

Software Tools and Databases Used for Foreign Language Learning

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Abstract: - In this paper we present software tools used for a conversation guide implementation. In many conversation books, the topic includes list of words, short expressions and grammar. In our implementation we are focused on these language items. Our software applications can help travelers or people which want to study foreign languages. In our study we present an example on English language, but our model can be adapted in the case of many languages. In all cases we are focused on phonetic transcriptions. We build different tables containing verbs, list of words, expressions etc., and we explain the table relationships in order to explore the database. The results are displaying in web pages, using *Java* servlets or *jsp* files. We work with MS SQL Server databases, but we can use other relational databases.

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1 Introduction

In our study we present a website model used for English learning, at conversation level. Our website is for travelers who want to study quickly the basically English conversation, or they want to remember concepts.

In order to build the website model, we start from famous conversation guides (see [4], [6], [9], [11], [13] and [15]).

In the conversation guides, generally, we find short expressions, lists of words and grammar.

For expressions, we find topics including the following items:

- The alphabet;
- Everyday phrases (greetings and forms of address, agreement and acceptance, disagreement and refusal, apologizing, congratulating and well-wishing, common questions and answers, etc.);
- Asking and giving directions;
- Time (time-related words and phrases, the days of the week, the months of the year, the seasons, the date, telling the time, age);
- The weather - common phrases;
- Family (the ties of kinship, accommodation);
- Continents, countries and nationalities, languages;
- Religion;
- Stars and star signs (the zodiac, stars, planets, constellations and galaxies);
- Trades and professions occupations, titles, professional qualifications, education/professional life, etc.;
- Numbers (ordinal, cardinal, size, length, weight

measurements, decimals, fractions, percentages, quantity and basic arithmetic);

- Colors;
- Eating out (common phrases on meals, breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea, supper, at the restaurant, vegetables and fruits);
- At the post office;
- Using the telephone (common phrases, a business call);
- By bus/tram/underground/taxi;
- Travelling (travelling by train, by plane, at the airport, customs, a voyage at sea, driving);
- Sightseeing, going on a trip;
- Going to the shop(common phrases, at the baker's, at the grocery shop, at the butcher's, at the tobacconist's, in a bookshop, at the newsagent's, at the market, at the flower shop, books and newspaper, men's clothes, women's clothes, cosmetics, jewelers, crockery and glassware, footwear, leather, household appliances).
- Services (at the doctor, at the dentist, at the chemist's, illness, photography, at the hairdresser's, barber's shop, at the beauty parlor, umbrella repair, shoe repairs, watch repair, emergencies, etc.);
- Leisure, culture, amusements (hobbies, at the cinema, at the theatre, at the opera, at a concert, at the museum, sports, exhibitions, games);
- Clothing (accessories, clothes, lingerie);
- Payment methods;
- At the hotel;
- At the bank;
- Hunting and fishing;
- House, garden;

- Body;
- Temper and emotion;
- Shapes and dimensions, etc.

For grammar we find subjects on the verb, the noun, the article, the adjective, the pronoun, the numeral, the adverb, the preposition, the conjunction, the interjection, etc.

For vocabulary, we can find various lists of grouped words, such as: plants, food and kitchen, house, society, etc.

Starting from the information presented above, we want to build a website with the same goal as a conversation guide.

The website contains the following general topics: expressions, vocabulary and grammar (see also *Figure 1*), with a phonetic transcription. This also happens in the conversation guides.

We want this website to be studied by people from different countries. For this reason, we do not provide the translation of the English text. By copying and pasting the text information and using Internet translation tools (see, e.g. <http://translate.google.com/> - where we also find an audio pronunciation), the user can quickly obtain a good translation. Also, we are not interested in presenting the words' definition. Various online and classical dictionaries provide good definitions, thus it is not our goal to copy them in our website.

Conversation guides are famous for their small size. This is really very important, especially when we travel. However, this small size has its drawbacks: for example, in all conversation guides when the countries and nationalities are presented, we find only some examples. In a website we can present all countries from the world with their nationalities and other information like people, language, etc. (see also *Figure 10*).

Also, for verbs, in a website we can display a detailed conjugation with all forms (affirmative, interrogative, negative, negative-interrogative) all tenses and the voices, etc.

