

# TV411 Video Episodes 1-20

## Correlated to CASAS Competencies



### TV411 Video Episode 1

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Thesaurus Job interview Clarification	1:12	A friendly toll booth clerk helps Question Man use a thesaurus to prepare for a job interview.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 4.1.5 Identify procedures for interviewing for a job 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Word Up</b>  Synonyms, antonyms Poetry	3:29	Poet Stephen Coleman explains the uses of synonyms and antonyms.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 2.7.5 Interpret poetry or literature
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Life expectancy	4:52	What is the average life expectancy?  3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Go to adult school Educational goals Reasons for learning	5:49	An inspiring profile of a mechanic who improves his ability to read instructions and manuals and to read to his children.  2.5.5 Locate and use educational services 7.1.1 Identify and prioritize educational goals 7.5.7 Identify ways to deal with change, and update skills
<b>5. Personal Portfolio</b>  Dossier Goals System of organization	10:33	Job seekers collect their certificates, awards, thank-you letters and letters of recommendation and compile a dossier.  4.1.2 Follow procedures for applying for a job 4.1.9 Identify procedures for career planning 7.1.2 Demonstrate an organized approach to achieving goals
<b>6. Laverne</b>  Wages and deductions Percents Add decimal numbers Subtract decimal numbers	14:29	Laverne helps Teresa figure out the percentage taken out of her paycheck for taxes.  4.2.1 Interpret wages, wage deductions and benefits 6.4.3 Calculate percents 6.2.1 Add decimal fractions 6.2.2 Subtract decimal fractions
<b>7. Words Behind the Music</b>  Music Stress reduction Communicate Self-esteem Writing	19:17	Spearhead lead singer/songwriter Michael Franti shares some of his strategies for writing, as well as some of his lyrics.  2.7.6 Interpret materials related to the arts, such as music 7.5.4 Identify resources for stress reduction 3.5.8 Identify strategies for communicating successfully 7.5.2 Use strategies to develop a positive self-image 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>8. Buzzword</b>  Expand literary vocabulary	24:22	Foreshadow.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials

## TV411 Video Episode 2

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Thesaurus Clarification	1:12	A barber explains the difference between possessive singular and possessive plural.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Agent Know How</b>  Library resources	4:04	Agent Know How gets a library card and learns about libraries.  2.5.6 Use library resources
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Antonyms	7:23	What is an antonym?  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Poetry, power of language Motivation to write Motivation to change	8:47	Poet Jimmy Baca tells how he discovered the power of language while he was in prison.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials 7.1.1 Identify and prioritize educational goals 7.5.7 Identify ways to deal with change, and update skills
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	13:55	Ironic.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>6. Street Beat</b>	14:56	Personal dictionary.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>7. Sports Smarts</b>  Percentages Decimals Division of whole numbers Proportion	16:08	Three pro players use football to explain percentages, decimals and probability.  6.4.3 Calculate percents 6.4.4 Convert percents to decimal fractions 6.1.4 Divide whole numbers 6.4.6 Compute using ratio or proportion
<b>8. Write Now</b>  Writing Literature	22:31	Jimmy Baca helps a group of writers come up with ideas.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 2.7.5 Interpret literary materials

## TV411 Video Episode 3

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Prefixes Clarification	1:27	Question Man takes a trip to a fish market to learn about prefixes.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Word Up</b>  Compounds Poetry	4:30	Poet Stephen Coleman explains compound words and phrases.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 2.7.5 Interpret poetry or literature
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Acronyms Pin code, ATM	6:24	What is an acronym?  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 1.8.1 Demonstrate the use of checking accounts and ATMs
<b>4. Lifelines</b>  Medical journal Interact with providers Take care of children Explain symptoms	7:22	A parent learns how to use charts, journaling, and documentation to create a “medical bible” for her child.  3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being 3.1.3 Identify health care services, interact with providers 3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices 3.1.1 Describe symptoms of illness
<b>5. Personal Portfolio</b>  Job applications Personal abilities  Plan for a career System of organization	13:34	Job seekers prepare for filling out applications by taking an inventory of their skills, interests and hobbies.  3.1.2 Follow procedures for applying for a job 7.5.1 Identify personal values, qualities, interests and abilities 4.1.9 Identify procedures for career planning 7.1.2 Demonstrate an organized approach to achieving goals
<b>6. Reflections</b>  Study strategies	18:03	John Zickefoose, an adult learner, talks about a strategy for learning to read difficult words.  7.4.1 Utilize effective study strategies
<b>7. Words Behind the Music</b>  Music Communicate Self-esteem Writing	18:57	Singer/songwriter Phoebe Snow talks about her writing and the challenges she has met.  2.7.6 Interpret materials related to the arts, such as music 7.5.6 Identify strategies for communicating successfully 7.5.2 Use strategies to develop a positive self-image 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>8. Buzzword</b>  Expand literary vocabulary	24:15	Cathartic.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials

