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And of Allah's Sign of Power is the creation of the heavens and the earth and also the variation of the languages and the color of you people; verily, in all these are Signs for men of knowledge.
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 زير مى باشد :
 ـ تأكيد بر يادگيرى زبان از طريق تجربيات زبانى انـي


 - توجه به جنبه هاى عاطفى و نتش آنها در فرايند آموزش زان آبان

هدف اين رويكرد، رشد مهارت هاى ارتباطى دانش آموزان به شيوهاى روان و و تا حد امكان انـ نزديكى به كاربرد
 زبان، مجموعه ایى از معيارها به شرح زير در نظر رُرفته شده است :
 كرفتن اهميت صورت و ساختار زبان (form) نيست .
ــ به دانش آموزان بايد فرصت شر كت در تعاملات بين فردى داده شود شود تا تا از آن طريق بتو انند به توانايى بيان عقايد و نظرات خود دست يابند.

- در انجام فعاليت هاى شنيدارى و خو اندارى، زمينه بايد به گونها

 گونهاى فراهم شود كه دانش آموزان تو انانيى برخورد با مو معيت ها ها هاى غيرقابل پيش بينى و خلأهاى اطلاعاتى را كسب نمايند.


 دانشآموزان كاربرد زبان را با استفاده از هر حهار مهارت زبانى از طريق شركت در فعّاليتهاى هدفـدار تجربه كنند.

ـ مداخله معلم براى اصلاح خطاهاى زبانى بايد به كونه ای باشد كه در فرايند ارتباط اختلال ايجاد نكند، بهعبارت ديخر مداخله معلم در اصلاح اين گونه خطاها بايد به حداقل ممكن كاهش يابد.

اجزاى بسته أموزشى
با با اين رويكرد كلى و با توجه به ملاكهاى مربوط به تدوين محتو ا اجزاى مختلف بسته آموزشى كتاب 1 Prospect 1 آلى عبارتاند از :
 هر درس از كتابدانش آموز به سه بخش اصن اصلى تقسيم گرديده است :

ـ بخش مهارت هاى شفاهى (شنيدارى و گغتارى) كه با يكى مكالمه آغاز و با بخش تمرين (Practice) ادا مه يِيدا مى كند.



 با مهارت سخن كغتن تلفيق شدهاند.
 فراگرفته شده در درس و ارائه فرصت به دانشآموزان براى كاربرد مطالب آموخته شده در يكى موقعيت






 صوتى بخشهاى زيــر مى الشاشد : - سرودهاى بخش خوشامد
 - وازگَان فرهنگ مصور پايان كتاب

اين لوح محتواى شنيدارى مناسب و متوعى را براى دانش آموزان فراهم مى آورد كه در تهيهُ آن از گويشوران مسلّط به زبان انگاليسى بهره كرفته شده است.

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 قالب يك درس و چچگونگى آموزش آن قرا ر مى گيرد.



 قادر به ايجاد ارتباط با استفاده از تمامى مهارت انهاى جهار كانه زبانى براى دريافت و و انتقال معنا باشد.



 آموزشى نتشهايى بر عهده دارند كه در ادامه به به آنها يرداخته شده اس است :



 يادگيرى ظاهر شود.





 براى تعيق فرايند يادگيرى از طريق تعاملات بين خود و و دانش آموز آنا كند. بهعلاوه انتظار مى رود فرايند ياديرى در خارج از كلاس نيز با فعاليت هاى هدايت شده معلم ادامه يابد.

## نحوء انتخاب و سازماندهى محتوا


 محتوا با محوريت حيظه هاى ارتباطى و مضامين مورد استفاده در آنهاصورت كُرفته است.


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\text { Prospect نمودار اـ شيوهٔ طراحى محتوى در كتاب } 1
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 ملموس دانش آموزان در اوولويت قرار گُرفته است. مضمون هاي اين كتاب به قرار زير است :


در ارتباط شكل گُرفته يريامون هر مضمون، از كنش هاى ارتباطى و مفاهيم خاصى استفاده شده است كه نكا نـات



 دربارة آن مىبايست با در نظر گرفتن اين ويزگى و نگاه به بخشه هاى بعدى مجموعه انجام شود.

روش تدريس : روش تدريس Prospect 1 از اصول رويكرد ارتباطى فعال خودباورانه پيروى مى كند و بر بر نوعى از راهكار آموزشى با اين فرض مبتنى است كه يادگيرى زبان با ايجاد حساس اريا







 (phrase)
 |هداف هر مرحله اشاره شده است :

## Steps in Teaching Conversation and Practice

1. Warm-up
2.Audio-Visual Presentation (two or three times)
2. Checking and Explanation
3. Introducing Functions
5.Audio-visual Practice
6.Pair/Group Work

## Steps in Teaching Sounds and Letters (word)

1. Warm-up
2.Audio-Visual Presentation (two or three times)
2. Checking and Explanation
3. Initial Teaching of Letters

- Visual Recognition
- Audio Recognition
- Extension
- Oral Production
5.Teaching Letters for Reading and Writing (using flash cards)
- Sounds of the Letters
- Shape of the Letters
6.Follow-up Task

7. Assignment

## Steps in Teaching Listening and Reading

1. Warm-up
2.Audio-Visual Presentation (two or three times)
3.Checking and Explanation (feedback)

## Steps in Teaching Speaking and Writing

1. Warm-up
2. Pair/Group Work
3.Checking and Explanation (feedback)

## Steps in Teaching Your Conversation/Role Play

1. Warm-up
2.Pair/Group Work
2. Student Presentation
4.Checking and Explanation (feedback)

## سنجش يشر فت تحصيلى


 تقسيم مىشود كه عبارتاند از سنجش غيررسمى كلاسى و سنجش رسمى نيمسال اول و پايان سال.
سنجش غير رسمى كلاسى : اين نوع سنجش كه قرار است توسط معلم و دانش آموزان، هر دو صورت پپ





 ياد گيرى اهداف آموزشى بی مى برند.





 سنجشى مى تو اند اثر بسيار مبتى بر روند آموزن داش داشته باثشد.

 نونه سؤ ال و بارمبندى آزمون كتبى و شفاهى كتاب 1 Prospect 1 در پايگاه اطلاعرسانى گروه زبانهاى خارجى قابل

## ساختار هر درس در ر اهنماى معلم

هر درس در كتاب راهنماى معلم 1 Prospect 1 با جدولى شامل اهداف إم اصلى درس آغاز مى شود. كنشهاى




 محترم درخواست مى شوود افكار و نظرات خود ر ا در ارتباط با با موارد زير در آن مرقوم نمايند.