The list of examples can continue, but we think that our goal is well understood: we want to keep the conversation guide structure, but at the same time we want to extend the information presentation in a way that is not possible in paper conversation guides.

2 Website presentation

In this section we present our website model and we make some observations on the associated relational database. Like in *Figure 1*, we select the topic of interest: grammar, vocabulary or expressions.

For example, if in *Figure 1* we select the *Grammar* topic, then in *Figure 2* we can select the desired subject.

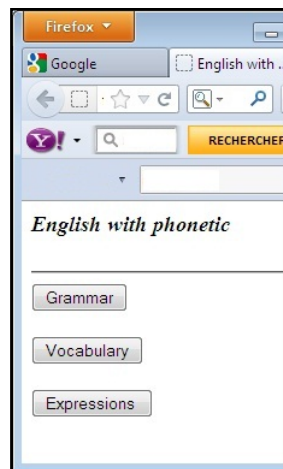


Figure 1: Topics in the conversation guide

On our website we are interested in the verb conjugation of the all tenses: the simple present, the present continuous, the past tense simple, the past tense continuous, the present perfect simple, the past perfect simple, past perfect continuous, the simple future, the future continuous, the future perfect simple, the future perfect continuous, the future-in-the-past simple and the future-in-the-past continuous.

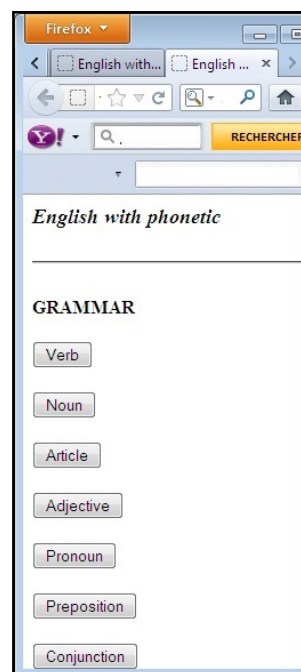


Figure 2: Grammar topics

We present affirmative, negative, interrogative and negative-interrogative forms, the active and passive voice. See also *Figures 3* and *4*. In order to obtain the verb conjugation, presented in *Figure 3*

and 4, for each verb we store in the table presented in Figure 5, the following information: the infinitive form, the singular of the third person, the present participle, the past tense simple and the past participle. In each case we save the phonetic transcription and the phonetic symbols for English, with Unicode numbers. The Unicode numbers are used in the HTML code.

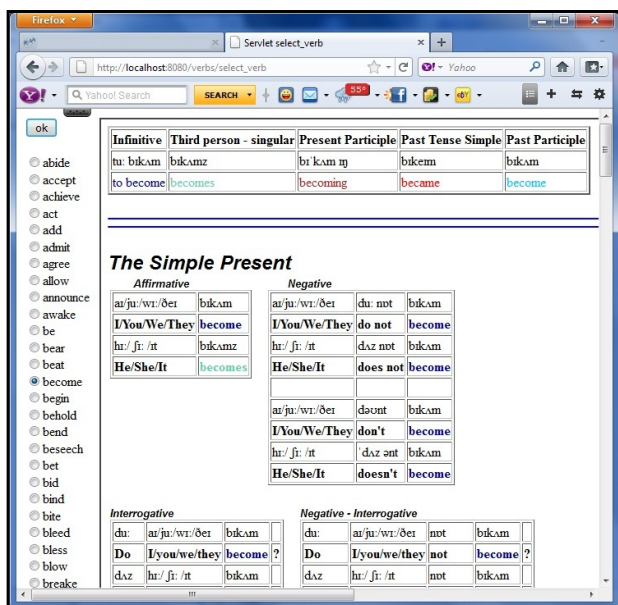


Figure 3: Verb conjugation – 1

In the case of each tense, in the conjugation presentation, we can use a link to a web page in which we present the tense with examples. In this case, we provide a short description, explanations and examples. For example, for present perfect we present the use of *for*, *since*, *just*, *already*

and *yet*. Also, we dedicate a separated theme to modal verbs, at the subjunctive, conditional, etc.

The information from the table presented in Figure 5 help us to obtain the verb conjugation in the website presentation. Also, with the information from this table, we can obtain a list of the verbs and their forms used in conjugation, as in Figure 6.

