## Pronunciation and Basic Communication

## Textbooks:

*Intermediate Market Leader – 3rd Edition*, Cotton, Falvey, Kent, Pearson *Market Leader Practice Files* 

## Course Length

1.5 hours x 12 weeks = 18 hours

	Topic
Week 1	Course Overview
	Introduction to the Phonemic Alphabet
	° /f/ and /v/ sounds
	° "th" sounds
Week 2	• Final Consonants #1: Adding syllables
	<ul> <li>Past tense verbs (-ed endings)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Plural and possessive nouns (-s endings)</li> </ul>
Week 3	Contractions
Week 4	Intonation: Sentence Stress
Week 5	Intonation: Tone
Week 6	• Review of Weeks 2-5
	Midterm Evaluation
Week 7	Final Consonants #2 - Using the correct final sound
	<ul> <li>Past tense verbs (-ed endings)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Plural and possessive nouns (-s endings)</li> </ul>
Week 8	Emphasizing your Point Through Intonation
Week 9	Checking Understanding and Verification
Week 10	Market Leader Textbook Case Study
	· Reading and Vocabulary
	· Speaking
	° Listening
	° Problem Solving
Week 11	• Review of Weeks 7-10
	Fluency Practice
Week 12	Final evaluation

## Course Considerations

- 1.) Speak only English while in class
- 2.) Arrive on time and silence mobile phone when entering the room
- 3.) Be prepared to actively participate
  - Come to class prepared with questions
  - Provide corrections to classmates during communication activities
- 4.) Bring a notebook and a pen to write down new vocabulary, expressions, and notes from the lesson
- 5.) Complete assigned homework before the next meeting