راهنمايى هاى ارائه شده براى آموزش هر در درس مدت زمان يششنهاد شده براى آموزش هر بر بخش
 مسائل و مشكلات ناشى از آموزش بخش ها ماى مختلف بيشنهادات در راستاى بهبود شر ايط آموزش هر درس اين

 بخش را باددّت مطالعه فرمايند.


## Preliminaries

As you enter the class, greet your students and introduce yourself in Persian. Then talk about the importance of learning English as a foreign language. Explain that Prospect 1 from the series English for Schools is part of a six-year program that is designed to help students learn English for communicative purposes using all the four skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Tell them that they are required to do lots of pair/group work and explain how cooperative learning will result in more effective learning. Then ask them to look at their books and make them familiar with the course components. Tell them that:
-they have a student book and a workbook and that it is necessary for them to bring both books to class every session
-there are a Welcome part and 8 lessons in both books and a Review part for every two lessons only in their student books

- every lesson is composed of communicative and literacy instruction activities
- every lesson will be covered in three sessions
-there is a photo dictionary at the end of their student books
-there are a handwriting booklet and the translations of exercise instructions in Persian at the end of their workbooks
-they also have a CD in which there are audio files for the student book and an interactional software through which they can practice and learn more


## Welcome has been designed with the following purposes:

- To develop an initial positive attitude in the students toward learning English
- To persuade students that they already know some English
- To help teachers find out what their students know and are able to do at the beginning of the course in order to make appropriate decisions during the academic year

In order to meet the above-mentioned objectives, you are invited to treat Welcome not as a lesson but as a motivating introduction to the process of language learning. Keep in mind that your students at this level might come from different language learning backgrounds with different levels of familiarity with English. That is why it is recommended that Welcome in both the student book and the workbook should be covered under your supervision. Also note that positive feedback will encourage all students (including weak ones) to work more and better. So at the end of each activity, avoid assessing their work and make motivating remarks about what they do.

Words (7 minutes)
-Tell your students that we use words in everyday Persian that come from other languages including English, though they are pronounced differently in our language. These words are called international words. Give some example words and ask them to say some more. They can give example words from food, sports, clothes, home appliance and job names common to both English and Persian.

Example words: soup, basketball, $T$-shirt, radio, mechanic, etc.

- Ask them to look at the pictures and the words on Page 2 and put a check in the box near the words they know. Tell them that it is not much important how many words they identify.
-Ask them the following questions in Persian:

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\begin{array}{r}
\text { اـــ اين كلمات را كجا مى توان ديد؟ آيا نمونه مشخصى را مى تو انيد مثال بزنيد؟ }
\end{array}
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-Then ask them if they know any other words in English and write them down in the spaces provided at the top of Page 3.
$\bullet$ Remember that the number of words they can write and the spelling accuracy is not much important at this stage.
-Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
-Give a positive and motivating feedback to what all the students have done.

## Letters (7 minutes)

- (Optional Activity) Play the CD for the alphabet song two or three times while your students are looking at the alphabet box on Page 3.
-Then play the CD again and ask them to sing along.
- Ask if there are volunteer students to sing the song.
- Next ask students to look at the alphabet box again and put a check in the box near any letters they can identify.
-Write your own name on the board and then ask them if they can write their names in English in the space provided on Page 3.
- Remember that the spelling accuracy is not much important at this stage.
-Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Give a positive and motivating feedback to what all the students have done.


## Numbers (7 minutes)



- (Optional Activity) Play the CD for the numbers song two or three times while your students are looking at the number box on Page 4.
-Then play the CD again and ask them to sing along.
- Ask if there are volunteer students to sing the song.
- Next ask students to look at the number box again and put a check in the box near any letters they can identify.
-Then ask them if they can write their own telephone numbers in the space provided on Page 4.
-Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Give a positive and motivating feedback to what all the students have done.


## Colors and Classroom Objects ( 7 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the color samples on Page 4 and, if they can, say the words for any of the colors they know in English.
-Then do the same for the classroom objects.
${ }^{\bullet}$ Next ask them if they can make phrases to describe the objects on Page 5.
Examples are: a blue pen, a blue eraser, a red pencil, a yellow notebook, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class who can identify and name objects in the classroom.
- Give a positive and motivating feedback to what all the students have done.


## Let's know each other (7 minutes)

- Ask one of your competent student to come to the front of the class. Then tell him / her what your name is and ask for his / her name. This is going to be a model interaction for the rest of the class.
- Ask your students to pair up and do the same.
-Remember that the questions and answers at the bottom of Page 5 work only as a model and is not meant to be completed in writing. This is only an oral practice.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Give a positive and motivating feedback to what all the students have done.


## Reflecting on Your Teaching

Write down your ideas about what you experienced in presenting Welcome.
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## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

- Greeting
- Introducing oneself


## Literacy Skills

- Identifying, saying, and writing a, k, m
- Spelling one's name


## Key Language

- Words and Expressions: name (first name, last name), hi, hello, good morning, good afternoon, Mr., Mrs., Miss, fine, thanks
- Conversational Language Frames:

Hello/Hi/Good morning/afternoon, $\qquad$
How are you? Fine, thanks
What's your (first/last) name?
How do you spell $\qquad$ .?

My name's/ I'm $\qquad$
Can you spell your name?

## Sessions Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Talking about the importance of learning English Checking students' names/ Using mimes |
|  | Conversation | The English teacher is greeting his students in class |
|  | Practice (1) | Greeting  <br> Hi, Ali. Hi, Reza. <br> Hello, Maryam. Hello, Kimia. <br> How are you? Fine, thanks/thank you. <br> How are you today? Great, thanks. <br> Good morning. Good morning,....... <br> Good afternoon. Good afternoon, ........ <br> Good evening. Good evening, ......... |
|  | Practice (2) | Introducing Yourself <br> What's your name? My name is ...... / I'm ...... <br> What's your first name? My first name is $\qquad$ <br> What's your last name? My last name is $\qquad$ |
| 2 |  <br> Letters | Learning three sounds: $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{a}, \mathrm{K}, \mathrm{k}, \mathrm{M}, \mathrm{m}$ <br> What's your name? Excuse me. <br> How do you spell your last name? <br> Talk to your teacher: How do you spell your last name? |
| 3 |  <br> Reading | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> Finding out the interlocutors' first and last name |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, Speaking, Writing Working in group/ talk to three classmates/ Writing their first and last name in the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/greeting \& introducing |

NOTE：This lesson plan is designed for three sessions．You may follow the suggested schedule or re－schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate．

## The First Session Teaching \＆Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up（5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Describe the lesson objectives in Persian．
－Showing a picture to the class or using some mimes to get them involved in the lesson theme

## Conversation

## Preparation（5 minutes）

－Tell students to look at the picture on Page 6．Ask the following questions in Persian：

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& \text { ا_ اين مكالمه در كجا ا اتغاق مى افتد؟ } \\
& \text { 「_ فـكر مى كنيد این افراد چه نسبتى با يكديخر دارند؟ } \\
& \text { 「 } \\
& \text { † }
\end{aligned}
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－Before students listen to the conversation，tell them the names of the speakers．
－Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words．Therefore， they may not be able to retrieve the whole text．

## - (Optional Activity)

Act out the conversation in class using your own name and your students' names. Remember to use mimes.