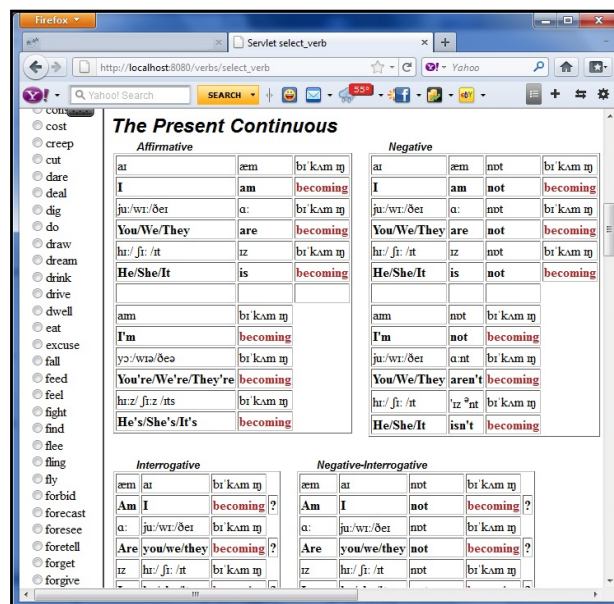


Figure 4: Verb conjugation – 2

For the comparison of adjectives, we present all the degrees: positive, comparative and superlative (see Figure 7).

No	a1	a2	a3	a4	a5	a6	a7	a8	a9
28	ir2	burn	bɜ:n	bɜːn	burning	bɜ:n ɪŋ	bɜːn ɪŋ	burns	bɜ:nz
29	ir2	buy	baɪ	baɪ	buying	baɪ ɪŋ	baɪ ɪŋ	buys	baɪz
30	r	can	kæn	kæn	canning	'kæn ɪŋ	kˈkæn ɪŋ	cans	kænz
31	ir1	cast	kɑ:st	kɑːst	casting	kɑ:st ɪŋ	kɑːst ɪŋ	casts	kɑ:sts
32	ir2	catch	kætf	kætʃ	catching	kætf ɪŋ	kætʃ ɪŋ	catches	kætfɪz
33	ir3	choose	fu:z	kʃuːz	choosing	fu:z ɪŋ	kʃuːz ɪŋ	chooses	fu:zɪz
34	r	clean	kli:n	klɪːn	cleanin	'kli:n ɪŋ	kˈklɪːn ɪŋ	cleans	kli:nz
35	ir2	cleave	kli:v	klɪːv	cleaving	kli:v ɪŋ	klɪːv ɪŋ	cleaves	kli:vz
36	ir2	cling	kliŋ	klɪŋ	clinging	kliŋ ɪŋ	klɪŋ ɪŋ	clings	kliŋz
38	ir2	come	kʌm	kʌm	coming	kʌm ɪŋ	kʌm ɪŋ	comes	kʌmz
39	r	consider	kən 'sɪd ə	kən ˈsɪd ə	considering	kən 'sɪd ə ɪŋ	kən ˈsɪd_ər ɪŋ	considers	kən 'sɪd əz
40	ir1	cost	kɒst	kɒst	costing	kɒst ɪŋ	kɒst ɪŋ	costs	kɒsts
	a10	a11	a12	a13	a14	a15	a16		
	bɜːn	burnt	bɜ:nt	bɜːn	burnt	bɜ:nt	bɜːn		
	baɪz	bought	bɔ:t	bɔːt	bought	bɔ:t	bɔːt		
	kænz	canned	kænd	kænd					
	kɑːs	cast	kɑ:st	kɑːs					
	kætʃ	caught	kɔ:t	kɔːt	caught	kɔ:t	kɔːt		
	kʃuːz	chosen	tʃəʊz ən	tʃə&	chose	tʃəʊz	tʃə&		
	klɪːr	cleaned	kli:nd	klɪːr					
	klɪːv	cleft	kleft	kleft	cleft	kleft	kleft		
	klɪŋz	clung	kliŋ	klʌŋ	clung	kliŋ	klʌŋ		
	kʌmz	come	kʌm	kʌm	came	keɪm	keɪm		
	kən ˈ	considered	kən 'sɪd əd	kən ˈ					
	kɒsts	cost	kɒst	kɒst					

Figure 5: Database of verbs

We can present the adjectives in different ways: a list with all of them, in an alphabetical order, or grouped by signification (see also [15]), or grouped by synonyms and antonyms (see also [9]). For this last manner of presentation (with synonyms and antonyms), in the database we use four tables: a table with the adjectives for which the comparison is with –er/-est (the table contains all three forms), a table with the adjectives for which the comparison is with more/-most (the table contains a single

adjective form), a table where we specify the synonyms and a table where we specify the antonyms.

