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1.1 GOOD MORNING

Use with images from “Codi 1” (page 135 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 1”:

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- Good Morning!
- Good Afternoon! / Good Evening!
- Good Night!
- Hello! How are you?
- Hello! How are you? I am fine thanks!
- How are you?
- I am fine and you?
- How are you?
- Hello! Good bye!

Vocabulary & expressions:

- I, you, he, she, you
- What is your name?
- My name is; your name is; his name is
- Good morning, good evening, goodnight.
- Hello, how are you?
- How are you? How is he?
- Good, and you? And you?
- Hey, long time no see!
- Bye, good-bye, see you, till...
- See you on Monday, Tuesday... See you later, tomorrow.
- The calendar.
- The months, the weekdays, the weekend.
- What day is it today?; tomorrow? , What day was it yesterday?
- What days do we come here?
- A man, a lady, a boy, a girl, a boy, a girl, a friend
- A man, two men.

1.2 HOW OLD ARE YOU?

Vocabulary & expressions:

- How old are you?
- I am/You are/He is/She is...years old.
- Numbers from 1 to 100

1.3 WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

Use with images from “Codi 2” and “Codi 3” (pages 136 and 137 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

There is no text in the images or pictures of “Codi 2”.

English text corresponding to “Codi 3”:

- The street
- The avenue
- The square or circus
- The building
- The house
- The doorway/ entrance
- The landing
- The city
- The village/ town

Vocabulary & expressions :

- A map, a draft
- A city, a village
- It is..here, far, near, next door
- It is... long, short, narrow, Wide, round, squared
- Where do you live? Where does he/she live?
- Live, live, lives
- The address
- The street, the avenue, the square, the path
- The building, the house, the flat
- The ground floor, the first, the second, the third, the fourth, the fifth, the sixth, the seventh, the eighth
- The entrante, the letterboxes, the front steps, the stairs, the elevator
- Numbers from 1 to 100

1.4 WHERE ARE YOU FROM?

Use with images from “Codi 4” (page 138 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 4”:

- The world
- Spain
- Catalunya

Vocabulary & expressions:

- Where are you from? Where is he/she from?
- I am from..., he/she is from...
- He/She is morrocan, gambian, senegalese
- One year is 12 months.
- Half a year is six months.
- From how long has he/she been here?
- It's been months, one year, half a year.
- Who has been here during the last three months?
- What languages do you speak?/What languages does he/she speak?
- How many languages do you speak?/How many languages does he/she speak?
- I speak.../You speak.../He speaks.../She speaks...
- I understand/ You understand/He understands/She understands
- Catalan, spanish, vasco, gallego, arabic, french, english, fula, soninke, mandinga, diola,...

1.5 THE FAMILY

Use with images from “Codi 5” (page 139 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 5”:

- The mother
- The father
- The son
- The daughter
- The grandfather
- The grandmother

Vocabulary & expressions :

- Who is this?
- This is...
- My, mine, yours, his/hers.
- The father, the mother, the grandfather, the grandmother, the son, the daughter, the grandson, the granddaughter, the uncle, the aunty.
- the cousin, the brother, the sister...; a friend
- Is more big, more small, same as
- Bachelor, spinster
- I am married
- I live alone, He/she lives alone
- I live with...; He/she lives with...
- What is his/her name?
- Do you have children, nephews/nieces...?
- How many... do you have?
- How old is he/she?
- Where does he/she live? Where do they live?
- My/his/her husband is called...
- I have three children, a boy and a girl
- My/his/her child is... years old.
- My/his/her brothers live in...

1.6 PEOPLE DESCRIPTION

Use with images from “Codi 5” and “Codi 6” (pages 139 and 140 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 5”:

- The mother
- The father
- The son
- The daughter
- The grandfather
- The grandmother

English text corresponding to “Codi 6”:

- He/she is tall and slim
- He/she is short and fat
- You
- He/She wears glasses
- She has a pony-tail
- He/She has curly hair
- He/She has straight and long hair
- He/She has short hair

Vocabulary & expressions:

