

Appendix I**PARTICIPANT'S CONSENT FORM**

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Preferences for Form Focused vs. Meaning Focused Activities

The complete contents of this form are to be read by, or explained orally in English or Spanish, to all persons interviewed for the purposes of this project. Signing this form will indicate that the person whose signature appears below has been informed of the nature of this project and has given her/his consent to participate as outlined below.

Purpose: You are being invited to voluntarily participate in this study. The purpose of the project is to document and identify the types of preferences students have for learning English grammar in the "CAL" at the Universidad de las Americas.

Procedure: If you agree to participate, you will be asked to participate in an interview which will be audio taped if you give your permission. You may also be asked to check a transcript of the interview for accuracy. Your participation is strictly voluntary.

Final Products: This study is being conducted for the researcher's master's degree at the University de las Americas-Puebla, expected completion date May 2001.

The researcher will transcribe segments of the audio taped interview. Upon request, participants will receive a transcribed copy of the segments of their interview.

Confidentiality: Your name and the name of all participants will be omitted, unless you specify that you wish your name to be used. Similarly, the names of any people mentioned in your interview will be omitted in the thesis.

Agreement by the Person Interviewed:

I have read and had explained to me the above information. My signature below indicates that I understand the above information, agree to participate in this research, and release any audiotapes from my interview (s) to the researcher for use in this project.

 Name (please print)

 (Date)

 Signature