## TV411 Video Episode 4

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b> Newspaper: social issues Clarification	1:29	A newspaper vendor explains ambiguous headlines.  2.7.3 Understand information about social issues 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b> Wages and deductions	4:15	What does FICA stand for?  4.2.1 Interpret wages, wage deductions and benefits
<b>3. Milestones</b> Learning goals Study tips: decoding words Parenting	5:26	Story of a single mother from Pittsburgh who improves her reading skills and attains her goal.  4.4.5 Identify job training needs and set learning goals 7.4.1 Utilize effective study strategies 3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices
<b>4. Street Beat</b> Journaling	11:40	Keeping a journal.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>5. Write Now</b> Learning to describe Writing	13:09	Images and details: Poet Jimmy Baca helps a group of writers fine-tune their work.  0.1.2 Use language for informational purposes; to describe 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>6. Buzzword</b> Expand literary vocabulary	16:16	Convey.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>7. Word Up</b> Transitions Writing	17:00	Poet Stephen Colman explains how to use transitions to make your writing smooth and tight.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>8. Reflections</b> Emphasis on literature	19:04	Kathy Bates, Oscar-winning actress recommends reading books that popular movies are based on.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>9. Book Club</b> Literature	19:42	A group of adult learners discuss <i>Like Water for Chocolate</i> , a novel by Laura Esquivel.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials

## TV411 Video Episode 5

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Suffixes Clarification	1:25	While out with his girlfriend, Question Man asks her about suffixes.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Agent Know How</b>  Library resources	3:07	Agent Know How learns how simple it is to get information from a librarian.  2.5.6 Use library resources
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Information about babies	5:05	How often does a baby double its weight?  3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices
<b>4. Lifelines</b>  Researching pregnancy Table of contents Take notes Talk to the doctor Reduce stress	6:10	A woman chooses a resource book and does research on pregnancy when she learns she is pregnant.  3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices 7.4.6 Use indexes or tables of contents 7.4.2 Take notes, or write a summary or outline 3.1.3 Identify health care services; interact with provider 7.5.4 Identify sources of stress; resources for stress reduction
<b>5. Street Beat</b>  Cultural issues	11:44	The Op-Ed page of the newspaper.  2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues
<b>6. Laverne</b>  Shopping, compare prices Multiply whole numbers	13:17	Laverne helps a new father of triplets multiply his shopping list by three.  1.2.2 Compare price or quality to determine the best buys 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers
<b>7. Reflections</b>  Study strategies Parenting Learning goals	17:30	Enrique Ramirez, an adult learner, talks about using games to learn to read and about reading to his child.  7.4.1 Utilize effective study strategies 7.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices 7.1.1 Identify and prioritize personal and educational goals
<b>8. Book Club</b>  Literature	18:53	A group of adult learners read and discuss Maya Angelou's novel I know <i>Why the Caged Bird Sings</i> .  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>9. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	24:32	Bolster.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries

## TV411 Video Episode 6

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Telephone message Clarification	1:26	At a pay phone, Question Man learns from a passing receptionist how to take a phone message.  2.1.7 Take and interpret telephone messages 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Information about the U.S.	5:42	What is the population of the U.S.?  5.2.4 Interpret information about U.S. cities, states, and features
<b>3. Milestones</b>  Learning to read Motivation Table of contents	6:36	A motivating story of a woman who improved her reading skills as an adult and became a nurse.  4.4.5 Identify job training needs and set learning goals 7.1.1 Identify and prioritize personal and educational goals 7.4.6 Use indexes or tables of contents
<b>4. Personal Portfolio</b>  Resumes	12:17	A group of job seekers work on their resumes.  4.1.2 Complete job applications and resumes
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	15:19	Chronological.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>6. Laverne</b>  Compute discount Multiply whole numbers Subtract whole numbers Reduce stress	16:41	Laverne helps a couple to figure out how to use percentages to get the best deal.  1.2.3 Compute discounts 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 6.1.2 Subtract whole numbers 7.5.4 Identify sources of stress; resources for stress reduction
<b>7. Betty</b>  Explore language	22:17	In this music video, rock musicians sing their hit, "Spell it Out," about homonyms.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries

## TV411 Video Episode 7

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b> Maps Clarification	1:20	A mechanic helps Question Man to read a road map. 2.2.5 Use maps related to travel needs 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Dictionary Cinema</b> Dictionary	4:56	How to look up a word that you know how to spell. 7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b> Exercise	6:54	How long does it take the average person to walk a mile? 3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being
<b>4. Milestones</b> Dyslexia Study tips Dictionary	7:56	A compelling story of an adult learner diagnosed with dyslexia in college and the incorporation of literacy into her career as a visual artist. 7.4.9 Identify personal learning style 7.4.1 Identify effective study strategies 7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>5. Buzzword</b> Expand literary vocabulary	13:40	Connotations. 2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>6. Sports Smarts</b> Averages	14:55	Ice skaters Tai Babalonia and Randy Gardner demonstrate how to find an average. 6.7.5 Compute averages
<b>7. All Write</b> Express yourself Explore your values Writing	20:07	Two adult learners have their writing read on stage by professional actors in New York City. 7.5.6 Use strategies for communicating more successfully 7.5.1 Identify personal values, qualities, interests and abilities 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter

## TV411 Video Episode 8

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Yellow Pages Clarification	1:13	Question Man learns to navigate his way around the Yellow Pages by using the index.  2.1.1 Use the telephone directory 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Dictionary Cinema</b>  Dictionary	4:43	How to look up a word that you do not know how to spell.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Nutrition	6:40	What is the daily recommended dietary allowance of protein?  3.5.2 Select a balanced diet
<b>4. Lifelines</b>  Diet and nutrition Multiply whole numbers Internet: key word search	7:55	A man gathers information from various sources when he learns he has diabetes.  3.5.2 Select a balanced diet 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 7.4.4 Use appropriate informational resources, and the Internet
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand literary vocabulary	12:58	Odyssey.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials
<b>6. Personal Portfolio</b>  Cover letters Spell check	13:48	A group of job seekers learn about cover letters and practice writing their own.  4.1.2 Complete job applications and letters of application 4.5.5 Demonstrate basic computer skills
<b>7. Laverne</b>  Nutrition Food labels	17:10	Laverne helps a shopper decipher a food label.  3.5.2 Select a balanced diet 3.5.1 Interpret nutritional information listed on food labels
<b>8. Write Now</b>  Write letters Family responsibilities	22:29	Poet Jimmy Baca works with a writing group and suggests that the writers use memories to make their letters more powerful.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 7.5.5 Identify family, personal and work responsibilities