- How is he/she?
- He/she is tall; short; fat; thin
- What hairstyle does he/she have?
- He/she is bald
- He/she has long hair, short hair...
- He/she has straight hair, curly hair...
- He/she has white hair, black hair, blonde hair, brown hair, red-haired.
- He/she has big eyes, small eyes, light eyes, dark eyes.
- He/she has a sharp nose, flat nose
- What hairstyle does he/she have?
- He/she has a ponytail, cornrows, handkerchief
- He/she has the hair loose
- He/she has a tattoo, beard, a moustache, earrings, glasses

- He/she has a beauty spot
- He/she is serious
- He/she is generous.
- He/she is affectionate
- He/she is stingy
- He/she is brave, He/she is afraid / scared
- a lot, a little
- He she is affectionate: He/she appreciates the others
- He is generous / He/she is serious or solemn: does not smile much
- He/she is jolly: smiles easily
- She is generous: shares what she has
- She is stingy: does not like to share
- He/she is brave: has no fear or is not frightened
- He/she is afraid or scared: has fear or is frightened

1.7 EVERYDAY ACTIVITIES

Use with images from “Codi 7.1”, “Codi 7.2” and “Codi 7.3” (pages 141, 142 and 143 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 7.1”:

- He/she gets up or wakes up
- He/she gets dressed
- He/she washes his/her face
- He/she goes to work
- Is working
- Is having breakfast
- Goes back to work
- Is having lunch or is eating

English text corresponding to “Codi 7.2”:

- He/she goes back to work
- He/she finishes work
- He/she reaches home
- He/she has a shower
- He/she studies
- He/she has dinner
- He/she watches television
- He/she goes to bed or sleeps

English text corresponding to “Codi 7.3”:

- He/she is buying things/ He/she buys things
- He/she is sweeping the house/ He/she sweeps the house
- He/she is washing the clothes/ He/she washes the clothes
- He/she is cooking/ He/she cooks

Vocabulary & expressions:

- What time is it?

- It is one (1:00) o'clock sharp, midday or noon (12:00), eleven forty-five (11:45) quarter to twelve, ten forty-five (10.45) or forty-five past ten, twelve ten (12:10) or ten past twelve.
- What does he/she do?
- He/she wakes up, he/she washes his/her face, he/she goes to work, he/she works
- breakfast; goes back to work, leaves the work, reaches home, showers, studies, reads, has dinner, watches t.v, sleeps, goes shopping, cooks, cleans the house, washes the clothes, visits a friend.
- I take the kids to school; I dust the carpet; I take the bus.
- Do you like to cook, sleep, watch tv...?
- I like it a lot, a little, I dont like it at all.
- I don't mind.
- When, at what time?
- In the morning, in the afternoon, in the evening, late afternoon,, in the night, early morning, on Sundays, on Mondays, on weekdays, at 5 o'clock..., normally

1.8 WHAT'S WRONG WITH HIM/HER?

Use with images from “Codi 8.1” and “Codi 8.2” (pages 144 and 145 from [“Guia per als cercles de conversa del Pla local de Formació d'Adults de Salt”](#)).

English text corresponding to “Codi 8.1”:

- Driving School. He/she is happy
- Is sad
- Is bored
- Is worried
- Is nervous
- Is angry
- Is shameful or ashamed
- Is afraid

English text corresponding to “Codi 8.2”:

- Cry or crying
- Laugh or laughing
- Is feeling cold or is cold
- Is feeling warm or is warm
- Is feeling thirsty or is thirsty
- Is feeling hungry or is hungry
- Is feeling tired or is tired
- Is feeling fine or is fine

Vocabulary & expressions:

- What's wrong with him/her?
- He/She is feeling cold, hot, is hungry, is thirsty, is sleepy
- He is tired
- How is he/she?
- He/she is happy
- He/she is sad
- He/she is bored
- He/she is worried
- He/She is nervous
- He/she is angry
- He/she is scared, shy

- What is he/she doing?
- Laughs, cries
- Because his son is leaving; he has the driving licence; he has worked a lot
- He has problems; they have asked him for his papers; it is hot, snowing

1.9 PERSONAL INFORMATION

Vocabulary & expressions:

- Hello, good morning, I would like to join the school to learn catalan.
- Very well, name and surname?
- Marc Genet.
- What?
- g, e, n, e, t
- Address, telephone, date of birth, nationality, birth place, id number
- Passport
- Sorry, I dont understand...