## Listening (10 minutes)

- Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD.
- Play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what your students have understood.

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& \text { 1ـ نام معلم حيست؟ }
\end{aligned}
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& \text { 「 } \\
& \text { ץ }
\end{aligned}
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## Practice $1 \bigcirc$ Greeting ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn different ways of greeting someone. Let them know what each turn means.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then ask the class to greet you.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice greeting each other.
- F inally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the greetings.


## Practice 2 Introducing Yourself ( 15 minutes)



- Tell your students that they are going to learn different ways of introducing oneself. Let them
know what first and last names are．
－Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns．You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn．This can be practiced with individual students．
－Then ask the class to ask your name．
－Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking each other＇s names and greeting．
－Finally，invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the introductions and greetings．
－Tell the students to do their homework in their workbooks for the next session．


## The Second Session Teaching the Letters \＆Sounds

## Warm up（ 5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Checking the students＇homework in their workbooks
－Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session

## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation（5 minutes）

－Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify，say，and write the letters $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{k}$, and $\mathbf{m}$ ．
－Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 8．Then play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what they have understood．

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { ا_ نام معلم چیست؟ }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 「 「ـ معلم چگونه از او مى خوا هد كه نامخانوادگى اش را تكرار كند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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## Letter A/a (10 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter a in the words Kimia Komijani.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{A} / \mathbf{a}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{A} / \mathbf{a}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to two different sounds of the letter as in "at" and "arm".

Give examples of names with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.
Example names: Ahmad, Mina, Aram, Mahmood, Ali, Maral, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter A/a. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{a}$ in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{A} / \mathbf{a}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.


## Letter $\mathbf{K} / \mathbf{k}$ (10 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter K in the words Kimia Komijani.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{K} / \mathbf{k}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Now say the sound / K / for the letter two or three times and ask the students to repeat it after you.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word
in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{K} / \mathbf{k}$ in their books.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{K} / \mathbf{k}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{K} / \mathbf{k}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.


## Letter M/m (10 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{m}$ in the words Kimia Komijani.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{M} / \mathbf{m}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Now say the sound of the letter two or three times and ask the students to repeat it after you.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{M} / \mathbf{m}$ in their books.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{M} / \mathbf{m}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{M} / \mathbf{m}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.
- Ask your students to do the related exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## Follow-up Activity (10 minutes)

- Ask your students if they can spell their names.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 8 in their student books and explain how they can ask for word spellings (including their own names).
- Ask them to pair up and practice the question and the answers using their own names.
- Now ask them to use the question to ask you for spellings of names in English.
- Finally, ask students to say more names with the letters $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{k}, \mathbf{m}$.

Example Names: Kamran, Karim, Kamyar, Kamal, Akram, Malek, Karam, Kaveh, etc.

## The Third Session

Communicative Activities

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

Preparation (5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are greeting and introducing themselves. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the names (first and last) based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening (15 minutes)



- Play the CD once and ask students to choose the correct choice.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

## Conversation 1:

Conversation 2:

Kimia Ahmadi
Mahdi Karimi

## Speaking and Writing (15 minutes)

- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student greets three other students and asks for their names. Then he/she writes the names in the spaces provided in the table on Page 9 in their student books.
- Tell them to use the question How do you spell your .... name? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the names they have asked for.

Your Conversation (10 minutes)

- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their own information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 9 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
-(Game) Prepare some name cards (half the number of students in your class). Cut up as many as you need for your class, making sure each name appears twice. Give out the name cards. Tell the students that somewhere in the class is someone with the same name. To do this, they will have to stand up and move around the class, introducing themselves and asking for
names until they find someone with the same name. When they have found that person, they can sit down. The object of the game is to find someone with the same name.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 1.

## Lesson Two



## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

- Introducing others
- Asking someone's name


## Literacy Skills

- Identifying, saying, and writing e, b, p
- Spelling one's name


## Key Language

- Words and Expressions: boy, girl, man, woman, friend, classmate -Conversational Language Frames:

Who's that (boy)?
He's my (friend)
This is my (friend)
Nice to meet you.
Nice to meet you, too.
Sorry, what's your (last) name again?
Can you help me, please? I can't spell

## Session Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Bringing a picture showing the classroom atmosphere <br> Checking students' names/ Using the immediate context to involve the students in the lesson theme |
|  | Conversation | Three students are talking in the school yard |
|  | Practice (1) | Introducing Others <br> This is my friend Parham. <br> This is my classmate Parisa. <br> This is my English teacher Mr Kamali. <br> Nice to meet you. <br> Nice to meet you, too. |
|  | Practice (2) | Asking Someone's Name <br> Who is that boy? He's my friend Erfan. <br> Who is that girl? She's my classmate Parisa. <br> Who is that man? He's my teacher Mr Karimi. <br> Who is that woman? She's my teacher Mrs Bahrami. |
| 2 |  <br> Letters | Learning three sounds: $B, b, E, e, P, p$ <br> Can I help you? What's your name? <br> What's your last name? <br> Talk to your teacher: Can you help me, please? I can't spell. |
| 3 | Listening \& Reading | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> F inding out the interlocutors' first and last name |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, Speaking, Writing Working in group/ talk to classmates/ Writing the shortest and longest first $\&$ last name in the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: group work/greeting \& introducing |

NOTE: This lesson plan is designed for three sessions. You may follow the suggested schedule or re-schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate.

## The First Session Teaching \& Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Describe the lesson objectives in Persian.
- Showing a picture to the class to get them involved in the lesson theme


## Conversation

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Tell students to look at the picture on Page 10. Ask the following questions in Persian:

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& \text { اــ اين مكالمه در كجا اتفاق مى افتد؟ } \\
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\end{aligned}
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- Before students listen to the conversation, tell them the names of the speakers.
- Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words. Therefore, they may not be able to retrieve the whole text.


