## LESSON PREPARATION INTERMEDIATE UNIT THIRTEEN

#### **VOCABULARY AND EXPRESSION BUILDERS**

# **Dressing for work Vocabulary Effective:** Efficient and helpful. He is an effective manager.

Vary: To be different.

Styles of dress vary according to culture.

**A suit:** A professional uniform. He wears a suit to work every day.

**Competitive:** To contend with competition. This industry is in a very competitive sector. **Maximize:** To make the best of a situation.

We want to maximize on the situation. We should use

a competitive marketing campaign. **To dress down:** To be casual.

The event is not formal. We can dress down.

Prospect: A possible new client.

They were looking for prospects in the new market.

Career migration: Change of career.

His strategy was to migrate his career. He wanted to change sectors.

**Imitating:** To copy.

The employee imitated the boss.

Compliment: To match.

His dressing style complimented the office.



#### **SPEAKING ENGLISH**

#### **Telephone requests**

She was looking at a career migration to maximize her potential.

She imitates the way her boss dresses.

She wore clothes that complimented her style.

She varies the way she dresses by wearing suits.



### **TECHNIQUE BUILDERS**

By: Used to express how we do something / how we travel / beside
We went by plane.
I did it by hand.

We communicate by phone. I paid by check.
The umbrella is by the door.



#### **WRITING BUILDERS**

#### **Expressions**

To send the right signals.

To communicate the right information.

They were not sending the right signals with their dressing style.

#### Fake it till you make it.

To pretend until you arrive.

She thought she would "fake it til she made it "and eventually got the promotion.