## TV411 Video Episode 9

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Make a speech Clarification	1:23	An actor helps Question Man prepare for a public toast Question Man must make.  7.5.6 Communicate successfully 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Agent Know How</b>  Library services	4:58	Agent Know How uses the library computer to look up a book.  2.5.6 Use library services
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Health issues	6:58	What is the temperature of the human body?  3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Strategies for family Motivation to read Read to children	7:51	John Zickefoose: A moving story about reading to your children, told by a parent who is an adult learner.  7.5.5 Identify personal, family and work responsibilities 7.5.7 Identify constructive ways of dealing with change 3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices
<b>5. Street Beat</b>  Teach children to read Read to children	12:53	Reading to your child.  7.4.1 Identify or utilize effective study strategies 3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices
<b>6. Sports Smarts</b>  Add whole numbers Subtract whole numbers Multiply whole numbers Divide whole numbers	14:37	A family at a baseball game uses addition, multiplication, subtraction and division to budget their evening.  6.1.1 Add whole numbers 6.1.2 Subtract whole numbers 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 6.1.4 Divide whole numbers
<b>7. Book Club</b>  Literature Family responsibilities	18:57	A group of adult learners discuss <i>Angela's Ashes</i> and meet author Frank McCourt.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials 7.5.5 Identify personal, family and work responsibilities
<b>8. Buzzword</b>  Expand literary vocabulary	23:34	Critical.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials

## TV411 Video Episode 10

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Subject-verb agreement Clarification	1:29	While at the drive-through window of a fast food restaurant, Question Man inquires about subject-verb agreement.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>2. Rip Off</b>  Understanding ads Credit	4:33	This parody of a television commercial visually demonstrates the costs hidden in fine print.  1.2.1 Interpret advertisements, labels, charts and price tags 1.3.2 Interpret credit applications and maintain credit
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  One million	6:24	How many zeros are in one million?  6.0.2 Count and associate numbers with quantities
<b>4. Lifelines</b>  Credit Budget  Financial advice	7:26	A young couple with credit card debt creates a budget.  1.3.2 Interpret credit applications and maintain credit 1.5.1 Interpret information about personal and family budgets 1.8.5 Interpret information on financial planning
<b>5. Street Beat</b>  Automatic deductions	12:48	Saving money.  1.8.1 Demonstrate the use of checking and savings accounts
<b>6. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	13:18	Advocacy.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>7. America's Smartest Moves</b>  Credit cards Comparing purchases	15:17	A look at the fine print in a "too good to be true" credit card offer.  1.3.2 Interpret credit applications and maintain credit 1.2.2 Compare price or quality to determine the best buys
<b>8. Book Club</b>  Read literature The job market	19:30	A group of adult learners discuss <i>Working</i> by Studs Terkel.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials 4.1.3 Identify sources of information about the workforce

## TV411 Video Episode 11

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Studying Test taking	1:16	Question Man receives tips and strategies for studying and test taking from a bus driver.  7.4.1. Identify effective study strategies 7.4.7 Identify test-taking skills
<b>2. Agent Know How</b>  Maps Atlas	4:28	Agent Know How uses the library's atlas to find the distance from New York, N.Y. to El Paso, Texas.  2.2.5 Use maps related to travel needs 7.4.5 Use reference materials
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Measurements	6:17	How many feet are in a mile?  1.1.4 Select, compute or interpret standard measurement
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Even start program Writing letters Parenting	7:10	An inspiring story of an El Paso woman in a family literacy class who uses reading and writing to express her love for her family.  2.5.5 Locate and use educational services in the community 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 7.5.5 Identify personal, family and work responsibilities
<b>5. America's Smartest Moves</b>  Leases Tenant rights List of questions	12:37	A couple reads the fine print and makes a list of questions for the landlord before the two sign their lease.  1.4.3 Interpret lease and rental agreements 1.4.4 Interpret information about tenant and landlord rights 0.1.6 Clarify or request clarification
<b>6. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	18:07	Habitable.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>7. Words Behind the Music</b>  Writing music	20:12	Salsa musician Ruben Blades talks about his writing process.  2.7.6 Interpret materials related to the arts, such as music

## TV411 Video Episode 12

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>	1:26	Two men playing Scrabble in the park give Question Man strategies for choosing an appropriate dictionary.
Dictionaries		7.4.5 Use reference materials such as dictionaries
<b>2. Dictionary Cinema</b>	4:49	Words with more than one meaning.
Using a dictionary		7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>	6:53	How many gallons of blood are in your body?
Health issues		3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well being.
<b>4. Lifelines</b>	7:52	Parents go through the process of selecting a school for their child. They collect literature, visit the schools and make a chart for the two finalists.
Choosing a school		2.5.5 Locate and use educational services in the community
Percentiles		6.4.2 Apply a percent in a context not involving money
Parenting		7.5.5 Identify personal, family and work responsibilities
<b>5. Buzzword</b>	13:19	Standardize.
Expand vocabulary		7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>6. Laverne</b>	14:51	Laverne helps a young man draft and revise a card to his girlfriend.
Writing a note		0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
Self-expression		7.5.6 Use strategies for communicating more successfully
<b>7. Words Behind the Music</b>	20:10	Bluegrass singer/songwriter Hazel Dickens talks about her writing process and shows samples of her work.
Writing music		2.7.6 Interpret materials related to the arts, such as music

