

Lesson Plan: Short Story using Video

Target Level: Middle School 12 – 15-year-olds

Materials needed: Video

Song: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3EGzHsye71c>

<i>Time</i>	<i>Stage</i>	<i>Target Language</i>	<i>Activity</i>
1-3 min.	Warm up/Review Review familiar vocabulary from previous lessons to warm students up	Story Characters	Start off with a question. <u>What is it about?</u> Ask the students one question e.g. ‘What is the story of frozen about?’ ‘What is the story of big hero 6 about?’ ‘What is story of Pokémon about?’ Next move on to characters; ‘Who are the characters?’ Create a PowerPoint of characters Elsa is a character, Ana is a character, Pikachu is a character, Baymax is a character etc.
15-20 min.	Process:		
5-10 min.	Intro Introduce the topic and new vocabulary in the simplest form		Watch this video (The Guilty Biscuit) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWb4CuXuWYc
5-7 min.	Context Introduce the target sentence to put vocab in context	Characters Biscuit Cookie Argue Disappear Girl Boy Man	Verbally ask the students what is it about? (expected answer: 2 people want a biscuit) Keep asking the class to see how far you can elaborate on it. Who are the characters? (Expected answer – boy, girl and man) For fun you can ask the students to give the characters names. Model the task for the students - Create a story board with lines underneath for writing. Draw 6 boxes on the board. In the first box draw the two characters with a biscuit. Underneath write (name) and (name) want a biscuit.

5-10 min.	Practice A topic based task for students to practice language		In the next box, draw them arguing. Underneath write (name) and (name) are arguing for the biscuit.
3-5 min.	Assessment Test understanding of the class as a whole		The students will copy your 6 boxes from the board. It is up to the students to make their own story board/ comic strip to re tell the story of the guilty biscuit. Ensure the students use writing and adding speech. Repeat the video if need be.
3-5 min.	Cool Down A fun, calming activity to wrap up lesson. Reward good behaviour.		Students firstly tell their story to their partner. Teacher is to go round and assist. Then look for volunteers for the students to show the class and read their story out loud. Play a game of hangman using words in the lesson; characters, biscuit, argue, story.