In Figure 8, we present a list of grouped nouns, with singular and plural forms. In noun presentation, we can use a link to a page with explanations about nouns. We consider that at the conversation level, the noun presentation is better with singular and plural forms accompanied by phonetic transcriptions.

Infinitive		Present Participle		Third person - singular		Past Tense Simple		Past Participle	
abide	ə 'baɪd	abiding	ə 'baɪd ɪŋ	abides	ə 'baɪdz	abode	ə 'bəʊd	abode	ə 'bəʊd
beat	'bi:t	beating	'bi:t ɪŋ	beats	'bi:ts	beat	'bi:t	beaten	'bi:t ən
become	bɪkəm	becoming	bɪ'kəm ɪŋ	becomes	bɪkəmz	became	bɪkeɪm	become	bɪkəm
behold	bɪ'həʊld	beholding	bɪ'həʊldɪŋ	beholds	bɪ'həʊldz	beheld	bɪ'held	beheld	bɪ'held
bend	bend	bending	bend ɪŋ	bends	bendz	bent	bent	bent	bent
beseech	bɪ'si:tʃ	beseeking	bɪ'si:tʃɪŋ	beseeches	bɪ'si:tʃɪz	besought	bɪ'sɔ:t	besought	bɪ'sɔ:t
bind	baɪnd	binding	baɪnd ɪŋ	binds	baɪndz	bound	baʊnd	bound	baʊnd

Figure 6: Verbs

	'pɒz ət ɪv Positive	kəm 'pær ət ɪv Comparative	su 'pɜ:l ət ɪv Superlative
'sɪn ə nɪmz synonyms	attractive ə 'trækt ɪv beautiful 'bjʊ:t əf əl charming 'tʃɑ:m ɪŋ glamorous 'glæm ər əs good-looking ɡʊd 'lʊk ɪŋ handsome 'hænds əm likeable 'laɪk əb əl pleasant 'plezənt pretty 'prɪti	more attractive mɔ: ə 'trækt ɪv more beautiful mɔ: 'bjʊ:t əf əl more charming mɔ: 'tʃɑ:m ɪŋ more glamorous mɔ: 'glæm ər əs more good-looking mɔ: ɡʊd 'lʊk ɪŋ more handsome mɔ: 'hænds əm more likeable mɔ: 'laɪk əb əl pleasanter 'plezənt ə prettier 'prɪti ə	the most attractive ðə məʊst ə 'trækt ɪv the most beautiful ðə məʊst 'bjʊ:t əf əl the most charming ðə məʊst 'tʃɑ:m ɪŋ the most glamorous ðə məʊst 'glæm ər əs the most good-looking ðə məʊst ɡʊd 'lʊk ɪŋ the most handsome ðə məʊst 'hænds əm the most likeable ðə məʊst 'laɪk əb əl pleasantest 'plezənt ɪst prettiest 'prɪti ɪst
'ænt ə nɪmz antonyms	ugly 'ʌg li	uglier 'ʌg li ə	ugliest 'ʌg li ɪst
'sɪn ə nɪmz synonyms	appealing ə 'pi:əl ɪŋ interesting 'ɪntr əst ɪŋ pleasing 'pli:z ɪŋ tempting 'tempt ɪŋ	more appealing mɔ: ə 'pi:əl ɪŋ more interesting mɔ: 'ɪntr əst ɪŋ more pleasing mɔ: 'pli:z ɪŋ more tempting mɔ: 'tempt ɪŋ	the most appealing ðə məʊst ə 'pi:əl ɪŋ the most interesting ðə məʊst 'ɪntr əst ɪŋ the most pleasing ðə məʊst 'pli:z ɪŋ the most tempting ðə məʊst 'tempt ɪŋ
'ænt ə nɪmz antonyms	boring 'bɔ:r ɪŋ	more boring mɔ: 'bɔ:r ɪŋ	the most boring ðə məʊst 'bɔ:r ɪŋ

Figure 7: Adjectives – the degrees of comparison

In the database, we use three tables: a table for nouns, a table for the category used for grouping (in Figure 8, the group is *fruits*) and a table in which, for each category we specify its list of nouns. In this way, a single noun can be included in different category lists and it is saved in database for a single

time. For expressions, we present the expression and to its right we put the phonetic transcription (see Figure 9). In this way, the user can copy the whole text from left and using a translator, he can obtain the text translation in a desired language.

