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Lesson Numbers	Overview of Lesson Plan	Key Content Covered
1&2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Cambridge CAE • Handing Over of GMAT.cz CAE General Preparation Package • Introduce Methodology for Vocabulary Log • Introduce Methodology for Grammar Checklist 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE Overview: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paper1 READING – Part1 Multiple Choice; Part2 Gapped Text; Part3 Multiple Choice; Part4 Multiple Matching ○ Paper2 WRITING – Parts 1 & 2 ○ Paper3 USE OF ENGLISH (UOE) – Part1 Multiple-choice Cloze; Part2 Open Cloze; Part3 Word Formation; Part4 Gapped Sentences; Part5 Key Word Transformation ○ Paper4 LISTENING – Part1 Multiple Choice; Part2 Sentence Completion; Part3 Multiple Choice; Part4 Multiple Matching ○ Paper5 SPEAKING – Part1 Conversation; Part2 Individual Long Turn; Part3 Two-way Conversation; Part4 Discussion • Course Book: CAE GOLD PLUS (Pearson/Longman) • Home Assignment: Grammar Overview Exercise page7
3&4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit1 – Tuning In 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening – Multiple Choice (Part1) ○ Grammar – Overview ○ Reading – Multiple Matching (Part4) • Home Assignment: Vocabulary – Word Formation (Suffixes) Gapped Text Exercise

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5&6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit1 – Tuning In ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit1 – Tuning In ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Use of English – Open Cloze (Part2) ○ Exam Focus – Paper5 SPEAKING: Conversation (Part1) ○ Grammar 2 –Verb Tenses (Perfect Aspect) ○ Writing – Drafting & Organising • Home Assignment: Writing Activity page 188
7&8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening1 - Radio Programme ○ Speaking – Giving Opinions (Part3) ○ Exam Focus – Paper1 READING: Multiple Choice (Part1) • Home Assignment: Unit1 Review
9&10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grammar1 – Defining & Non-defining Relative Clauses ○ Use Of English – Word Formation (Part3) ○ Vocabulary1 – Compound Adjectives ○ Listening2 – Multiple Choice (Part3) • Home Assignment:
11&12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit2 – Spend It Or Save It ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Advertising & Marketing ○ Grammar2 – Articles ○ Writing – Informal Letter (Part2) • Home Assignment: Writing Exercise – A Letter to a Friend page 191

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13&14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vocabulary – Adjectives of Character ○ Grammar – Modal Verbs 1 ○ Exam Focus – Paper 4 LISTENING: Multiple Matching (Part4) • Home Assignment: Unit2 Review
15&16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading – Multiple Choice (Part3) ○ Grammar – Gerunds & Infinitives ○ Speaking – Language of Possibility & Speculation • Home Assignment: Use Of English – Multiple-choice Cloze (Part1); Unit3 Review
17&18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit3 – What Makes us Tick ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Writing – Information Sheet (Part2) • Home Assignment:
19 & 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit4 – Pushing the Boundaries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit4 – Pushing the Boundaries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vocabulary1 - Science ○ Speaking – Parts 3 & 4 ○ Grammar1 – Conditionals (overview) ○ Exam Focus – Paper4 LISTENING: Multiple Choice (Part1) • Home Assignment: Reading – Gapped Text (Part2)

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21&22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Home Assignment Monitor Vocabulary Log CAE GOLD PLUS unit4 – Pushing the Boundaries ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAE GOLD PLUS unit4 – Pushing the Boundaries ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listening – Sentence Completion (Part2) Vocabulary2 – Medical Word Formation Grammar – Conditionals (advanced) Vocabulary3 – Collocations, Fixed Phrases & Idioms Home Assignment: Exam Focus – Paper3 USE OF ENGLISH – Gapped Sentences (Part4); Paper2 WRITING – Article (Part2)
23&24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Home Assignment Monitor Vocabulary Log CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listening1 – Multiple Matching (Part4) Grammar1 – Intensifiers/Modifiers Vocabulary – Sports & Hobbies; Exam Focus – Paper1 READING: Multiple Matching (Part4) Home Assignment: Unit4 Review
25&26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Home Assignment Monitor Vocabulary Log CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vocabulary1 – Word Formation (prefixes) Use Of English – Word Formation (Part3) Speaking – Agreeing & Adding Information (Parts 3 & 4) Grammar2 – Intensifying Comparative Forms Vocabulary2 – Sports Idioms Home Assignment: Use Of English – Open Cloze (Part2)
27&28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Home Assignment Monitor Vocabulary Log CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAE GOLD PLUS unit5 – Thrills & Skills ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listening2 – Multiple Choice (Part3) Writing – A Reference (Part2)

