

Social language list

This is a unit-by-unit list of all the productive social language from *Top Notch Fundamentals*.

Welcome Unit

Hi, [Len].	Not bad.	Bye.
How are you?	So-so.	See you tomorrow.
How's everything?	And you?	See you later.
How's it going?	Good-bye.	OK. See you.
Fine. / I'm fine.	Good-bye, [Emily].	Take care.
Fine, thanks.		

Unit 1

What do you do?	I'm [Laura].	Hello.
I'm [an architect].	That's [Marie].	I'm [John Bello].
And you?	Where?	Excuse me?
Excuse me.	Right over there.	How do you spell that?
Are you [Marie]?	Thank you.	B-E-L-L-O.
No, I'm not.	You're welcome.	Thanks!

Unit 2

Where are you from?	Nice to meet you.	My [first name]?
We're from Canada.	Nice to meet you, too.	What's your name?
[Tom], this is [Paula].	What's your [last name], please?	And what's your phone number?
[Paula]'s my [classmate].	And your [first name]?	That's right.
Hi, [Paula].		

Unit 3

Excuse me. Where's the [bank]?	And what about the [school]?	How do you go to [school]?
It's [around the corner].	Don't [drive]. [Walk].	By [subway].
Can I [walk] to the [bookstore]?	Go by [bus].	What about you?
Sure.	OK. Thanks!	Me?

Unit 4

Who's that?	Tell me about your [father].	I have one [brother] and two [sisters].
That's my [father].	Well, [he's] a [doctor].	Really?
Who [are they]?	And [he's] very [tall].	How old is your [brother]?
They're [my sisters, Mindy and Jen].	And how about your [mother]?	And your [sisters]?

Unit 5

What time is the [meeting]?	Look.	Really?
[10:00]. / At [10:00].	There's a [dance] on [Wednesday].	Let's meet at [10:15].
Uh-oh. Am I late?	Great!	When's your birthday?
[No]. It's [five to ten].	What time?	My birthday's in [November].
That's right.	At [Pat's Restaurant].	On the [13th].
You're [early].		

Unit 6

I really like that [dress].	No, I'm sorry. We don't.	Well, it's [nice], but [it's] a little [tight].
Do you have [this sweater] in [green]?	That's too bad.	Let's keep looking.
Yes, we do.	What do you think of [this jacket]?	
Great.	I think [it's nice].	

Unit 7

Are you a morning person or an evening person?
Me?
I'm definitely [an evening person].
And why do you say that?
Well,...

What's your typical day like?
And what do you do in your free time?
Pretty much the same.
So how often do you [do the laundry]?
About [twice a week].
How about you?

Could I ask another question?
Sure.
Who [cleans the house]?
Oh that's [my brother]'s job.

Unit 8

Do you live far from here?
About [fifteen minutes] by [bus].
And is the neighborhood nice?
My [apartment] is near a [park and a mall].

Do you live in [a house] or [an apartment]?
What's it like?
Well, there are [three large bedrooms], and it has [a large kitchen].
Sounds nice!

This is a nice [sofa].
What do you think?
Actually, I think it's [beautiful].
And what about this [lamp]?
I don't know.
I'm not sure.

Unit 9

Hi, [Molly]. [Jonathan].
Hey, [Jonathan].
I'm calling from [Vancouver].
How's the weather there in [São Paulo]?
Today? [Awful!]. It's [raining and cold].
Terrible!
Nice!
Great!
Beautiful!
No kidding! It's [hot and sunny] here.

Hello? (to answer the phone)
Hi, [Grace]. This is [Jessica].
What are you doing?
Well, actually, I'm [doing the laundry] right now.
Oh, I'm sorry. Should I call you back later?
Yes, thanks.
Talk to you later.
Bye.
What [beautiful] weather.

It's so [sunny] and [warm]!
It really is!
So, [Kate], are you doing anything special this weekend?
Well, on [Saturday], I'm [meeting Pam in the park].
Do you want to get together on [Sunday]?
Sure!
Call me [Sunday morning], OK?

Unit 10

How about some [green bean salad]?
That sounds delicious! I love [green beans].
Are there any [beans in the fridge]?
I'll check.

Would you like [coffee] or [tea]?
I'd like [coffee], please.
No, thanks.
Please pass the [butter].
Here you go.

Nice to see you!
You too, [Rita]. Do you come here often?
Would you like to join me?
Mmm. Sounds good.

Unit 11

Where were you [last night]?
What time?
At about [8:00].
I was at [home]. Why?
Because there was a [party] at [Celia's house].
There was?

Too bad I wasn't there!
So what did you do [yesterday]?
What about [after work]?
Did you do anything special?
Not really. I just [made dinner and watched a movie].

Did you have a good weekend?
Let me think. Oh yeah. I [had a great weekend].
Well, [on Saturday], the weather was [great], so we [went for a walk].

Unit 12

Who's that? [She] looks familiar.
The [woman] with [the long, dark hair].
Oh, that's [Ivete Sangalo]. [She]'s a [singer] from [Brazil].

What happened?
I'm sorry to hear that. Does it hurt a lot?
Actually, [no. It doesn't].
I don't feel well.

What's wrong?
You really should [take something].
Good idea.
I hope you feel better.

Unit 13

Can you [draw]?
Actually, [yes, I can]. [Can you]?
No, I can't.
Really? That's too bad.
Let's [go to a movie].

I'm really sorry, but [I'm too busy].
That's OK. Maybe some other time.
Could you do me a favor?
Could you please [close the door]?
My pleasure.

No problem.
OK.
Of course.
Sure.

Unit 14

Where were you born?
[Here]. [In Houston].
And did you grow up [here]?
I was born in [Lima].

Any plans for [the weekend]?
Not really. I'm just going to [hang out
with friends].
So what are your dreams for the future?

Me? Actually, I'd like to [travel].