Academic Writing

Stephen Bailey 2003-12-16 Ideal for overseas students studying at English-medium colleges and universities, this practical writing course enables international students to meet the required standard of writing and use an appropriate style for essays, exams and dissertations. Newly revised and updated to include extra exercises and material suggested by teachers and students. Academic Writing: Style & Substance demonstrates all the key writing skills and is ideal for use in the classroom or for independent study. Useful at every stage of an academic career and beyond, this indispensable book features: different styles and formats from essays to letters to formality of language to focus on accuracy combining language skills to complete answers to a comprehensive answer key at the back of the book enables you to check on your progress.

Modern Brazilian Portuguese Grammar Workbook

John Whittam 2017-03-16 The second edition of Modern Brazilian Portuguese Grammar Workbook is an innovative book of exercises and language tasks for all learners of Brazilian Portuguese. The book is divided into two sections: • Part A provides exercises based on essential grammatical structures • Part B practises everyday functions (e.g. making social contact, asking questions and expressing needs). A comprehensive answer key at the back of the book enables you to check on your progress. The Modern Brazilian Portuguese Grammar Workbook is ideal for all learners who have a basic knowledge of Brazilian Portuguese, including undergraduates taking Brazilian Portuguese as a major or minor part of their studies, as well as intermediate and advanced school, adult education and self-study students. While the Modern Brazilian Portuguese Grammar: A Practical Guide, it can also serve as an independent resource.

Revitalizing endangered languages: Justyna Ołko 2021-11-15 or the fifty or so languages that may never be spoken by the end of the twenty-first century. Languages are endangered by a number of factors, including globalization, education policies, and the political, economic and cultural marginalization of minority groups. This guidebook provides ideas and strategies, as well as some background, to help with the effective revitalization of endangered languages. It covers a broad scope of themes including effective planning, benefits, wellbeing, economic aspects, attitudes and ideologies. The chapter authors have hands-on experience of language revitalization in many countries around the world, and each chapter includes a wealth of examples, such as case studies from specific languages and language areas. Clearly and accessibly written, it is suitable for non-specialists as well as academic researchers and students interested in language revitalization. This book is also available as Open Access on Cambridge Core.

Modern Mandarin Chinese Grammar Workbook

Claudia Ross 2014-08-21 Modern Mandarin Chinese Grammar Workbook is a book of exercises and language tasks for all learners of Mandarin Chinese. Divided into two sections, the Workbook initially provides exercises based on essential grammatical structures, and moves on to practice everyday functions such as making introductions, apologizing and expressing needs. With an extensive answer key at the back to enable students to check on their progress, main features include: exercises at various levels of challenge for a wide range of learners cross-referencing to textbook exercises; illustrations from everyday life. Plus, find helpful features on key Chinese vocabulary, alphabetically arranged in terms of structures, functions, and key Chinese structure vocabulary. This second edition also offers a revised and expanded selection of exercises including task-based exercises. Modern Mandarin Chinese Grammar Workbook is ideal for all learners of Mandarin Chinese, from beginner to intermediate and advanced students. It can be used both independently and alongside the Modern Mandarin Chinese Grammar (978-0-415-92714-0), which is also published by Routledge.

Mandarin Chinese Grammar A Practical Guide

William Z. Shetter 2002 This Grammar shows, step by step, how the Chinese language is used. The headings will provide readers with immediate access to the information they need. This third edition includes a wealth of examples, such as case studies from specific languages and language areas. Clearly and accessibly written, it is suitable for non-specialists as well as academic researchers and students interested in language revitalization. This book is also available as Open Access on Cambridge Core.

Mandarin Chinese Grammar Workbook

Adam Ledgeway 2016 Series

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Dirty Portuguese

Brandon Shimoda 2013-02-06

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Karen Kellek 2011-05-23

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Margaret Lang 2004-08-02

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Colloquial Portuguese of Brazil

Viviane Gontijo 2016-10-04

This new and completely revised edition of Colloquial Portuguese of Brazil provides a step-by-step course in Portuguese as it is written and spoken in Brazil today. Combining a user-friendly approach with a thorough treatment of the language, it equips learners with the essential skills needed to communicate confidently and effectively in Brazilian Portuguese in a broad range of situations. With a strong emphasis on the language as it is written and spoken in Brazil, this new edition features progressive coverage of speaking, listening, reading and writing skills structured, jargon-free explanation of grammar an extensive range of focused and stimulating exercises realistic and entertaining dialogues covering a broad variety of scenarios useful vocabulary lists throughout the text and end-of-volume key phrases Colloquial Portuguese of Brazil will be an indispensable resource both for independent learners and students taking courses in Brazilian Portuguese.

Colloquial Portuguese of Brazil

Cristina Sousa 2014-11-13

This Portuguese: A Grammar and Workbook comprises an accessible reference grammar and related exercises in a single volume. Twenty units cover the core material which students can expect to encounter in their first year of learning Portuguese. Grammar points are followed by examples and exercises which allow students to reinforce and consolidate their learning. Clearly presented and user-friendly, Basic Portuguese provides readers with a thorough grounding in the fundamentals of Portuguese grammar.

Parentology

Sheila A. Rebhun 2011-09-01

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Amelia P. Hutchinson 2004-06-01

Parentology is brilliant, jaw-droppingly funny, and full of wisdom…bound to change your thinking about parenting and its conventions” (Amy Chua, author of Battle Hymn of the Tiger Mother). If you’re like many parents, you might ask family and friends for advice when faced with important choices about how to raise your kids. You might turn to parenting books or simply rely on time-worn religious or cultural traditions. But when Dunton Conley, a dual-doctorate scientist and full-blown nerd, needed childecaring advice, he turned to scientific research to make the big decisions. In Parentology, Conley hilarious reports the results of those experiments, from encouraging his kids to do math (since studies show conditional cash transfers improve experiments are very loving, and the outcomes are redemptive—even when Shimoda—again riding the bus—took in his fellow passengers: their voices, names learn not to react when their peers tease them) to getting a vasectomy control by giving them weird names (because evidence shows kids with unique

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