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Assignment: Units 1 – 5 Progress Test
29&30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit6 – Family Ties 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit6 – Family Ties: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading1 – Article Comprehension ○ Listening1 – Radio Extracts ○ Grammar1 – Hypothetical Meaning “Wish” ○ Exam Focus – Paper5 SPEAKING: Collaborative Task/Discussion (Part3 &4) ○ Vocabulary1 – Word + Preposition(s) • Home Assignment: Reading2 – Multiple Choice (Part1)
31&32	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit6 – Family Ties ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit6 – Family Ties ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grammar2 – Substitution/Ellipsis ○ Listening2 – Adjectives of Character ○ Exam Focus – Paper3 USE OF ENGLISH – Key Word Transformations (Part5) ○ Vocabulary2 – Easily Confused Words • Home Assignment: Writing – Competition Entry (Part2): Useful Writing Language Reference
33&34	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exam Focus – Paper4 LISTENING: Sentence Completion (Part2) ○ Vocabulary – Phrasal Verbs ○ Speaking1 – Two-Way Conversation (Part3) ○ Reading – Multiple Choice (Part3) • Home Assignment: Unit6 Review

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35&36	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Speaking2 – Individual Long Turn (Part2) ○ Grammar1 – Ways of Referring to the Future ○ Vocabulary2 – Words with Similar Meaning • Home Assignment:
37&38	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit7 – Creative Talents ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ USE OF ENGLISH – Word Formation (Part3) ○ Grammar2 – Verb Patterns ○ Writing – Review (Part2) • Home Assignment: Write a Review (Writing Reference page204)
39&40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit8 – What Keeps Us Going 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit8 – What Keeps Us Going: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening1 – Making Notes ○ Vocabulary – Three-part Phrasal Verbs ○ Use Of English1: Word Formation (Part3) ○ Exam Focus – Paper1 READING: Gapped Text (Part2) • Home Assignment: Unit7 Review
41&42	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit8 – What Keeps Us Going ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit8 – What Keeps Us Going ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Use Of English2 – Multiple-choice Cloze (Part1) ○ Grammar1 – Direct& Reported Speech ○ Listening2 – Multiple Choice (Part3): Interview with a Soap Star ○ Speaking – Comparing (Part2) ○ Grammar2 – Reporting Words • Home Assignment: Writing – Proposal (Part1)

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43&44	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Speaking1 – Choosing an Image (Parts 3 & 4) ○ Grammar1 – Review of Narrative Tenses ○ Reading – Multiple Matching (Part4) • Home Assignment: Unit8 Review
45&46	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vocabulary – Dependent Prepositions; Adjectives & Nouns ○ Listening – Sentence Completion (Part2) ○ Grammar2 – Emphasis (cleft sentences with <i>what</i>) ○ Speaking2 – Individual Long Turn (Part2) • Home Assignment: Writing – Competition Entry (Part2); Writing Reference page208
47&48	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road ctd. • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit9 – On The Road ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exam Focus – Paper3 USE OF ENGLISH: Open Cloze (Part2) ○ Unit9 Review • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening1 – Discussion ○ Grammar1 – Countable/Uncountable Nouns • Home Assignment: Reading – Gapped Text (Part2)
49&50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exam Focus –Paper4 LISTENING: Multiple Choice (Part3) ○ Use Of English – Open Cloze

