



CAL Continuing Tamil 2021

Canberra Academy of Languages

Term Overview Q4 – Diverse Perspectives “b”

Summary of weekly modules

Week	To do in class	To do at home
Week 9 8/09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Return/review of reading assessment task Evaluation for previous semester if not yet done (go to the Programs page on CAL Website, select “Policies” from the list of links under “On this page”, look under the subheading “Other documents”) Overview of weekly modules for Q4 Tamilar Vilayatukal (Domains 1 & 3) In class explanation and discussion about Tamil sports Understanding various Tamil sports and its existence and nonexistence of certain sport and the reasons for it. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research and choose a Tamil indoor game or sport and write a short description about the game. Watch a Video related to Tamil sport. Link would be provided by the teacher
Week 10 15/09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tamil Short Stories (Domains 1,2 & 3) Introduction of different type of shorts stories and their authors Role of stories or novel in the society 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students should read a story of their choice using the link provided in the weekly module. They should also work on the TVU’s intermediate book.
Spring Break		
Week 11 6/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tamil Festivals (Domains 1, 3, & 5) Different Tamil festivals celebrated Reasons and use behind the festivals Cultural value and beliefs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students should read the chapter “Tamizhar Peruvizha” and work on the exercises attached to the chapter.
Week 12 13/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tamil Education and Education through Tamil. (Domains 1, 3, & 5) Preparation for the speaking assessment task 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students have two listening task and an article to read. They are based on the significance of mother Tongue. Students should also submit their topic, focus questions and the sources for their reading task this week.
Week 13 20/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speaking assessment task (enquiry-based) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students would continue to work on the exercises in the intermediate book .
Week 14 27/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Return speaking assessment task 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students would continue to study the grammar learnt in class and practice.
Week 15 3/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation for the writing assessment task 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students prepare for their writing task choose their domain, topic and clarify any doubts regarding the task.
Week 16 10/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing assessment task (test conditions or, if COVID safety requires, online writing task) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Based on the Year level student’s try to complete the set exercises in the TVU’s intermediate course

Week 17 17/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Return writing assessment task • Semester scores finalized • Check work submitted • Semester 2 program evaluation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students were encouraged to use the techniques used in class to write Tamil without any spelling mistakes and practice at home. • Students were also introduced to Bharathithasan's poems and taught to learn and enjoy his poems about societal issues and family in Tamil.
Weeks 18-20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No face-to-face classes • Semester reports • Moderation portfolios • CAL end of year ceremony (14 December, 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 12 students please attend the CAL End of Year Ceremony if you are in Canberra). • Please confirm your intention to attend and the number of guests requested, with rsvp to info@cal.act.edu.au.

For more information about the domains covered by the subject areas, see the unit outline. For more information about the activities and exercises, see the weekly modules.