



مدرسة القديسة مريم الكاثوليكية الثانوية - دبي
ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, DUBAI

Lesson Plan

Subject	English Language
Class/ Section	Year 8
Week	Week -5 (Lessons -1&2)
Work sent to students by	Google classroom
Total number of lessons per week	5
Unit/Topic	Unit-1 Drama Settings and Openings
Key vocabulary	Lighting, Sound-effects, Props atmosphere
<u>Lessons 1&2 –</u> Live Zoom lesson along with face to face instruction for students present on a particular day Work will be assigned in google classroom which will be matched to the students ability.	<u>Specific Learning objectives</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To broaden reading experience by reading scripts and plays.• To explore how stage settings can be created and openings can grab an audience's attention. <u>Success Criteria</u> <p>I Can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explain how a play script and novel are different and can comment on why they are different.• Interpret various stage techniques and explain its impact on audience. <u>Specific Intended Learning Outcomes</u> <p>Students should be able to read and enjoy screen-plays to widen their reading experience. They should be able to design the stage-settings effectively, focussing on audience's attention.</p>

<p>Tasks</p> <p>Assessment Criteria/ Essential questions</p> <p>Resources</p>	<p>Starter: - Students can role play the opening of <i>‘King of Shadows’</i> or <i>‘The Merchant of Venice’</i> or any play .</p> <p>Introduction: Share Objectives and outcomes.</p> <p>Development. Class Discussion:- <u>Activity 1-(Individual Activity-Building Skills in English page no.36)</u> Students will be asked to write short description of setting for the given situations using one prop, lighting and sound effects.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A school playground • A city at night • A deserted graveyard at night. • A busy beach in summer time. <p>Students will share their ideas. Teacher will motivate peer feedback.</p> <p><u>Activity 2 – (Group Activity- Break out session)</u> The opening scenes of Shakespeare’s <i>‘Romeo and Juliet’</i>, <i>‘The Tempest’</i> and <i>‘Hamlet’</i> will be given. Students will select one of the opening scenes and will describe which props, lighting and sound effects they will use and will explain their choice. (<u>Building Skills in English page no.37</u>) Students will share their ideas in the main session.</p> <p>Plenary: Setting ,Description ; Senses Word Mat will be given. Teacher will consolidate the main points.</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Text: Building Skills in English</p> <p>PPT (digital teaching aids) Setting Description Senses Word Mat</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Assignment:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Activity 2(Qn.3) from the text: Building Skills in English-Page no:-37. 2. Pre read the script from ‘Fawlty Towers’: (Building Skills in English-Page no:-38) . Explain the effectiveness of the Setting and opening.
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Class/ Section	Year 8
Week	Week -4
Work sent to students by	Google classroom
Total number of lessons per week	5
Key vocabulary	Exposition, Rising action, climax, falling action, denouement/resolution
Unit/Topic	Unit-1 Drama Plot and Characters
<p><u>Lesson – 3&4</u></p> <p>Live Zoom lesson along with face to face instruction for students present on a particular day</p> <p>Work will be assigned in google classroom which will be matched to the students ability.</p>	<p><u>Specific Learning objectives</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify and explore the plot structure of radio, television and film drama • To understand how characters are presented in dramas. <p><u>Success Criteria</u></p> <p>I Can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify and interpret the events of the plot structure using the 5 stages of Freytag’s triangle. • Can divide the actions of a plot into five stages. • Plan a plot for a script that features misunderstanding by drawing the stages of a Freytag’s triangle. • Explain the effect of each stage on the audience (audience reaction to each stage) • Express my response to characters with evidence of writer’s use of language that suggests/implies what they say, and do. • Interpret characterisation (how a character is presented) and explain with evidence from <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -- what the character says, -- how the character reacts to events and to other characters -- what the stage directions and punctuations suggest -- what the character does <p><u>Specific Intended Learning Outcomes.</u></p>

<p>Tasks</p> <p>Assessment Criteria/ Essential questions</p>	<p>Students should be able to understand the importance of stage settings and characterization of a plot. They should explore the drama techniques to grab audience's attention.</p> <p>Starter: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qt1gsw-O7wA</p> <p>Setting of The Merchant of Venice will be introduced.</p> <p>Introduction: Share Objectives and outcomes.</p> <p>Development.</p> <p>Activity -1</p> <p>Students will be asked to share their ideas about the script, 'Fawlty Towers' that they have read and written</p> <p>Activity-2</p> <p>Teacher will introduce Freytag's triangle or pyramid and the five stages to the students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exposition • Rising action • Climax • Falling Action • Denouement or resolution <p><u>Group Activity:- Break out Session.(Written Work)</u></p> <p>Students will be asked to identify each of the five stages from Freytag's triangle in the script.</p> <p>Activity-3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the difference between characterisation (how a character is presented in a play/story) and description of character • Students will read the given extract from 'Our Day Out' and will discuss the following questions Questions 2,3&4 from Building skills in English-page: 41) • Character Description Word Mat will be given. • <p>Plenary: Students will share their answers. Teacher will give feedback.</p> <p>Assignment: HW –Activity 2 , page 41.</p>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>Text: Building Skills in English</p> <p>PPT (digital teaching aids)</p> <p>Worksheet, Character Description Word Mat</p>

Subject	English Language
Class/ Section	Year 8
Week	Week -5 (Lessons-5)
Work sent to students by	Google classroom
Total number of lessons per week	5
Key vocabulary	Tenses
Unit/Topic	Unit-1 Drama
<p><u>Lesson –5</u></p> <p>Live Zoom lesson along with face to face instruction for students present on a particular day</p> <p>Work will be assigned in google classroom which will be matched to the students ability.</p> <p>Tasks</p>	<p><u>Specific Learning objectives</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the tense of the given words. • Change the tense of the given verbs and rewrite the sentences. <p><u>Success Criteria</u></p> <p>I Can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recall tenses. • Identify the tense of the given verb. • Change the tense of the given sentence <p><u>Specific Intended Learning Outcomes.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will be able to identify the tense in the sentences. • Students will be able to rewrite sentences/paragraphs by changing the tense (present to past or past to present) in their own writing and descriptions. <p>Starter:</p> <p>Quiz to recognise whether a sentence is in the past, present, or future tense(PPT)</p> <p>Introduction: Share Objectives and outcomes.</p> <p>Development.</p> <p>Activity -1</p> <p>Sharpen your skills Past tense to present tense. (Page no:-41)</p> <p>Students will be asked to identify tense of the given sentences.(past or present)</p>

**Assessment
Criteria/
Essential
questions**

- a. He walked past slowly
- b. The contestants push past, trying to be seen.
- c. She stands with an air of dignity around her.
- d. The group walks over to where their friends are.
- e. The class had not noticed that there was a knock at the door.

Activity-2 Change the tense:

Students will change the past tense to present and present tense to past.

(differentiated activity would be required)

Group 1 (Support) - few lines from a play

Group 2 (Core) – Short extract from a play

Group 3 (Extended) - Describe the setting in present tense and past tense

Plenary: Students will share their answers. Teacher will give feedback on correct tenses and support those who have difficulty in understanding the tenses.

Resources

Text: Building Skills in English

PPT (digital teaching aids)

Assignment:

worksheet