## TV411 Video Episode 13

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Use the library	1:19	Question Man and his niece visit the library to research some of their ancestors.  2.5.6 Use library services
<b>2. Word Up</b>  Similes, metaphors	3:58	Poet Stephen Coleman explains similes and metaphors.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials, such as poetry and literature
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Interest	5:38	What is the Prime Interest Rate?  1.8.3 Interpret interest
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Community problems Government pages Government assistance  Write a letter	6:36	A powerful story of a woman's letter-writing campaign to create a change in her neighborhood.  5.6.1 Interpret information about neighborhood problems 2.1.1 Use the telephone directory and related publications 2.5.5 Identify how and when to obtain governmental services 0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	10:15	Indignant.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>6. Laverne</b>  Credit applications	11:12	Laverne helps a customer fill out the store's credit card application.  1.3.2 Interpret credit applications
<b>7. Lifelines</b>  Immigration forms	16:05	A man's struggle with and ultimate success in filling out the application for American citizenship.  5.3.6 Interpret information for establishing residency
<b>8. Street Beat</b>  Filling out applications	19:12	Filling out forms.  0.2.2 Complete a personal information form
<b>9. Sports Smarts</b>  Percentages Divide whole numbers Fractions	20:24	Members of the WNBA's Detroit Shock use basketball to help figure out percentages and fractions.  6.4.2 Apply a percent in a context not involving money 6.1.4 Divide whole numbers 6.3.6 Convert fractions to decimals or percents

## TV411 Video Episode 14

	START TIME	
<b>1. Lifelines</b>  Write a letter Family responsibilities	1:24	A young man who is about to be married writes a letter to his long-lost father, asking for the family pocket watch.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 7.5.5 Identify personal, family and work responsibilities
<b>2. Dictionary Cinema</b>  Foreign words	7:37	The guys use the dictionary to further understand words in the English language that have origins in other languages.  7.4.5 Use reference materials such as dictionaries
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Foreign words	10:51	What language does the word <i>hammock</i> come from?  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Training goals Career goals Adapt to change	11:40	An enlightening story of an adult learner who took a chance and revealed to his boss the reading and writing challenges he faced in his workplace.  4.4.5 Identify job training needs and set learning goals 7.1.1 Identify personal, educational and workplace goals 7.5.7 Identify constructive ways of dealing with change
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	17:03	Reconcile.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>6. Street Beat</b>  Study tips	18:02	Using a highlighter when you read.  7.4.1 Utilize effective study strategies
<b>7. Sports Smarts</b>  Maps Multiply whole numbers Divide whole numbers	19:59	Members of the NBA Atlanta Hawks demonstrate how to figure out time and distance on a map when planning a trip.  2.2.5 Use maps related to travel needs 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 6.1.4 Divide whole numbers

## TV411 Video Episode 15

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Use the library Parenting skills	1:35	A librarian helps Question Man pick out a book that will help him better understand his teenage son.  2.5.6 Use library services 3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Appliances	4:24	Which home appliance consumes the most electricity?  1.7.4 Interpret maintenance procedures for appliances
<b>3. Laverne</b>  Health insurance Glossary	5:35	Laverne and two of her co-workers use the glossary to figure out unknown words and concepts in their new company health plan.  3.2.3 Interpret information associated with medical insurance 7.4.6 Use indexes or tables of contents
<b>4. Street Beat</b>  About tipping Tips as percents	10:31	How to figure out a tip in a restaurant.  2.6.4 Order from a restaurant and compute related costs 6.4.3 Calculate percents
<b>5. Lifelines</b>  Parenting Prioritizing Schedules Responsibilities	12:08	A mother and her teenage daughter work together to create a schedule to make sure that there is time for homework, chores, friends, video games, sports and other fun activities.  3.5.7 Identify child-rearing practices 7.1.1 Identify and prioritize personal and educational goals 7.1.2 Set and follow an effective schedule 7.5.5 Identify personal and family responsibilities
<b>6. Write Now</b>  Journal Self-worth	18:40	Poet Jimmy Baca and a group of adults discuss why and how they keep a journal and share some of their journal entries.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 7.5.2 Use strategies to develop a positive self-image
<b>7. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	23:22	Stereotype.  2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues

