**Partner Talk: Buying and Using Phone Cards**

(Low Intermediate and Above)

Teacher: Edit this handout to include only the 10-12 words you need or want to emphasize with your learners.

| Word | Example Sentence | Partner Talk Sentence |
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| access number | Dial the access number to start your call. |  |
| advertise | Some companies advertise phone cards with  no fees. |  |
| charge | Some cards charge lower fees for calls. |  |
| convenience store | You can buy a phone card at the convenience store. |  |
| customer service | Look for a customer service number on the card. |  |
| dial | Dial the number you want to call. |  |
| expiration date | This card has no expiration date. |  |
| fee | The fee for ending the call is 20 cents. |  |
| grocery store | You can buy a phone card at the grocery store. |  |
| hang up | When you hang up, the call ends. |  |
| in advance | Phone cards let you pay for minutes in advance. |  |
| international  calling card | International calling card is another name for  a phone card. |  |
| long distance | You can use a phone card to make long distance calls. |  |
| maintenance fee | This card has a monthly maintenance fee. |  |
| mobile phone | I take my mobile phone everywhere with me. |  |
| online | You can buy a phone card online or in a store. |  |
| overseas | You can use a phone card to make calls overseas. |  |
| PIN | You need a PIN to use your phone card. |  |
| phone card | Compare phone cards to get a good deal. |  |
| prepaid | You can buy a prepaid phone card in many places. |  |
| recorded message | The recorded message says how many  minutes you have left. |  |
| super store | You can buy a phone card at a super store. |  |
| track | The phone card company tracks the minutes you use. |  |