This is important especially in the case of long lists of words or expressions. If we use the phonetic transcription over the text, than the translation using online tools will be little bit complicated.

For countries and nationalities we can present a list in an alphabetical order or (like in *Figure 10*) a list of countries grouped by continents.

Fruits		fruts
apple	'æp əl	apples 'æp əlz
apricot	'eɪ p rɪ kɒt	apricots 'eɪ p rɪ kɒt s
avocado	æv ə 'kɑ:d əv	avocados æv ə 'kɑ:d əvz
banana	bə 'nɑ:n ə	bananas bə 'nɑ:n əz
blackcurrant	'blæk 'kʌr ənt	blackcurrants 'blæk 'kʌr ənts
blackberry	'blæk bə rɪ	blackberries 'blæk bə rɪz
blueberry	'blu: bə rɪ	blueberries 'blu: bə rɪz
cherry	'tʃer i	cherries 'tʃer iz
raisin	'reɪz ən	raisins 'reɪz ənz
date	deɪt	dates deɪts
fig	fɪg	figs fɪgz
grapefruit	'greɪp fru:t	grapefruits 'greɪp fru:ts
grape	greɪp	grapes greɪps
kiwi	'ki: wi:	kiwis 'ki: wi:z
mango	'mæŋ gəʊ	mangoes 'mæŋ gəʊz
melon	'mel ən	melons 'mel ənz
orange	'ɒr ɪndʒ	oranges 'ɒr ɪndʒz
papaya	pə 'pɑ: ə	papayas pə 'pɑ: əz
peach	pi:tʃ	peaches pi:tʃz
pineapple	'paɪn æp əl	pineapples 'paɪn æp əlz
plum	plʌm	plums plʌmz
raspberry	'rɑ:z bə rɪ	raspberries 'rɑ:z bə rɪz
strawberry	'strɔ: bə rɪ	strawberries 'strɔ: bə rɪz

Figure 8: Nouns – singular and plural forms

	ðə taɪm	
	The time	
1	What's the time please ?	'wɒts ðə taɪm pli:z
2	It's three o'clock.	'ɪts θri: ə 'klɒk
3	It's ten past three.	'ɪts ten pɑ:st θri:
4	It's a quarter past three.	'ɪts ə 'kwɔ:tə pɑ:st θri:
5	It's twenty past three.	'ɪts 'twenti pɑ:st θri:
6	It's half past three.	'ɪts hɑ:f pɑ:st θri:
7	It's twenty to four.	'ɪts 'twenti tu: fɔ:
8	It's a quarter to four.	'ɪts ə 'kwɔ:tə tu: fɔ:
9	It's ten to four.	'ɪts ten tu: fɔ:

Figure 9: Expressions – telling the time

Here we can add information such as: country capital, languages, currencies, etc. In this way, the user is not only familiarized only with the English language, but also with notions of general knowledge.

For expressions, we propose to use in the database a table in which, an expression is a field value. Also, for the expression phonetic transcription we use another field.

In website, we present the expressions grouped by different types of conversation.