## TV411 Video Episode 16

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b>  Rent to own Comparison shopping Add whole numbers Multiply whole numbers Subtract whole numbers	1:24	Question Man visits a rent-to-own store and does the math to figure out the better deal on a washing machine: rent-to-own or save to buy.  1.5.2 Plan for major purchases 1.0.0 Compare price or quality to determine the best buys 6.1.1 Add whole numbers 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 6.1.2 Subtract whole numbers
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Credit	5:16	What is the average balance Americans carry on their credit cards?  1.3.2 Interpret credit applications; maintain credit
<b>3. Sports Smarts</b>  Organization skills Schedule Day planner	6:02	WNBA Utah Starzz player and new mom Olympia Scott-Richardson details her time-management strategies.  7.1.1 Identify and prioritize personal and educational goals 7.1.2 Set and follow an effective schedule 7.1.4 Establish a physical system of organization
<b>4. Street Beat</b>  Read the newspaper	11:27	<i>NYPD Blue</i> 's Dennis Franz gives a tip on reading a newspaper article.  2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues
<b>5. Laverne</b>  Estimate a paint job Multiply whole numbers Add whole numbers	13:11	Laverne helps a customer estimate the cost of a painting job and how to figure out the take home pay.  4.7.1 Prepare a work-related budget 6.1.3 Multiply whole numbers 6.1.1 Add whole numbers
<b>6. Words Behind the Music</b>  Write songs	18:11	Singer/songwriter Toshi Reagon writes a song on the spot especially for TV411 and shares her personal writing process.  2.7.6 Interpret materials related to the arts, such as music
<b>7. Buzzword</b>  Expand literary vocabulary	23:50	Analogy.  2.7.5 Interpret literary materials, such as poetry and literature



## TV411 Video Episode 17

	START TIME	
<b>1. Lifelines</b>  Mortgage information Budgets Charts	1:31	A couple, eager to buy their first home, gets some help from a friend who shows them how to read a mortgage chart.  1.4.6 Interpret information about housing loans 1.5.1 Interpret information about personal and family budgets 4.4.3 Interpret job-related charts
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Society	6:08	What percentage of Americans do some type of volunteer work?  2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues
<b>3. Dictionary Cinema</b>  Thesaurus	6:38	To avoid using the same word over and over in a letter, the guys use a thesaurus to find synonyms and revise their writing.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>4. Question Man</b>  Read a utility bill Read Graphs	10:05	Question Man learns how to read the graphs on his utility bill and discovers a discrepancy in his bill.  1.5.3 Interpret bills 6.7.1 Interpret data given in a line graph
<b>5. Street Beat</b>  Compare candidates Critical reading	14:00	Evaluating a campaign poster.  5.1.4 Interpret information about electoral politics and candidates 7.2.2 Analyze a situation, statement or process
<b>6. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	15:48	Anomaly.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>7. Milestones</b>  Editing journal writing Racism	17:22	A provocative profile of four Long Beach, California, students who call themselves The Freedom Writers and use pen and paper to fight prejudice and intolerance.  0.2.3 Write a personal note, invitation or letter 4.8.7 Work within a multicultural workforce; avoid stereotypes

