

## ESL 4: Our World

### Scope and Sequence

<b>Chapter and Title</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Vocabulary</b>	<b>Grammar</b>	<b>Culture Topics</b>	<b>Story Title/Genre</b>
Chapter 1: My Body	Describing aches and pains and different body parts	Parts of the body, anatomy, body systems	Conditional sentences	Biology and anatomy class; getting health care in the United States	“The Monster in the Lake”; fiction
Chapter 2: Injury and Illness	Discussing physical and mental health	Common illnesses and diseases, symptoms, emotions		Mental health care; children of immigrants as translators	“Home Sick”; fiction
Chapter 3: Cultural Identity	Giving information about nationalities, languages, religion, and cultural identities	Nationalities, languages, religions	Past tense	Language in the United States; American ethnicities; stereotypes	“Bruno Mars’ Racial Identity”; non-fiction
Chapter 4: The Environment	Discussing environmental degradation and how to care for the environment	Environmental issues; types of resources; recyclable materials	Conditional sentences	Recycling in the United States; Environmental Protection Agency	“Zero-Waste Girl”; non-fiction
Chapter 5: Travel and Discovery	Planning a vacation and making reservations	Geography; vacation activities; words to use in the airport and at the hotel	Formal register	TSA; vacations in the United States	“Vacation to Hawaii”; fiction
Chapter 6: Science and Technology	Discussing common technology and scientific developments	Technology; inventions; scientific fields		Internet and text slang; studying programming; using virtual reality	“Technology in Schools”; pro and con
Chapter 7: Our Universe	Describing our solar system and the universe	Planets; types of stars and galaxies		SpaceX developments; Space Race between the U.S. and Russia; Pluto as a dwarf planet	“Weird Objects in Space”; non-fiction
Chapter 8:	Describing the	Types of		Filing taxes in	“Spotlight on

United States Government	U.S. government and knowing your rights	representatives; branches of government		the United States; saying the Pledge of Allegiance	Politicians”; biography
Chapter 9: Creating My Path	Discussing goals and occupations, describing skills	Occupations; positive attributes	Future tense	How to describe your biggest challenges in a job interview	“Choosing Your Career”; non-fiction
Chapter 10: Reaching Success!	Reflecting and planning for the future	Resources for learning		Language Proficiency Testing; going through orientation	“The Journey to Success”; non-fiction