The third level builds confidence in Spoken English in a variety of ways.

CONFIDENCE LEVEL

Active Vocabulary - 1800 to 2000 words on completing Basic, Fluent and Confidence levels.
Hours of Study - 70 to 80 hours
409 ACTIVITIES

Level 3 (7 units)

Situations and Topics

- clothes
- driving
- holidays
- minor illness and accidents
- visiting the doctor or the dentist
- police
- the weather

Communication Objectives

- ask for articles of clothing; discuss sizes, colours and materials
- buy petrol and have oil, water and tyres checked
- report a breakdown and ask for technical help; hire a car
- say where you normally go on holiday and how long for
- ask for advice about good places to go to
- make clear to a chemist or doctor what is wrong
- say where it hurts and describe symptoms
- say if you have been ill before and what medicine you take
- report a loss, a theft or an accident
- ask and give information about the weather

Unit 1 **Clothes**
Finding clothes of the right size, colour and fabric
More about shopping
Grammar: more pronouns, 'those' & 'these'
Pronunciation practice

Unit 2 **Driving**
Hiring/ travelling by car, finding and using a garage or petrol station
Dictionary: explaining what is wrong
Grammar: adverbs, adjectival agreements, revising the infinitive
Speaking clearly and slowly

Unit 3 **Holidays**
Talking about holidays, planned and previous
Advice on where to go
Grammar : perfect tense
Showing interest

Unit 4 **At the chemist's**
Explaining problems to a chemist: where it hurts, symptoms
Further explanations of ailments
Grammar: 'since', past participles
Conversation techniques: yes or no

Unit 5 **A visit to the doctor or dentist**
Making an appointment with a doctor or dentist
The consultation
The art of persuasion
Grammar: dates, instructions, perfect tense

Unit 6 **The Police**
Finding the police station
Reporting a loss/theft/accident
Describing what happened
Grammar: position of adjectives, past tenses

Unit 7 **The weather**
Talking about the weather/weather fore casts, talking about different climates changing, showing annoyance in reaction to a situation
Grammar: future
speaking quickly/tongue twisters

Hands free revision
Written Test
Grammar
Glossary

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