Boring things

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Pronouns (subject; object)

Parte 2. Pronouns (reflexive)

### If you think about it:

What is art?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Reduction - object pronouns

Can vs can't

### I read therefore I am:

Literary works inspired by Great Art

### 24/7:

Painting as a hobbie - artes visuais

### So what?:

Tricks for new vocabulary

### Thinking out loud:

Art production

### **Unidade 13** Family's where a bunch of crazies are

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Family Relationships - Membros da família, ida para a faculdade

Parte 2. Family problems - Membros da família, atividades familiares

### Come again?:

Parte 1. To take after / To run in the family

Parte 2. Expressão "Everyone and their mother is gonna be there!"

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1: Prepositions (in, on, at)

Parte 2: Prepositions (to, from, for, of)

### If you think about it:

What is a family?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Pronúncia de segmentos com a palavra "of"

Redução - some more, somebody, someone, something, some day

### I read therefore I am:

The families in the Harry Potter series

### 24/7:

My family

### So what?:

Lifesaver words/phrases

### Thinking out loud:

Guia de convivência familiar

### **Unidade 14** They're part of the family

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Humans and dogs - Connection between humans and dogs

Parte 2. Dog people

### Come again?:

Parte 1. To fight like cats and dogs / To rain cats and dogs

Parte 2. A fish out of water

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1: Might, Would, Must, Should

Parte 2: Second Conditional

### If you think about it:

Why do people have pets?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Contraction of would

Os sons /P/, /T/ e /K/ no inglês

### I read therefore I am:

Fantastic pets

### 24/7:

My pet

### So what?:

Use what you have

### Thinking out loud:

Expressões em inglês com nomes de animais

### **Unidade 15** Into wild places

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Nature - Plants and flowers

Parte 2. Nature - Preservation

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Feet on the ground / Head in the clouds

Parte 2. Out of the woods

### **Smarty Pants:**

Past habits (would, used to)

Past continuous

### If you think about it:

Environmental Responsibility / Future predictions

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Reductions - used to, have to, has to, had to (schwa)

Os vários sons da letra U em inglês

### I read therefore I am:

Livro The Lorax

### 24/7:

Things I do to help the planet

### So what?:

It's okay to make mistakes

### Thinking out loud:

Prevenção a incêndios

### **Unidade 16** All around the world

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Traveling and airplanes - Airplane, plane seats, plane rows

Parte 2. Travel troubles - Hotels

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Hit the Road

Parte 2. Travel light

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Comparative

Parte 2. Superlative

### If you think about it:

Should traveling be so... Planned?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

The "A" sound (longo e curto)

Um som diferente pra letra "O"

### I read therefore I am:

I wanna go there! - O desejo de conhecer novos lugares

### 24/7:

Travel stories - expressões úteis

### So what?:

Paciência parte II / don't give up

### Thinking out loud:

Viagem dos sonhos

### **Unidade 17** We're going on an adventure

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Traveling as a lifestyle - Traveling, asking for help

Parte 2. Being an adventurer - Adventures, cold, enduring cold

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Go off the beaten track

Parte 2. Under the weather

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Present Perfect (regular verbs)

Parte 2. Present Perfect (Irregular verbs)

### If you think about it:

What are we scared of?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Pronúncia de estruturas do "Present Perfect"

False depiction - Letras L e R

### I read therefore I am:

Fantasy novels (Narnia and Lord of the Rings)

#### 24/7:

Experience with extreme sports

### So what?:

Filler words and expressions

### Thinking out loud:

Aventura

### **Unidade 18** The seed of knowledge

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Family agriculture - Growing plants, fruits, agriculture, family farm

Parte 2. Community Supported Agriculture - Agriculture, ecovillages, communities

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Apple of one's eye

Parte 2. Spill the beans!

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Present Perfect (Com yet, just, already, still)

Parte 2. Phrasal Verbs II

### If you think about it:

Why does everything have to be gourmet?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Som do TH em inglês

Homophones

### I read therefore I am:

Animal Farm, by George Orwell

### 24/7:

What I eat in a day

### So what?:

Words and chunks

### Thinking out loud:

Criação de mini-horta

### **Unidade 19** Food for thought

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Ordering food - Food, health, talking to restaurant workers

Parte 2. Veganism - what they do or don't eat

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Smart cookie / Tough cookie

Parte 2. Piece of cake!

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Past Perfect

Parte 2. To be able to

### If you think about it:

Fast Food

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Diferença entre dois possíveis sons de "O"

Sons de "ou"

### I read therefore I am:

Pratos famosos da literatura

### 24/7:

Baking vlog

### So what?:

Expand vocabulary

### Thinking out loud:

Prato predileto

### **Unidade 20** Home is where the heart is

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Self-discovery journey - self-discovery, sharing our lives

Parte 2. Alternative living - Alternative lifestyle

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Home sweet home

Parte 2. A home away from home

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Present Perfect Continuous

Parte 2. Past Perfect Continuous

### If you think about it:

What makes a house a home?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

N'T contractions

Challenging contractions

### I read therefore I am:

A house without books...

#### 24/7:

Feels like home

### So what?:

Vergonha de falar

### Thinking out loud:

Modos de vida

### **Unidade 21** The future is now

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Talking to my Past self - Present self vs. Future self

Parte 2. Imagining the future

### Come again?:

Parte 1. One day at a time

Parte 2. In my wildest dreams

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Future Continuous

Parte 2. Future Perfect e Future Perfect Continuous

### If you think about it:

Why do we complain so much?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Homophones

False homophones

### I read therefore I am:

The future of literature

#### 24/7:

Alternativas para expressões em inglês

### So what?:

Que preocupações importam?

