With the increasing use of English as a Lingua Franca (ELF) ,it is no longer suitable to concern English only with ‘native-speaking’ nations, but with a global community of users.This text reports on the use of unsuitable journals in ELT to expose students to universal Englishes (GE) ,an area that reflects the present global use of English.These journals served as a pedagogical mission, and as a study tool that included the analysis of 108 journals consisting of 1.092 reflections on GE exposure.The conclusions drew attention students’ actual use of English ,the impetus behind the selection of item for the listening journal , and their reflections on this exposure.The research both shows a benefit in using listening magazines to raise awareness of GE and highlights restrictions, including the strengthening of stereotypes and a inclination to reflect on attitude towards different diversities of English rather than how successful ELF communication is achieved.