Open CL-150 Cohorts – Week 10

Since March, we’ve been openly sharing our weekly CL-150 Cohort lessons to help US Government language programs meet the challenges presented by COVID-19.

As we prepare to wrap up the Open CL-150 Cohorts program next week, we’d like to invite you to explore more of the CL-150 Platform. If you’ve been benefitting from these Cohort lessons, join us at one of the CL-150 Open Houses next week to learn more about related capabilities for supporting US Government language learners, instructors, and program managers.

The Week 10 lessons are listed below, and you can find prior weeks’ lessons here:

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Find your Cohort Lesson from the list below or via the downloadable PDF*.

*Note: Those of you already using the CL-150 Platform for yourself or your program should ignore this. You already should access lessons via your CL-150 account to ensure your learning time is tracked and reported.

Arabic, Iraqi

- ILR 2, 05/18/20: What Is Air Doctor (Science/Coronavirus 2020)
- ILR 2+, 05/18/20: Secret Books Warning of ISIS Attack (Politics/Arab news broadcasting)
- ILR 3, 05/18/20: What Is the Role of the Resistance Factions in Iraq (Politics/Zagros TV)
- COVID-19 News, 05/11/20: Opening Mosques during This Period Is Dangerous (Society/Alhurra Iraq)

Arabic, Levantine

- ILR 2, 05/18/2020: Robotna Girls Team Wins International Robotics Competition (Technology/Jordan TV/Jordanian)
- ILR 2+, 05/18/20: The Markets of the the Old City of Jerusalem (Culture/Tahani Obeid/Palestinian)
- ILR 3, 05/18/20: Marriage of Syrian Minors in Jordan (Society/RT Arabic/Jordanian)
- COVID-19 News, 05/12/20: Did a Second Wave of Coronavirus Cases Start? (Security/Elnashra TV/Lebanese)

Arabic, MSA

- ILR 2, 05/18/20: Zoom Security Issues (Security/Youm7)
- ILR 2+, 05/18/20: Criminalization of Female Genital Mutilation in Sudan
Chinese, Mandarin

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: U.S. Government Tightened Visa Rules for Chinese Journalists (Political/rthk.hk/Traditional)
- **ILR 2+, 05/18/20**: What Languages Are Spoken in Taiwan? (Culture/gvm/Traditional)
- **ILR 3, 05/18/20**: China’s Anxiety About Its Image (Politics/cw.com.tw/Traditional)
- **COVID-19 News, 05/14/20**: Are Masks Required During PE Classes? (Society/thepaper.cn)

Farsi

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: Five Iranians Jailed Abroad on Military Activity Charges (Military/Radiofarda)
- **ILR 2+, 05/18/20**: ISIS Called Corona the Soldier of God (Military/Ir.sputniknews)
- **ILR 3, 05/18/20**: Escape From Prison and Revolt or Wait in the Slaughterhouse (Society/Gozareshgar)

German

- **COVID-19 News, 05/15/2020**: Coronavirus in the Air and Risk of Infection (Science/n-tv)

Hebrew

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: Israel Joins “Immune Countries Alliance” (Politics/Globes)
- **ILR 2+, 05/18/20**: Angry Facebook Post About Not Wearing Face Masks (Facebook/Society)
- **ILR 3, 05/18/20**: Politics Does Not Supercede the Law (Politics/Globes)

Korean

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: Guard Post Shooting (Military/YTN News/South Korea)
- **ILR 2+, 05/18/20**: A New Approach to Teaching (Society/Tongil Voice)
- **ILR 3, 05/18/20**: One Family (Culture/Tongil Voice)
- **COVID-19 News, 05/13/20**: Second Wave of Spreading (Society/YTN News/South Korea)

Pashto, Afghan

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: Presidential Palace: The Crime Committed Against Afghans on the Border with Iran Is Unforgivable (Society/Enikass Radio)
- **ILR 2+, 05/18/20**: National Security Council: The Taliban Must Stop Killing Afghans (Politics/Ariana News)
- **ILR 3, 05/18/20**: Is the United States Forgetting Afghanistan Due to The Covid-19 Crisis? (Politics/Spoghmai Radio)
- **COVID-19 News, 05/14/20**: The Coronavirus Cases Increased by 413 in the Country (Society/Tolo News)

Pashto, Pakistani

- **ILR 2, 05/18/20**: Protest Against the Killing of Pashtun Leader Arif Wazir (Politics/Enikass Radio)
• ILR 2+, 05/18/20: Quarantine and Fasting: How to Avoid Depression, Anger and Conflicts? (Science/Mashaal Radio)
• ILR 3, 05/18/20: Should Help the Poor Behind the Scenes or in Front of Everyone? (Society/Tatobay News)

Portuguese, Brazilian

• COVID-19 News, 05/15/20: Indicator Points out Impacts of Covid-19 on the Brazilian Economy (Economy/Jornal do Brasil)

Russian

• ILR 2, 05/18/20: Space Research (Science/Aif)
• ILR 2+, 05/18/20: No Optimism Over Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (Military/kommersant)
• ILR 3, 05/18/20: They Commemorated Tragedy and Heroism (Society/novayagazeta)
• COVID-19 News, 05/14/20: Moscow’s Willingness to Lift Restrictions (Social/Iz)

Spanish, Latin American

• ILR 2, 05/18/20: FARC Asked Colombian Government to Release Guerrillas (Politics/PanAm Post)
• ILR 2+, 05/18/20: Demand for Beer Increases in Mexico (Society/Jornada)
• ILR 3, 05/18/20: Technological Sovereignty (Science/El Tiempo)

Urdu

• ILR 2, 05/18/20: Easing in Lockdown Will Further Spread the Corona Epidemic (Security/HUM News)
• ILR 2+, 05/18/20: National Assembly Session on Coronavirus (Politics/VOA Urdu)
• ILR 3, 05/18/20: Salute to Al-Khidmat Foundation (Society/Nawaiwaqt)
• COVID-19 News, 05/15/20: Implementation of Special Directives in Markets (Politics/VOA Urdu)
• COVID-19 News, 05/18/20: Pakistan Government Makes Face Masks Mandatory (Society/Siasat)