Continent	'kɒnt ɪn ənt						
Europe	'juərəp	European	juərə ə 'pi: ən	Europeans	juərə ə 'pi: ənz		
Country	'kʌntri	Nationality	.'næʃ ə 'næʃ əti	Inhabitant	ɪn 'hæb ɪt ənt	People	'pi: p əl
Albania	æɪl 'beɪn i_ə	Albanian	æɪl 'beɪn i_ən	Albanian	æɪl 'beɪn i_ən	Albanians	æɪl 'beɪn i_ənz
Andorra	æən 'dɔ:r ə	Andorran	æən 'dɔ:r ən	Andorran	æən 'dɔ:r ən	Andorranz	æən 'dɔ:r ənz
Austria	'ɒs tri_ə	Austrian	'ɒs tri_ən	Austrian	'ɒs tri_ən	Austrians	'ɒs tri_ənz
Belarus	.'bel ə 'ru: s	Belarusian	.'bel ə 'ru: si_ən	Belarusian	.'bel ə 'ru: si_ən	Belarusians	.'bel ə 'ru: si_ənz
Belgium	'beldʒ əm	Belgian	'beldʒ ən	Belgian	'beldʒ ən	Belgians	'beldʒ ənz
Bosnia-Herzegovina	'bɒz ni_ə	Bosnian	'bɒz ni_ən	Bosnian	'bɒz ni_ən	Bosnianz	'bɒz ni_ənz
Bulgaria	bʌl 'geər i_ə	Bulgarian	bʌl 'geər i_ən	Bulgarian	bʌl 'geər i_ən	Bulgarians	bʌl 'geər i_ənz
Croatia	krəʊ 'eɪf ə	Croatian	krəʊ 'eɪf ən	Croatian	krəʊ 'eɪf ən	Croatians	krəʊ 'eɪf ənz
		Croat	'krəʊ æt	Croat	'krəʊ æt	Croats	'krəʊ æts
Czech Republic	tʃek ri 'pʌb lɪ	Czech	tʃek	Czech	tʃek	Czechs	tʃeks
Denmark	'den mɑ:k	Danish	'deɪn ɪʃ	Dane	deɪn	Danes	deɪns
Estonia	e 'stəʊn i_ə	Estonian	e 'stəʊn i_ən	Estonian	e 'stəʊn i_ən	Estonians	e 'stəʊn i_ənz
Finland	'fɪn lænd	Finnish	'fɪn ɪʃ	Finn	fɪn	Finns	fɪnz

Figure 10: Countries and nationalities

A single expression can be used in many conversation types. For this reason, we use a table in which we specify all types of conversations presented in website and another table in which we specify the expressions corresponding to each type.

For countries and nationalities we can use a special table in the database. On the website we can display this topic (see, for example, *Figure 10*) also accompanied by examples of expressions on this subject.

3 On website users and business opportunities

On the Internet, we can find many websites containing subjects on English learning: online courses, dictionaries, grammar, conversations, tools for online testing, etc. including text, images, audio or video files, speech recognition, etc. The access to these websites is free or we find access fee, especially in the case of online courses. In the case of online courses we can find lessons and test sections and there generally the user progress is monitored.

1) For our website model, we can consider a free access situation – accompanied by or without a user registration. According to the current trend of the online activities, we recommend the users register on the website, even if the access is free.

2) We can consider the website with a monthly fee. In the first case, the website owner can earn money from advertising. The first case ensures us a highest number of users than in the second case and this thing implies additional interest in advertising on our website.

3) Another version can be an online shop, where the client can buy all the products (presented in *Section 2*) in *pdf* format (verb conjugation, list of words, list of conversations grouped on topics, etc).

4) We can consider a form of an online course with the theme focused on the conversation guide. But in this case, we also must add test sections, tools for monitoring the user progress, speech recognition, etc. and this form of website becomes significant different by the form presented in the *Section 2*.

For this reason, we consider that the first three forms (free, with a fee or an online shop) are more adequate for our initial goal.

4 Programming code presentation

In this section we present a part of our programming code.

In order to obtain the verb list presented in the left part of the *Figure 3*, we use, in a *Java* servlet, the following function:

```
protected void processRequest(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws ServletException, IOException {
    response.setContentType("text/html;charset=UTF-8");
    PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
    try {
        out.println("<html<head><title>Servlet select_verb</title>");
        out.println("</head<body><table><tr><td>");
        out.println("<form action=\"http://localhost:8080/\" + \"verbs/verb\" target=\"frame1\">");
        out.println("<input type=\"submit\" value=\"ok\">"+ "<br><br>");

        /*We select the verbs from the database presented in Figure 5:*/
        String sql_statement="select a2 from verbs";
        String verb=""; int i=0;
        try {
            String dbURL = "jdbc:odbc:verbe"; String user = "";
            String password = "";
            Class.forName("sun.jdbc.odbc.JdbcOdbcDriver");
            Connection c = DriverManager.getConnection(
                dbURL, user, password);
            Statement s = c.createStatement();
            ResultSet r = s.executeQuery(sql_statement);
            while (r.next()) {

                /*Using radio buttons HTML components, we display the verbs in a web page:*/

                i++; verb=r.getString(1);
                out.println(" <input type=\"radio\" value=\"\"+verb+ \"\" name=\"rg1\">"+verb+"<br>");
            }
            r.close(); s.close();
        }
        catch (ClassNotFoundException a) {}
        catch (SQLException a) {}
        out.println("</form>");
        out.println("</td><td valign=\"top\"> <iframe\" + \"src =\"p1.jsp\" width=\"1000\" height=\"2000\" \" + \"name=\"frame1\"> </iframe> </td></tr></table>");
        out.println("</body></html>");
    } finally {
        out.close();
    }
}
```