## （Optional Activity）

Act out the conversation in class using your own name and your students＇names． Remember to use mimes．As an alternative，ask a colleague／a student from another class to come to your class and introduce him／her to your students．

## Listening（ $\mathbf{1 0}$ minutes）

－Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD．
－Play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what your students have understood．

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { ا_ نام افرادى كه صحبت مى كند حیست؟ } \\
& \text { 「_ كدام دانشآموز دو نفر را به هم معرفى مى كند؟ } \\
& \text { 「 「 حه افرادى به هم معرفى مىشوند؟ } \\
& \text { † }
\end{aligned}
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## Practice $1 \bigcirc$ Introducing Others（ 15 minutes）

－Tell your students that they are going to learn different ways of introducing and greeting others．Let them know what each turn means．
－Let them know what the words classmate and friend mean and ask them to repeat the words several times．
－Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns．You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn．This can be practiced with individual students．
－Then ask the class to introduce one student to you and you do the greeting．
－Next ask your students to work in groups of three and practice introducing and greeting
others. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.

- Finally, invite groups to come to the front of the class to role play the introductions and greetings.


## Practice 2 Asking Someone's Name ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask someone's name. Let them know what each turn means.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then point to some individual students in class and ask the class to say their names.

Example Question: Who is that boy/girl?

- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking other students' names. One student points to a classmate and asks for his/her name and the other student answers. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the introductions and greetings.
- Tell students to do some exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds and Letters

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session


## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation (5 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify, say, and write the letters $\mathbf{e}, \mathbf{b}$, and $\mathbf{p}$.
- Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 12. Then play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what they have understood.

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& \text { 1 ـ نام دانشآموز حيست؟ }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { † }
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## Letter E/e (15 minutes)



- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter e in the word Behparvar.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{E} / \mathbf{e}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{E} / \mathbf{e}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound of the letter. Give examples and ask students to repeat them. Example names: Behnaz, Pedram, Emad, Esmat, Sepehr, Sepideh, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{E} / \mathbf{e}$. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{e}$ in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{E} / \mathbf{e}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.

Letter B/b (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{B}$ in the word Behparvar.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{B} / \mathbf{b}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{B} / \mathbf{b}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound of the letter. Give examples and ask students to repeat them. Example names: Behnaz, Bahram, Behrooz, Abbas, Ziba, Mobin, Zaynab, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{B} / \mathbf{b}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{B} / \mathbf{b}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.


## Letter P/p (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{P} / \mathbf{p}$ in the words Parisa Behparvar.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{P} / \mathbf{p}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{P} / \mathbf{p}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound of the letter. Give examples and ask students
to repeat them. Example names: Parisa, Pedram, Sepideh, Parviz, Sepehr, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{P} / \mathbf{p}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{P} / \mathbf{p}$ in the appendix at the end of their workbooks.
- Tell the students to do the related exercises in their workbooks.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can spell their names and write their phone numbers in the card on Page 8.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 12 in their student books and explain how they can ask for word spellings (including their own names).
- Ask them to pair up and practice the questions and the answers using their own names.
- Now ask them to use the question to ask you for spellings of names in English.
- Finally, ask students to say more names (first and last) with the letters $\mathbf{e}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{p}$.
- Example Names: Ebadi, Pakzad, Bahrami, Parinaz, Elaheh, Behnam, Pedram, Bahman, etc.
- Tell the students to do the related exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## The Third Session <br> Communicative Activities

## Listening and Reading Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are greeting and introducing themselves. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the names (first and last) based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening ( $\mathbf{1 5}$ minutes)

- Play the CD once and ask students to choose the correct choices.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

Conversation 1: Bita Ebadi

Conversation 2:
Babak Pakzad

## Speaking and Writing ( $\mathbf{1 5}$ minutes)



- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student greets three other students and asks for their names. Then he/she decides on the shortest and the longest first and last names in the group and writes them in the spaces provided in the table on Page 13 in their student books.
- Tell them to use the question How do you spell your $\qquad$ name? or Can you help me, please? I can't spell $\qquad$ when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the names they have found.


## Your Conversation ( 15 minutes)

- Explain that your students are going to work in groups and practice the lesson functions using their own information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 13 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in groups.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Ask a student to spell his/her name and the class will say the name. Then ask another student to say his/her name and the class will spell the name. Continue this with several students in class. This can be a chain practice.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 2.
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## Review Oñe

Lessons 1-2

## Objectives

## Functions Reviewed

-Introducing oneself
-Greeting

- Introducing others
-Asking someone's name
Literacy Skills Reviewed
- Identifying, saying and writing a, k, m, e, b, p
- Spelling one's name
- Describe the objectives of the review lesson in Persian. Explain to your students that they are going to review lessons 1 and 2 and assess their own abilities to introduce themselves, greet people, introduce others, and ask other people's names.
- Remember that the incomplete sentences on Page 14 in the student book are only models and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.


## Introducing Oneself and Asking Someone's Name (15 minutes)

- Ask students to pair up and practice making introductions and asking for their partner's name.

Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 14.

- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Introducing Others and Greeting ( 15 minutes)

- Ask students to form groups of three and practice introducing others and greeting. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 14.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Sounds and Letters (20 minutes)



- Ask individual students to use the prompt on Page 15 and write down their full name in the space provided.
- Tell them that they can use the question How do you spell ? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Ask some volunteer students to spell their names for the class.
- Then ask them to use the prompts for the single letters on Page 15 and write down example words (including names) in the spaces provided.
- Tell them that they can ask you or other students the question How do you spell
$\qquad$ ? if they are not able to write the words.
- Ask some students to spell their example words for the class.


## A Final Point

- Make sure that at least $80 \%$ of the students can perform well in this unit. This is the criterion of success in achieving the lesson objectives. Identify the students who are still struggling and try to pair them up with competent students. Ask the pairs to practice doing the activities
until they feel happy with their performance.
- After they announce that they are happy with their performance ask them to come to the front and repeat the activities.


## Lesson Three



## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

-Talking about one's age
-Talking about dates

## Literacy Skills

$\cdot$-Identifying, saying, and writing i, t, n

- Spelling numbers


## Key Language

-Words and Expressions: age, birthday, months of the year, really, numbers 1 to 31
-Conversational Language Frames:
It's my birthday (today).
Happy birthday, $\qquad$ ..!
How old are you?
I'm $\qquad$ years old.
When's your birthday?
(It's) in (Bahman).
How do you say this word?

## Sessions Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Starting with a picture showing people of different ages Who's that in the picture? |
|  | Conversation | The teacher \& students are talking about birthdays. |
|  | Practice (1) | How old are you? I'm 12 (years old). |
|  | Practice (2) | When is your birthday? (It's) in Bahman. |
| 2 |  <br> Letters | $\mathrm{I}, \mathrm{i}, \mathrm{~N}, \mathrm{n}, \mathrm{~T}, \mathrm{t}$ <br> How old is your brother? He's thirteen. <br> Talk to your teacher: How do you say this in English? <br> The Months of the year/ the numbers (1-31) |
| 3 |  <br> Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> F inding out the day and month of birth of the speakers |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, speaking, writing Working in group/ asking other classmates about the day \& month of birth |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/ asking about age and birthday |

NOTE: This lesson plan is designed for three sessions. You may follow the suggested schedule or re-schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate.