## TV411 Video Episode 18

	START TIME	
<b>1. Question Man</b> Reading a newspaper	1:33	While at a diner, Question Man and another customer use various strategies to decipher a newspaper article. 2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b> Civics information	5:49	What is the main reason the U.S. has a census? 5.6.3 Interpret civic responsibilities, such as voting and jury duty
<b>3. Straight to the Source</b> Types of intelligence	6:56	ABC's <i>Good Morning America</i> news anchor, Antonio Mora hosts a report that explores the eight types of intelligence and details how to use this information. 7.4.9 Identify personal learning style
<b>4. Street Beat</b> Government listings Neighborhood problems	12:33	Using the Blue Pages of the telephone book. 2.1.1 Use the telephone directory and related publications 5.6.1 Interpret information about neighborhood problems
<b>5. Sports Smarts</b> Ranking, percentile	14:06	Olympian and tennis pro Zina Garrison uses tennis to explain and clarify the concepts of percentile and rankings. 6.8.1 Interpret statistical information
<b>6. Write Now</b> Understand poetry Summarize	18:05	Poet Jimmy Baca and a group of adults read David Budbill's poem <i>Jeanie</i> and utilize various strategies to gain understanding of the poem. 2.7.4 Interpret literary materials, such as poetry and literature 7.2.1 Identify and paraphrase pertinent information
<b>7. Buzzword</b> Expand vocabulary	23:22	Dynamics. 7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries

## TV411 Video Episode 19

	START TIME	
<b>1. Straight to the Source</b>	1:29	ABC's <i>Good Morning America</i> news anchor Antonio Mora hosts a report that details three learning styles: visual, auditory and kinesthetic.
Learning styles		7.4.9 Identify personal learning style
<b>2. Pop Quiz Question</b>	6:22	What percentage of college students are 30 years old or older?
The education system		2.5.5 Locate and use educational services in the community
<b>3. Milestones</b>	7:26	A motivating profile of a Baltimore, Maryland based steel worker and his continuing quest to pass the GED.
Motivation to pass the GED		7.1.1 Identify and prioritize personal and educational goals
<b>4. Street Beat</b>	13:16	Summarizing.
Summarize		7.2.1 Identify and paraphrase pertinent information
<b>5. Laverne</b>	14:58	Laverne explains how to read and use unit price labels on store shelves to get the best deal for your money.
Unit price Comparison shop		1.2.4 Compute unit pricing 1.2.2 Compare price or quality to determine the best buys
<b>6. Write Now</b>	20:03	Poet Jimmy Baca shares his own personal learning journey, how he “came into language” and the strength he has gained from this journey.
Reading as power Cope with feelings		7.5.2 Identify strategies to develop a positive self-image 7.5.3 Identify or use strategies to cope with negative feedback
<b>7. Buzzword</b>	23:57	Marginalized.
Expand vocabulary		2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues.

## TV411 Video Episode 20

	START TIME	
<b>1. Laverne</b>  Mammograms Probability	1:27	Using statistics and charts found in a brochure about breast cancer, Lavern explains the concept of probability to her co-worker and friend.  3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being 6.8.2 Interpret statements of probability
<b>2. Dictionary Cinema</b>  Use the dictionary	6:21	The guys use a dictionary to figure out the multiple meanings of a word and to pick the definition that works best in their situation.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>3. Pop Quiz Question</b>  Health issues	10:09	What percentage of the human body is made up of water?  3.5.9 Identify practices that promote physical well-being
<b>4. Milestones</b>  Biography of Squire Dyslexia Memory devices	10:58	An informative profile of North Carolina-based author, Elizabeth Daniels Squire, who is dyslexic. Squire, who has written eight best-selling novels, details her writing strategy and discusses why she writes on a computer.  2.7.3 Interpret information about social issues. 7.4.9 Identify personal learning style 7.4.3 Create devices for remembering information
<b>5. Buzzword</b>  Expand vocabulary	16:59	Genetics.  7.4.5 Use reference materials, such as dictionaries
<b>6. Street Beat</b>  Memorization techniques	18:14	Learning and remembering new words.  7.4.3 Create devices for remembering information
<b>7. Straight to the Source</b>  Dyslexia	19:30	ABC's <i>Good Morning America</i> news anchor Antonio Mora hosts a report that looks at dyslexia and examines brain functions.  7.4.9 Identify personal learning style