

# ELEMENTARY-UNIT 2-WORK SKILLS

EMAILING- REQUESTING INFORMATION AND ANSWERING

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## 2 AGENDA:



I. Parts of a formal email

2. Key words for structuring your email

### 3 PARTS OF A FORMAL EMAIL





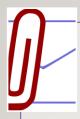
I. Opening- Saludo



2. Previous contact – Contacto previo (¿dónde conociste o cómo obtuviste el mail del destinatario?)



3. Request- Solicitud



4. Attachment – Archivo Adjunto

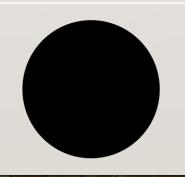


5. Future contact- Generar empatía hacia una respuesta



6. Closing - Despedida







## 4 PARTS OF A FORMAL EMAIL - EXAMPLE



#### **Opening**

• Dear Mr. Smith,



# Previous Contact

• It was very good to meet you via telephone yesterday. Thank you for your interest in our company and our products / services.



#### Request

• Could you please send me your contact information and the products/services you require from us?



#### **<u>Attachment</u>**

• Please find attached the list (in PDF) of our products/services so you can choose your favorite(s).



# Future contact

I look forward to serving you in the future.



#### **Closing**

Best regards= Kind regards.



# 5 KEY WORDS FOR STRUCTURING YOUR EMAIL Specialized English We care for your successi

- > Dear, Hi, Hello
- lt was very good to + verb (meet, listen, speak, talk)
- > It was very good to meet you
- > It was very good to listen to your conference
- It was very good to speak/talk to you via telephone yesterday
- > I'm so happy to see that you are subscribed in our mailing list
- Thank you for your interest in our company and our products / services.
- ➤ Thank you very much for your email
- ➤ Could you please (+ verb ) send me your contact information and the products/services you require from us?
- ➤ Would you please be so kind and send us your requirements?

- ➤ Could you please phone me tomorrow at 1 pm?
- ➤ Would you please contact my assistant?
- ➤ Could you please forward the email?
- ➤ Please find attached the list (in PDF) of our products/services so you can choose your favorite(s).
- Attached you can see the information about the results of last year
- ➤ I'm attaching all the procedures that we need to deliver
- ➤ I look forward to serving you in the future.
- ▶ I'm looking forward to meeting you!
- ➤ Best regards= Kind regards.
- Greetings.

# 6 ¿QUÉ SIGNIFICA EL "LOOK FORWARD"?



Look **forward** to something means to be pleased or excited that it is **going** to happen.

The 'to' in look **forward** to is a preposition, so we must follow it by a **noun phrase or a verb in the -ing** form:

"I'm looking forward to the holidays."

"We're looking forward to going to Switzerland next month."

## LINKS FOR PRACTICING



- <a href="https://dictionary.cambridge.org/grammar/british-grammar/verb-patterns/look-forward-to-">https://dictionary.cambridge.org/grammar/british-grammar/verb-patterns/look-forward-to-</a>
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