## The First Session Teaching \& Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Describe the lesson objectives in Persian.
- Showing a picture to the class to get them involved in the lesson theme


## Conversation

## Preparation (10 minutes)

- Tell students to look at the picture on Page 16. Ask the following questions in Persian:

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& \text { ا_ اين مكالمه در كجا ا اتغاق مىافتد؟ } \\
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\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Y }
\end{aligned}
$$

- Before students listen to the conversation, tell them the names of the speakers.
- Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words. Therefore, they may not be able to retrieve the whole text.


## Listening (10 minutes)

- Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD.
- Play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what your students have understood.


## Practice 1 Talking about Your Age (15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn different ways of saying their age. Let them know what each turn means. Also review numbers 1-12 with the students.
- Let them know what the word age means and ask them to repeat it several times.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then tell the class to ask your age.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking each other about their age. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.


## Practice 2 Talking about Date ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn different ways of asking about and saying dates. Let them know what each turn means.
- Let them know what the word date means and ask them to repeat it several times. Also review the months of the year with the students.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then tell the class to ask about your birth month .
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking each other's birth months. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.
- Tell the students to do some exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \& Letters

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session


## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify, say, and write the letters $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{t}$, and $\mathbf{n}$.
- Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 18. Then play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what they have understood.

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\end{array}
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## Numbers 1-31

- Show the flash cards for numbers 1-31 one by one and say the numbers.
- Ask students to repeat the numbers.
- Then explain about the three groups of numbers: 1-12, 13-19, 20-31. Say the numbers two or three times and ask them to repeat them. Also show them the words for the numbers.
- Now show them the flash cards and ask them to say and read the numbers. This can be practiced with individual students.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students to do one or two activities in their workbooks.


## Letter I/i ( 15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter i in the words thirty and thirteen.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{I} / \mathbf{i}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{I} / \mathbf{i}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the different sounds for the letter. Give examples and ask students to repeat them. Example words: it, is, in, birth, girl, thirty, thirteen
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter Ii. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{i}$ in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{I} / \mathbf{i}$.


## Letter T/t (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{T} / \mathbf{t}$ in the words Thirty and thirteen.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{T} / \mathbf{t}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{T} / \mathbf{t}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound of the letter. Give examples and ask students
to repeat them. Example names: teacher, two, ten, sit, student, first, last, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{T} / \mathbf{t}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{T} / \mathbf{t}$.


## Letter $\mathbf{N} / \mathbf{n}$ ( 15 minutes)



- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{n}$ in the word thirteen.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{N} / \mathbf{n}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{N} / \mathbf{n}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound of the letter. Give examples and ask students to repeat them. Example names: one, seven, nine, ten, student, thanks, nice, etc.
- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{N} / \mathbf{n}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{N} / \mathbf{n}$ in the appendix of their workbooks.
- Tell the students to do some exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can say their age and spell the number.
- Then ask them to circle their month and day of their birth in the tables on Page 19 in their student books.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 18 in their student books and explain how they can ask for word pronunciation.
- Ask them to pair up and practice the question and the answers.
- Now let them use the question to ask you for the pronunciation of words in English.
- Ask students to say more names and other words with the letters $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{t}, \mathbf{n}$.

Example Names: Nima, Iman, Taher, Tina, Iran, Nasser, six, seven, nine, Bahman, Tir, etc.

## The Third Session

## Communicative Activities

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)



- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are talking about their age number and month of birth. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the numbers and months based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening ( 15 minutes)



- Play the CD once and ask students to check the correct numbers and months of birth.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

Conversation 1: 13 - Azar
Conversation 2: 19 - Mehr

## Speaking and Writing ( 15 minutes)

- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks three other students for their age and month of birth. Then he/she writes them in the spaces provided in the table on Page 20 in their student books.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have found.


## Your Conversation (10 minutes)

- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 21 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Ask one student to name (in Persian) an occasion in the year. Other students try to guess the date.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 3.


## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

-Talking about your family (Age and Job)

## Literacy Skills

-Identifying, saying, and writing $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{g}$ * Spelling people's names

## Key Language

-Words and Expressions: family, mother, father, sister, brother, uncle, aunt, job, mechanic, doctor, nurse, housewife, teacher, dentist, pilot, driver, shopkeeper, picture, numbers 1 to 100

## -Conversational Language Frames:

How old is your (father)?
He's years old.
What's your father's job?
He's a (mechanic).
Can you write it for me, please?

## Sessions Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Starting with a picture! $\otimes$ Who's that in the picture? |
|  | Conversation | Focus on family members: father, mother,...(age \& job) |
|  | Practice (1) | How old is....? He's/She's ........ . (years old). |
|  | Practice (2) | What is your father's/ your mother's job? <br> What is his uncle's/ her aunt's job? <br> What is his/her job? He's /She's a $\qquad$ <br> doctor/teacher/mechanic/housewife/dentist/nurse,.... |
| 2 |  <br> letters | $\mathrm{G}, \mathrm{~g}, \mathrm{~S}, \mathrm{~s}, \mathrm{U}, \mathrm{u}$ <br> What's your father's /mother's name? <br> Talk to your teacher: Can you write it for me? |
| 3 |  <br> Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> Finding out the relationship and job of the speakers |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, speaking, writing <br> Working in group/ asking other members/filling out the table <br> Your conversation: pair work/ asking about age and job |

NOTE: This lesson plan is designed for three sessions. You may follow the suggested schedule or re-schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate.

## The First Session Teaching \＆Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up（5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Describe the lesson objectives in Persian．
－Showing a picture to the class to get them involved in the lesson theme

## Conversation

## Preparation（5 minutes）

－Tell students to look at the picture on Page 22．Ask the following questions in Persian：

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { اــ اين مكالمه در كجا اتفاق مى افتد؟ } \\
& \text { r r r } \\
& \text { 「 } \\
& \text { Y }
\end{aligned}
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－Before students listen to the conversation，tell them the names of the speakers．
－Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words．Therefore， they may not be able to retrieve the whole text．

## Listening（10 minutes）

－Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD．
－Play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what your students have understood．

اـ نام افرادى كه صحبت مى كند حيست؟

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## Practice 1 Talking about your family (age) ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask about other people's age. Draw students' attention to the word family and its different pronunciation in English compared with فاميلى in Persian. Also review numbers 1-100.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Using the family tree flash cards, let them know what the words for relationships are and ask them to repeat the words.
- Then tell the class to ask for the age of one of your family members.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking about the age of the people in their families. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.


