

Lesson Plan: The Alphabet (2)

Target Level: Beginner

Materials needed: Letter flashcards, ball/similar object

Song: ABC action words https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D0XQVgBaZ38, ABC song (slow) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5k521GcBOYw

Time	Stage	Target Language	Activity
1-3 min.	Warm up/Review Review familiar vocabulary from previous lessons to warm students up		Give students letter flashcards and play ABC song. Students must raise their letter when it is sung/shown on video
	warm students up		Split class into two circles and give each team an object. The first student in each team starts by saying 'a' and passes to next student who says 'b'. Continue around the circle and the first team to finish wins a point
15-20 min.	Process:		
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5-10 min.	Intro Introduce the topic and new vocabulary in the simplest form	n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z	Hold up letter flashcard for students to see and say letter. Ask students to repeat several times as class, then ask individually
5-7 min.	Context Introduce the target sentence to put vocab in context		Give an example of a word beginning with the letter + show a picture - Include last lessons words
			Repeat focusing on first letter sound
5-10 min.	Practice A topic based task for students to practice language		Place word flashcards around the room and hold up a letter for students to see. Students must repeat the letter and search for the picture that has the correct first letter.
3-5 min.	Assessment Test understanding of the class as a whole		Hand out picture and letter flashcards within the two teams. Students must find their matching card as quickly as possible. When finished, ask students to call out their letter.

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3-5 min.	Cool Down	Play the 'ABC Actions' song, asking
	A fun, calming activity	students to copy actions and call out
	to wrap up lesson.	the letter as it appears on the
	Reward good behaviour.	screen
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