### Thinking out loud:

Imaginar o futuro

### **Unidade 22** Life's what you make it

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Life stories I - Mom and son, school games

Parte 2. Life stories II - Work related discussions

### Come again?:

Parte 1. To make a mountain out of a molehill

Parte 2. When it rains, it pours

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Como utilizar verbos modais de passado com o auxiliar "have" pra imaginar algo que poderia ter acontecido no passado

Parte 2. Third Conditional

### If you think about it:

What about the bees?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Contrações com "have"- "Coulda, woulda, shoulda"

Homófonos de Simple Past e de Past Participle

### I read therefore I am:

Vivências e experiências através da literatura

### 24/7:

Weekend excursion in the mountains

#### So what?:

Context is everything

### Thinking out loud:

O que você faria se fosse presidente?

### **Unidade 23** What's your story

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Storytelling - Winning awards, meeting famous people

Parte 2. A story from my life - The story of how I met your mother

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Make a long story short

Parte 2. So far, so good / A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Verbo "Get"

Parte 2. Would rather / had better

### If you think about it:

What if I am my own hero?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Silent consonants

S vs. Z final sounds (voicing)

#### I read therefore I am:

What story do you want to tell?

### 24/7:

Storytime - A story (funny, bizarre, incredible, amazing) about my life

### So what?:

Be prepared

### Thinking out loud:

História de uma pessoa com mais experiência

## **Unidade 24** Me, myself and I

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Using music for self-expression - Music, bands

Parte 2. Using writing for self expression - Writing, favorites, narrating

### Come again?:

Parte 1. There's a method to (someone's) madness

Parte 2. Pull yourself together

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Verbs of the senses

Parte 2. Relative clauses / Word "Whom"

### If you think about it:

Am I...myself?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Contração de T + Y (o som /tcha/)

### I read therefore I am:

Anti library

### 24/7:

Ways I express myself

#### So what?:

Express yourself in English

### Thinking out loud:

Se expresse por meio da escrita

### **Unidade 25 Epiphany**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Teenage dating - Therapy, dating, maturity

Parte 2. Good advices

### Come again?:

Parte 1. On the back burner / Ahead of the curve

Parte 2. A day late and a dollar short

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Sentences with "to" before the second verb / Sentences without "to" before the second verb / Sentences in which the second verb finishes with "ing"

Parte 2. Phrasal verbs

### If you think about it:

The 4 Domains of Emotional Intelligence

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Vowels and Y

Homographs

### I read therefore I am:

I can relate

#### 24/7:

How to take public transportation in the USA

#### So what?:

**Emotions and language** 

### Thinking out loud:

Que decisão do passado você mudaria?

### **Unidade 26** I will study more

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. School online - School, subjects, classes

Parte 2. Learn about the world - Education

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Above someone's head / Wrap someone's head around

Parte 2. Hit the books / Hit the sack

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Reported speech

Parte 2. Linking words

### If you think about it:

The Robot on My Shoulder

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Connected speech (Weak forms, Elision, Geminates)

Linking Sounds/Connected Speech

### I read, therefore I am:

What I wish I'd read in Literature class

### 24/7:

Talk about how you were as a student

### So what?:

Language is culture

### Thinking out loud:

Preveja seu próprio futuro

## **Unidade 27** Work hard, play hard

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Modern jobs - Service apps

Parte 2. Millennial jobs - Green products, influencing

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Off the cuff / Think outside the box

Parte 2. Back to the drawing board / Go the extra mile

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Ordem específica para características

Parte 2. Many ways to ask questions

### If you think about it:

What will the future of jobs be like?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Rhythm

Tongue twisters

#### I read therefore I am:

Friday is the new Saturday

### 24/7:

Past jobs

#### So what?:

Active and passive knowledge

### Thinking out loud:

O passado, presente e futuro de um trabalho

### **Unidade 28 Giving back**

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Selling products for charity - bracelets, women, children, schools

Parte 2. Volunteer spirit - Volunteering, kitchen, less fortunate

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Guinea pig / For a good cause

Parte 2. To pay it forward

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Emphasis - Question tag

Parte 2. Voz passiva

### If you think about it:

For a good cause or for your cause?

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Intonation and meaning (Question Tags)

Intonation change challenge

#### I read therefore I am:

Be the change

### 24/7:

Talk about an experience you had volunteering

#### So what?:

Just start speaking

### Thinking out loud:

Se inscreva em um trabalho voluntário

### **Unidade 29** It's just like home

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Homesickness - Homesickness, Feeling like home, living away from home

Parte 2. The vocabulaire

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Comfort zone

Parte 2. Start over / Start from scratch

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Emphasis - cleft sentence / Emphatic Do

Parte 2. Short responses of agreement

### If you think about it:

I'm on My Own

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Informal reductions II (lemme/gimme)

Palavras difíceis de pronunciar

### I read therefore I am:

The world out there

### 24/7:

Talk about your experience living abroad

### So what?:

Now what?

### Thinking out loud:

Passos necessários para viver fora do país

### **Unidade 30** What now?

### To all the scenes I've paused before:

Parte 1. Individuality

Parte 2. Impossible

### Come again?:

Parte 1. Rule of thumb

Parte 2. No time to lose / I'll get around to it

### **Smarty Pants:**

Parte 1. Emphasis with Inversion

Parte 2. They make mistakes too (native mistakes)

### If you think about it:

Keep asking

### Like a pro & Tik talking:

Informal reductions III (innit, ain't/imma)

Tricky pronunciation

### I read therefore I am:

The end?

### 24/7:

Talk about how speaking another language has changed your life

#### So what?:

Now it's your turn

### Thinking out loud:

Escreva uma carta pro seu eu daqui 5 anos