

**LICEO LINGUISTICO “JACOPONE DA TODÌ”**  
PROGRAMMA SVOLTO  
A/S 2020-2021

MATERIA: Conversazione Inglese  
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CLASSE: 4AL

FCE/ PET SPEAKING PRACTICE:

*Answering questions on a range of topics:*

- Your home
- Daily life
- Friends and family
- Freetime
- Education
- Work
- Travel
- Hobbies (sports, games etc.)
- Entertainment (TV, film, music etc.)
- Media (news, radio, newspapers etc.)
- Technology (mobile phones, internet etc.)
- The future

*Describing pictures:*

- Who can be seen
- Where they are
- What they are doing
- How they are feeling
- Comparing & contrasting 2 images
- Pros & cons

*Collaborative task:*

- Picture gram
- Spider web

*Elaborating topic:*

- Linked questions

SUSTAINABILITY: Discussion about the carbon cycle and the greenhouse effect, and its impact on climate change and extreme weather conditions. Explaining sustainability and the difference between renewable and non-renewable sources of energy. The importance of The Paris Agreement, and the commitment the international community is making to changing dependence on fossils fuels and capturing atmospheric carbon. Class debate on attitudes to the new green revolution.

BLACK LIVES MATTER: The social importance of oral tradition of black music from slave spirituals and gospel music, through the Jazz Ambassadors program to the current predominance of rap which has played a key role in diffusing the BLM message around the world. Opinions on whether ‘taking the knee’ has a place before matches/games or are sports stars like Colin Kaepernick wrong to politicize sporting events.

ESSAY WRITING/ DECISIONS: The decisions that we make have a significant influence in our lives. Some of these decisions may vary in magnitude. Some are viewed as small decisions while others are deemed as significant decisions. How to organise ideas by brainstorming and structuring a B2 essay with an introduction, supporting arguments and reasons and conclusion.

BRAINSTORMING: ‘should zero size models be banned?’ Arguments for and against banning zero size models, the rights and wrongs of body shaming and whether plus size models encourage an unhealthy body image.

CURRICULUM VITAE: How to write a professional CV, the essential elements it should contain, how to formulate a personal profile and what details should be included in a cover letter to accompany a job application.

