

## Midterm Checklist—ELL B

Your midterm exam will count as 20% of your semester grade, the same as one 4 week grade period.

The exam will be given from 10:45-12:15, Thursday January 7<sup>th</sup>.

The exam will include most of the material we have studied this semester. This guide is to help you remember what we covered and what to study. **Most of the study you do should come from reviewing the materials in your binder, and not from this guide.**

Do not wait until the night before to study for the exam. There is too much material. If you are still confused during study, search for the topic on the internet. There is a lot of helpful information for ELL students out there.

These are the main topics on your exam. The percentages I have put next to each topic are an **estimation** of their total value on the exam. Topics we spent more time on will be worth more points.

### **1. Food and Restaurant Vocabulary, Count/Non-count nouns-15%**

Study the worksheets on these topics.

### **2. Hometown, and City Vocabulary (Transportation, History, Economy). 15%**

Be prepared to write a short description of your hometown, using some of the same information as was on your poster.

### **3. Comparatives and Superlatives- 20%**

Be prepared to correctly use the forms on the worksheet (the one with a big list of adjectives: big, bigger, biggest, etc.)

### **4. Idioms. 25%**

Be able to select the correct idiom to use in a sentence. You will have some multiple choice and some sentence completion. Study the sheets, 1-13, and your tests.

### **5. Verb tenses 25%**

Be able to correctly use the tenses we studied. You will have multiple choice and sentence completion questions. Study the worksheets on those topics. If you want more help, a good place to start is this website:

<http://www.ego4u.com/en/cram-up/grammar/tenses>

It has a list of all the tenses, their forms, words that we often use with them (signal words), and their yes/no/question forms. It's a very convenient way to review.

We will have Monday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> to review, and you can ask me questions in person any time that week.