

H M Patel Institute of English Training & Research Vallabh Vidyanagar

Lesson Plan Sheet

Lesson No. Annual Lesson – II

Day & Date : 27/02/04 Friday

School : G. J. Sharda Mandir

Place : Vallabh Vidyanagar

Class : 9th

Division : B

Period : 4th

Time : 2:05 to 2:45 p.m.

Basic Skills / Type of Lesson

Appreciation
A Poetry lesson

Topic :
“My Ambition”
Deepti Ruth Azariah

Previous knowledge assumed :
They are familiar with the poems in their mother tongue.
They are familiar with some English poems.

Overall aim :
To enable them to read, understand, enjoy and appreciate poems in English.

Specific aims :
To lead them to the main idea of the poem.
To enable them to recite the poem carefully.
To enable them to appreciate the poem.

Stage Wise Summary :

- I Preparation :**
To lead the pupils to the main idea of the poem by making them listen to the advertisement and song.
- II Presentation :**
Two model recitations by the teacher.
Chorus recitation by pupils and silent reading.
- III Response – I :**
The teacher will ask some detailed questions based on the poem.

Response – II :
The teacher will ask some questions leading to the appreciation of the poem.

Teaching Aids used :

- 1 Pictures
- 2 Tape-recorder
- 3

Specific Objectives	Pupils' Learning Activities	Sample of Language Material, Preferably Contextual	Techniques / Patterns of Interaction / TALL
<p>Preparation : To lead the pupils to the main idea of the poem by asking some questions and making them listen to the advertisement and song.</p>	<p>They will answer the questions.</p> <p>They will listen to the advertisement and song.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) What do you want to become in life ? Why ? 2) Why do you like this profession ? Were you inspired by someone ? 3) Is this your wish from childhood or has it changed ? 4) What did your parents want you to become ? 5) Why did you change your decision ? 	<p>Questioning</p> <p>T → S</p>
<p>Presentaton / Discussion : To enable them to recite the poem in chorus. To enable them to read the poem silently. To enable them to have general understanding of the poem.</p>	<p>They will listen to the teacher's recitation.</p> <p>They will recite the poem.</p> <p>They will answer the questions.</p>	<p>My Ambition</p> <p>Keywords : cop, astronomer, grinned, punching, suggestion</p> <p>Global Questions :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) What is the poem about ? 2) List the professions mentioned in the poem ? 	<p>Recitation</p> <p>Chorus Recitation</p> <p>Pictorial and verbal Illustrations and demonstration</p> <p>Questioning</p> <p>T → S</p>
<p>Practice MM / Discussion / Response – I : To help the pupils to understand the details of the poem.</p>	<p>They will answer the questions asked by the teacher.</p>	<p>Detailed Questions :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) What did the girl want to become ? 2) Was she able to be a pilot ? Why ? 3) Why couldn't she be an astronomer ? 4) How could she make a lot of money ? 5) Why didn't she become a boxer ? 6) What did the mother say ? 7) What is the right thing according to Dad ? 8) Who wants her to become a teacher ? 9) What is the Grandpa's reaction ? 10) Were the cousins and relatives able to help the girl ? 11) Is the girl confident enough ? 12) What does the girl request for ? 	<p>Questioning</p> <p>T → S</p>
<p>Communicative Practice / Organisation : Response – II : To enable the pupils to be familiar with some specific devices like rhyming words and make them discuss the idea.</p>	<p>They will do as directed by the teacher.</p>	<p>Find out the rhyming words from the poem. Eg. Heights – nights</p> <p>Work in pairs and give your past ambition and a funny reason of not becoming that.</p>	<p>Pair work</p> <p>T → S</p> <p>S → S</p> <p>S → T</p>
<p>Home Task / Assignment : To enable the pupils to learn the poem.</p>	<p>They will learn the poem at home.</p>	<p>Memorize the poem at home.</p>	<p>Assignment</p>

Black-board Work :

My Ambition

Keywords : cop, astronomer, grinned, punching, suggestion

Global Questions :

- 1) What is the poem about ?
- 2) List the professions mentioned in the poem ?

Feedback : Positive / Negative

Trainee's Signature

Supervisor's Signature

MY AMBITION

I thought I'd be a pilot
Till I found I couldn't stand heights.
I thought I'd be an astronomer
But I couldn't stay up at nights.
My friend said, 'Be a boxer.
You'll make a lot of money'.
I think punching people's noses
Isn't very funny.

Mother said, 'A doctor'.
Dad : 'A cop is just the thing'.
Granma : 'Why not a teacher ?'
And Grandpa – he just grinned.
My cousins and my relatives
Couldn't help me in this quest.
And I still lack inspiration
Though I've tried my best.

So if you have a suggestion
On what I could be.
Just write it down, my dear friend,
And mail it straight to me.

– *Deepti Ruth Azariah*