## Practice 2 Talking about your family (job) (15 minutes)



- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask about other people's job.
- Let them know what the word job means and ask them to repeat it several times.
- Draw your students' attention to the use of 's to show possession.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Draw your students' attention to the pictures for the jobs on Page 23 in their Student's Book and let them know what each word means. Then ask them to repeat the words.
- Then tell the class to ask for the job of one of your family members.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking about the job of the people in their families. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words
they don＇t know．
－Finally，invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers．
－Tell your students to do the exercises in their workbooks at home．


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \＆Letters

## Warm up（5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Checking the students＇homework in their workbooks
－Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session

## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation（ 5 minutes）


－Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify，say，and write the letters $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{s}$ ，and $\mathbf{g}$ ．
－Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 24．Then play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what they have understood．

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& \text { ا- حه افرادى با هم صحبت مى كند؟ } \\
& \text { 「- موضو ع صحبت چچيست؟ }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 「٪_ دفتردار مدرسه برای درخو است خود از دانشآموز از چهه پرسشى استفاده مى كند؟ } \\
& \text { † }
\end{aligned}
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## Letter U／u（ 15 minutes）

－Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $u$ in the word student．
－Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{U} / \mathbf{u}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times．

- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{U} / \mathbf{u}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the different sounds for the letter. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example words: uncle, nurse, excuse, student, etc.

- Ask if students know any English words which include the letter $\mathbf{u}$. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{u}$ in the words sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{U} / \mathbf{u}$.


## Letter S/s (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{S}$ in the word Safari.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{S} / \mathbf{s}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find names with the letter $\mathbf{S} / \mathbf{s}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the different sounds for the letter. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example words: this, is, his, brothers, sisters, sit, say, spell, etc.

- Ask if students know English words which include the letter $\mathbf{S} / \mathbf{s}$, and ask them to decide what
the letter $\mathbf{s}$ in the words sounds like.
- Ask your students to find words in their books with the letter $\mathbf{s}$ and its two different sounds.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{S} / \mathbf{s}$.


## Letter G/g (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter G in the word Goodarz.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{G} / \mathbf{g}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find names with the letter $\mathbf{G} / \mathbf{g}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the different sounds for the letter $\mathbf{g}$. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example words: girl, English, good, great, age, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{G} / \mathbf{g}$. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{g}$ in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{G} / \mathbf{g}$.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can spell the name of a family member.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 24 in their student books
and explain how they can ask for word spellings (including their own names).
- Ask them to pair up and practice the question and the answers using their own names.
- Now let them use the question to ask you to write words in English.
- Ask students to say more names and other words with the letters $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{g}$.

Example Names: Golnaz, Negar, Nargess, Negin, nurse, dentist, etc.

- Tell your students to do the rest of exercises in their workbooks at home.

The Third Session
Communicative Activities

Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

Preparation (5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are talking about their family members and their jobs. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the words (relationships and jobs) based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening ( 15 minutes)



- Play the CD once and ask students to check the correct words.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

Conversation 1: uncle - teacher
Conversation 2: sister - nurse

## Speaking and Writing ( 15 minutes)



- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks three other students for information about their family members. Then he/she writes the words in the spaces provided in the table on Page 25 in their student books.
- Tell them to use the question Can you write it for me, please? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have found.


## Your Conversation (15 minutes)



- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 25 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Think of one of your relatives/friends/colleagues and say her/his name to the class.

Your students try to guess who she/he is and what her/his job and age is. Then continue the game with your students taking turns to run the game.

- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

## Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 4.

## Lessons 3-4

## Objectives

## Functions Reviewed

-Talking about your age and month of birth
-Talking about your family (age and job)
Literacy Skills Reviewed
-Identifying, saying and writing $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{t}, \mathbf{n}, \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{g}$

- Spelling words for jobs
- Identifying, saying and writing numbers 1-20
- Describe the objectives of the review lesson in Persian. Explain to your students that they are going to review lessons 3 and 4 and assess their own abilities to talk about their age and month of birth and also talk about their family.
- Remember that the incomplete sentences on Page 18 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.


## Talking about your age and month of birth (15 minutes)



- Ask students to pair up and practice saying their age and month of birth and asking for those of their partner's. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 26.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities .
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.

Talking about your family ( 15 minutes)


- Ask students to pair up and practice talking about their family members. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 26.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Sounds and Letters (20 minutes)



- Ask individual students to use the prompt on Page 27 and write down their family members' jobs.
- Tell them that they can use the question How do you spell ? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Ask some volunteer students to call out the jobs for the class.
- Then ask if your students can count from 1-20 in English. You start and your students will count with you. Then ask if individual students can do the same.
- Next ask them to use the prompts for the single letters on Page 27 and write down example words (including names) in the spaces provided.
- Tell them that they can ask you or other students the question How do you spell
$\qquad$ .? if they are not able to write the words.
- Ask some students to spell their example words for the class.


## A Final Point

- Make sure that at least $80 \%$ of the students can perform well in this unit. This is the criterion of success in achieving the lesson objectives. Identify the students who are still struggling and try to pair them up with competent students. Ask the pairs to practice doing the activities until they feel happy with their performance.
- After they announce that they are happy with their performance ask them to come to the front and repeat the activities.


## Lesson Five

## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

-Identifying people by their Appearance

## Literacy Skills

-Identifying, saying, and writing d, I, r
-Spelling clothes' names
Key Language
-Words and Expressions: tall, short, young, old, suit, shirt, jacket, trousers, manteau, scarf, chador, shoes, gloves, black, white, red, blue, yellow, green, brown, grey, orange, pink, wear
-Conversational Language Frames:
Who is (Mr. Davari)?
He's the (tall man). / He's the (old man).
He's wearing (a grey suit).
Which one is (Ladan)? She's wearing (white shoes).
What's $\qquad$ in English?

## Sessions Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Warm up | I'm wearing a suit! <br> What are you wearing today? What color is your shirt? |
|  | Conversation | Describing someone's height and clothes <br> The student \& his father are talking about the teachers at school |
|  | Practice (1) | Talking about appearance(height, clothes, and color) <br> Who is ....? He's the short/short man. He's wearing ... <br> Which one is ...? She's the tall/short girl. She's wearing .... |
| 1 | Practice (2) | Talking about appearance(age, clothes, and color) <br> Who is ....? He's the young/old man. He's wearing ...... <br> Which one is ...? She's the young/old woman. She's wearing... |
| 2 |  <br> letters | Spelling activities, pronunciation: [d], [1], [r] Learning the uppercase and lowercase of $\mathrm{d}, \mathrm{l}, \mathrm{r}$ <br> Talk to your teacher: What's . $\qquad$ in English? |
| 3 |  <br> Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> Finding out the interlocutors' height, clothes ,\& color of their clothes |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, speaking, writing Working in group/ asking other members/filling out the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/ asking about appearance |

NOTE: This lesson plan is designed for three sessions. You may follow the suggested schedule or re-schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate.