/ The verb- the phonetic transcription – the a4 field of the Figure 5*/.*

```
f3 + "</td>"+ "<td>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</td></tr>");
```

// The person three, singular – the pronoun.

```
out.println("<tr><td><b> Does</b></td>"+
"<td><b> he / she / it</b></td><td><b>not</b>"+
"</b></td><td><font color='\"#00008B\">"+
```

//The verb – the a2 field of the Figure 5.

```
"<b>"+f2+ "</b></font></td><td><b>?</b>"+
"</td></tr>");
```

```
out.println("<tr><td>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</td><td>"+
"&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</td><td>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</td>"+
"</tr>");
```

/ The phonetic transcription for the person one singular/plural, person two singular/plural and person three plural. */*

```
out.println("<tr><td> d&#601&#650nt </td>"+
"<td> h&#618&#720/ &#643&#618&#720"+
"/&#618t </td><td>"+
```

/ The verb- the phonetic transcription – the a4 field of the Figure 5*/.*

```
f3+"</td><td>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;"+ "</td></tr>");
```

/ The person one singular/plural, person two singular/plural and person three plural - the pronoun. */*

```
out.println("<tr><td><b> Don't </b></td>"+
"<td><b> I/you/we/they </b></td><td><font"+
"color='\"#00008B\"><b>"+
```

//The verb – the a2 field of the Figure 5.

```
f2+"</b></font></td><td>?</td></tr>");
```

/ The person three, singular – the phonetic transcription.*/*

```
out.println("<tr><td> &#712d&#652z "+
"&#601nt </td><td> h&#618&#720/ &#643"+
"&#618&#720 /&#618t </td><td>"+
```

/ The verb- the phonetic transcription – the a4 field of the Figure 5*/.*

```
f3+ "</td><td>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</td></tr>");
```

// The person three, singular – the pronoun.

```
out.println("<tr><td><b> Doesn't </b></td>"+
"<td><b> he/she/it</b></td><td><font"+
"color='\"#00008B\"><b>"+
```

//The verb – the a2 field of the Figure 5.

```
f2+"</b> </font></td><td><b>?</b></td>"+
"</tr>");
```

```
out.println("</table></td></tr></table><br>");
```

```
out.println("<br><hr border=3 color='\"+
"\"blue\"><hr border=3 color='\"blue\"><br>");
```

```
out.println("</body>");
```

```
out.println("</html>");
```

```
} finally {
```

```
out.close(); }
```

```
}
```

In this way, as one presented above, we build the whole conjugation for each selected verb.

For displaying the other items – grammar, list of words, list of expressions, we also use relational databases and web programming.

5 Conclusions

Due to the possibilities offered by the Internet, we can build new and various English learning tools. It is well known that on the Internet we can find an impressive number of websites on English learning, but despite this fact, we have seen that we can build new other models. Our model is dedicated to travelers and is focused on conversation guide level, but also can be used for other learners: for example, the grammar; the lists of nouns for vocabulary study, etc. are helpful to everyone who studies English. The phonetic transcription helps for good pronunciation, and is presented in the famous conversation guides. If we want, we can add audio files, but on the Internet we find many solutions on this subject.

As a final conclusion, we want to say that even on the Internet we find many websites with tools on English learning, using offline tools (books or DVD/CD with text or even interactive applications), we can build new website models for English learning. The advantage of the Internet is that we are not limited in displaying information. However, in order to be successful, the website must have a very good structure and concise presentations.

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