

English for Internationalization Purposes

Unit 4

Academic reading

Unit 4 Overview



As the international language of academia, English is the medium of communication between scholars worldwide. One of the most important skills for students is the ability to read an academic article in English.

In this unit, you will learn vocabulary which frequently appears in academic texts, read an academic article and test your knowledge about it.

A useful tip: when reading a long academic text, it helps to keep the questions in mind and focus on the information needed in order to answer the questions.



Structure

Part 1

1. Learn about the AWL (academic word list)
2. Review words from the list
3. Take a quiz about some of these words

Part 2

1. Learn about the structure of a research article.
2. Read an abstract of research article and practice some reading comprehension questions.
3. Open the complete article and answer comprehension questions.
4. Share your opinion on the group forum



Assessment

- Part 1 : 5%
- Part 2: 20%

Note: The answers are graded automatically after you have submitted them.





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