## The First Session Teaching \＆Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up（5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Describe the lesson objectives in Persian．
－Showing a picture to the class to get them involved in the lesson theme

## Conversation

## Preparation（5 minutes）

－Tell students to look at the picture on Page 28．Ask the following questions in Persian：

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& \text { اـ اين مكالمه در كجا اتفاق مى افتد؟ } \\
& \text { 「 「 فـكر مى كنيد اين افراد چه نسبتى با يكديگر دارند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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Y F شـ شما معمو لاً براى مشخص كردن افراد در جمع از چه صفات ظاهرى استفاده مى كنيد؟
－Before students listen to the conversation，tell them the names of the speakers．
－Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words．Therefore， they may not be able to retrieve the whole text．

## Listening（10 minutes）

－Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD．
－Play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what your students have understood．

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& \text { اـ پـ } \\
& \text { Y Y فرزند، معلم انگليسى خود را چچگونه توصيف مى كند؟ } \\
& \text { 「 } \\
& \text { Y ٪ - فرزند، معلم رياضى خود را چگونه توصيف مى كند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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## Practice 1 Talking about appearance (height, clothes, and color) ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to describe someone's height and clothes.

Let them know what each turn means.

- Let them know what the word appearance means and what it refers to. Also say the meaning of the word wear and ask them to repeat the word several times.
- Then, using flash cards, let them know what the words tall and short mean and ask them to repeat the words after you. Then show them the cards and ask them to say the words.
- Introduce the words for clothing items and colors on Page 29. Ask students to look at the words and pictures (You can also use your flash cards). Say the words and ask students to repeat them. Then ask them to look at the words and say them.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be continued with individual students.
- Then name a student in class and ask the others to identify him/her based on his/her appearance.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice identifying each other. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- F inally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.

Practice 2 Talking about appearance (age, clothes, and color) (15 minutes)


- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to describe someone's age and clothes. Let them know what each turn means.
- Using flash cards, let them know what the words young and old mean and ask them to repeat the words after you. Then show them the cards and ask them to say the words.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then name a student in class and ask the others to identify him/her based on his/her appearance.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice identifying each other. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.
- Tell your students to do the exercises in their workbooks at home.


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \& Letters

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session


## Sounds and Letters

Preparation (5 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify, say, and write the letters $\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{l}$, and $\mathbf{r}$.
- Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 30. Then play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what they have understood.

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& \text { †- خو استه دانشآموز چيست؟ } \\
& \text { 「_ دانشآموز درباره چه كلماتى سؤال مى كند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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& \text { † }
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## Letter D/d (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{d}$ in the
word chador
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{D} / \mathbf{d}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{D} / \mathbf{d}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: dentist, driver, doctor, birthday, red, old, friend, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{D} / \mathbf{d}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{D} / \mathbf{d}$.


## Letter L/l (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{l}$ in the word gloves.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{L} / \mathbf{l}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{L} / \mathbf{l}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: hello, welcome, football, black, blue, yellow, class, please, spell, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{L} / \mathbf{l}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{L} / \mathbf{l}$.


## Letter R/r (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{r}$ in the word chador
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{R} / \mathbf{r}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{R} / \mathbf{r}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: red, green, orange, grey, brown, are, your, friend, shirt, trousers, scarf, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{R} / \mathbf{r}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{R} / \mathbf{r}$.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can say and spell names for clothing items in English.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 30 in their student books and explain how they can ask for words in English.
- Now ask them to pair up and practice the question and the answers.
- Then let them ask you for words they don't know in English.
- Finally, ask students to say more words with the letters $\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{l}, \mathbf{r}$.

Example words: ruler, door, desk, chair, blackboard, etc.

## The Third Session

## Communicative Activities

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the rest of students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are describing someone's appearance. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the words based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening (15 minutes)

- Play the CD once and ask students to check the correct words.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

Conversation 1: short-suit - brown
Conversation 2: tall-manteau-black

## Speaking and Writing (15 minutes)

- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks three other students for information about their family members. Then he/she writes the words in the spaces provided in the table on Page 31 in their student books.
- Tell them to use the question What's $\qquad$ in English? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have asked for.


## Your Conversation (15 minutes)

- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 31 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Tell them that you are thinking of one of the students in class and they ask you questions on what her/his appearance to guess who she/he is. Then continue with students taking turns to run the game.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 5.
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## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

1. Talking about where people are
2. Talking about what people are doing

## Literacy Skills

- Identifying, saying, and writing f, v, w
- Spelling words with w


## Key Language

-Words and Expressions: house, room, bedroom, kitchen, living room, garage, office, lunch, hand, cook, wash, watch, play, read, study, work, come, fix, call
-Conversational Language Frames:
Where are you/they? I'm/They're in the (kitchen).
Where's he/she?
Is he/she in the (garage)? (He's/She's) in his/her room.

What are you/they doing? Yes, he/she is. / No, he/she isn't. I'm/They're (cooking lunch).
What is he/she doing?
$\mathrm{He} /$ She is (studying).
Pardon? Can you say that again?

## Sessions Snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Showing a picture/ Who is this man/woman?/ What is he/she ....? |
|  | Conversation | Focus on the place people are \& what they are doing |
|  | Practice (1) | Where are you/they? I'm in the .... They're in the ...... <br> Where is he/she? He's in the ..... She's in the ..... |
|  | Practice (2) | What are you/they doing? I'm $\qquad$ They're $\qquad$ <br> What's she/he doing? <br> She's $\qquad$ He's $\qquad$ |
| 2 | Sound \& letters | Learning three letters: $\mathrm{F}, \mathrm{f}, \mathrm{V}, \mathrm{v}, \mathrm{W} . \mathrm{w}$ <br> Pardon! Can you say it again? |
| 3 |  <br> Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> F inding out where the speakers are $\&$ what they are doing |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: reading, speaking, writing <br> Working in group/ asking your partner/filling out the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/ asking about what others are doing |

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## The First Session Teaching \& Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Describe the lesson objectives in Persian.
- Showing a picture to the class to make students involved in the lesson theme. There should be someone doing something in the picture. Then try to attract their attention to where the person is and what he/she is doing.


## Conversation

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Tell students to look at the picture on Page 32. Ask the following questions in Persian:

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { اــ اين مكالمه در كجا و چه زمانى اتفاق مى افتد؟ }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { † }
\end{aligned}
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- Before students listen to the conversation, tell them the names of the speakers.
- Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words. Therefore, they may not be able to retrieve the whole text.