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (Part2) ○ Grammar2 – Introductory <i>It</i> (as preparatory subject/object); <i>It</i> + Reporting Verb ○ Speaking – Sounding Interested • Home Assignment: Writing – Report (Part1); Writing Reference pages 199 & 207
51&52	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature ctd. • Trouble Shooting Session Units 6 - 10 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit10 – Close To Nature ctd.; ○ Vocabulary – Phrasal Verbs & Compound Nouns • Trouble Shooting Session Units 6 - 10 • Home Assignment: Units 6 – 10 Progress Test
53&54	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind: ○ Grammar1 – Modal Verbs2 ○ Vocabulary1 – Expressions With <i>take, mind, brains</i> ○ Exam Focus – Paper1 READING: Multiple Choice (Part3) • Home Assignment: Use Of English1 – Multiple-choice Cloze (Part1)
55&56	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind ctd.: ○ Grammar2 – Emphasis With Inversion ○ Speaking1 – Individual Long Turn (Part2) ○ Vocabulary2 – Phrasal Verbs & Expressions With <i>think</i> ○ Use Of English2 – Gapped Sentences (Part4) • Home Assignment: Writing – Article (Part2)
57&58	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind ctd. • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit11 – Always on My Mind ctd.: ○ Listening – Sentence Completion (Part2) ○ Speaking2 – Discussing a

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		Question
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading – Multiple Choice (Part1) ○ Vocabulary – Idiomatic Language/Collocations • Home Assignment: Unit11 Review
59&60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grammar1 – Passives1 ○ Reading2 – Book Synopsis ○ Exam Focus – Paper3 USE OF ENGLISH: Word Formation (Part3) • Home Assignment: Grammar2 – The Future in the Past
61&62	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit12 – A Matter of Time ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening – Multiple Matching (Part4) ○ Speaking – Two-way Conversation (Part3) ○ Use Of English – Open Cloze (Part2) • Home Assignment: Writing – Essay (Part2); Writing Reference page210
63&64	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading – Multiple Matching (Part4) ○ Vocabulary1 – Adverbials Expressing Attitude ○ Grammar1 – Participle Clauses • Home Assignment: Unit12 Review
65&66	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Speaking – Discussion (Parts 3& 4) ○ Exam Focus – Paper3 USE

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		<p>OF ENGLISH: Multiple – choice Cloze (Part1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vocabulary2 – Communication Idioms ○ Grammar2 – Passives2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Assignment: Writing – Proposal (Part2)
67&68	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit13 – A Way with Words ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Listening – Multiple Choice (Part1) ○ Vocabulary3 – Similes (like/as) • Home Assignment: Unit13 Review
69&70	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading1 – Multiple Choice (Part1) ○ Use of English – Open Cloze (Part2) ○ Vocabulary1 – Books & Stories • Home Assignment: Writing – The Set Book (Part2 Question5)
71&72	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exam Focus – Paper5 SPEAKING (Parts1 – 4) ○ Listening – Multiple Choice (Part1) ○ Vocabulary2 - Synonyms ○ Grammar – Mistakes to Avoid (Spelling & Punctuation) • Home Assignment: Writing – Paper2 Overview
73&74	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Home Assignment • Monitor Vocabulary Log • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It ctd. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAE GOLD PLUS unit14 – It's How You Tell It ctd.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reading2 – Planning to Take the Exam? • Home Assignment:

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75-80	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review Home Assignment• Monitor Vocabulary Log• CAE GOLD PLUS Complete Review and Trouble Shooting• CAE GOLD PLUS iTests	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complete Vocabulary review• Complete Grammar Review• CAE GOLD PLUS iTests in-class & home assignments
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N.B. Between each teaching session, material not completed in class will be finished at home. Listening will be completed in class. The final 6 teaching sessions will vary depending on work completed in home assignments by student and their overall understanding. While this course is adequate to prepare students generally for the CAE, it would be advisable to advance to the GMAT.cz EXAM DRILLING course or a similarly focused CAE Exam Practice Course as offered by GMAT.cz.