## Listening (10 minutes)

- Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD.
- Play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what your students have understood.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 「 } \\
& \text { هـ مادر فريد از او مى خو اهد چه كارى انجام دهد؟ }
\end{aligned}
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## Practice $1 \bigcirc$ Talking about where people are ( 15 minutes)

Tell your students that they are going to learn how to say where people are. Let them know what each turn means. Let them know about the question word where and its meaning. You don't need to give all the details. Just refer to its function as a question word and its meaning.

- Using flash cards, introduce the words for the different parts of the house. Ask them to look at the cards and say the words. Next, ask students to repeat them. Then ask them to look at the words and say them.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be continued with individual students.
- Then ask the class to say where you are.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice the questions and answers. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- F inally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.


## Practice 2 Talking about what people are doing ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to say what someone is doing. Let them know what each turn means.
- Using flash cards, let them know what the verbs cook, watch, read and play mean and ask them to repeat the words after you. Then show them the cards and ask them to say the words.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then ask the class to say what you are doing.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice the questions and answers. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.
- (Optional Activity) Ask your students to practice with some more verbs you offer them.
- (Optional Activity) Ask your students to practice with flashcards in groups.
- (Optional Activity) Ask one student to mime some activities for others to practice Q \& A.
- Tell the students to do some tasks in their workbooks for their next session.


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \& Letters

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session


## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation (5 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify, say, and write the letters $\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{v}$, and $\mathbf{w}$.
- Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 34. Then play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what they have understood.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { اــ معلم از فاطهه حه مى يرسد؟ }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 「ــ معلم با حه جملهإى پاسخ وى را ا اصلاح مى كند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{F}$ in the word Fatemeh .
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{F} / \mathbf{f}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{F} / \mathbf{f}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: football, friend, fine, fix, four, first, afternoon, housewife, etc.
Let them know that in some words, the sound is also represented by the letters ph. Example words are telephone, elephant, photo, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{F} / \mathbf{f}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{F} / \mathbf{f}$.


## Letter V/v (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the box in Practice 2 on Page 33 in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{V}$ in the word $\mathbf{T V}$.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{V} / \mathbf{v}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{V} / \mathbf{v}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: five, seven, eleven, driver, gloves, living room, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{V} / \mathbf{v}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{V} / \mathbf{v}$.


## Letter W/w (15 minutes)



- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{w}$ in the word working.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{W} / \mathbf{w}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{W} / \mathbf{w}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: white, where, what, when, which, wash, wear, etc.
Let them know that in some words the letter $\mathbf{w}$ is not pronounced as $/ \mathrm{v} /$. Give example words such as who and answer.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{W} / \mathbf{w}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{W} / \mathbf{w}$.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can say and spell words with the letter $\mathbf{w}$.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 34 in their student books and explain how they can ask someone to repeat what they say.
- Then ask students to say more words with the letters $\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w}$.

Example words: fill, office, villa, very, woman, welcome, fan, van, water, vast, fast, west, etc.

- Tell the students to do some tasks in their workbooks for their next session.


## The Third Session

## Communicative Activities

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the rest of the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

## Preparation ( 5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are doing something in different parts of a house. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the words based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening (15 minutes)



- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.

Correct Answers:
Conversation 1: kitchen - cooking
Conversation 2: office - working

## Speaking and Writing ( 15 minutes)

- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks another student
what other people are doing in the classroom. Then he/she writes the words in the spaces provided in the table on Page 35 in their student books.
- Tell them to use the question Pardon? Can you say it again? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have asked for.


## Your Conversation (15 minutes)



- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 35 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Using mime show your students that you are doing something somewhere in the house. They are supposed to guess where you are and what you are doing. Continue with students taking turns to run the game.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 6.


- Describe the objectives of the review lesson in Persian. Explain to your students that they are going to review lessons 5 and 6 and assess their own abilities to talk about appearance, name parts of a house and talk about what people are doing.
- Remember that the incomplete sentences on Page 36 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.


## Talking about appearance ( 15 minutes)



- Ask students to pair up and practice describing themselves and their partner. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 36 .
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities .
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.

Naming parts of a house (5 minutes)

- Ask students to use the prompt given on Page 36 and name four places in a house.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities .
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Talking about what you are doing ( 10 minutes)

- Ask students to use the prompts given on Page 36 and say what their classmates are doing around them.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Sounds and Letters ( 20 minutes)



- Ask individual students to use the prompt on Page 37 and write down the names of four famous people.
- Tell them that they can use the question How do you spell ? when needed.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Ask some volunteer students to call out the names for the class.
- Next ask them to use the prompts for the single letters on Page 37 and write down example words (including names) in the spaces provided.
- Tell them that they can ask you or other students the question How do you spell
$\qquad$ ? if they are not able to write the words.
- Ask some students to spell their example words for the class.


## A Final Point

- Make sure that at least $80 \%$ of the students can perform well in this unit. This is the criterion of success in achieving the lesson objectives. Identify the students who are still struggling and try to pair them up with competent students. Ask the pairs to practice doing the activities until they feel happy with their performance.
- After they announce that they are happy with their performance ask them to come to the front and repeat the activities.

Lesson Seven

## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

-Talking about your address/phone number
-Telling the time
Literacy Skills
-Identifying, saying, and writing $\mathbf{o}, \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}$
-Spelling one's e-mail address

## Key Language

-Words and Expressions: address, home, street, (tele)phone, number, mobile, call, go, live, visit, time, a.m., p.m., o'clock, evening
-Conversational Language Frames:
What's (your) address?
Where do (you) live? (5, Enghelab Street).
What's (your/Mina's) telephone number?
What's (your) home/office/mobile number? (It's) (433-7891).
What time is it? What time (is) (he) going?
(at/around 5 o'clock/a.m./p.m.). (7:30 in the evening).
I'm not sure./ I don't know./ I don't understand.

## Sessions snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Showing street signs, a clock and a cell phone to students to make them involved in the lesson theme. Ask them their address/ telephone number/time in Persian |
|  | Conversation | Two persons are talking to each other They are asking for address/ telephone numbers/ and time |
|  | Practice (1) | Talking about your address <br> What's your/his/her/their address? 42 Bahar street |
|  | Practice (2) | Talking about your telephone number <br> What's your/his/her/their telephone number? <br> What's your/his/her/their mobile phone number? What's your/his/her/their office number? |
|  | Practice (3) | Telling the time <br> What time is it? 10 O'clock What time is she/he going/ leaving? At 9:30 <br> What time are you/they coming back/going? At 7 in the afternoon |
| 2 |  <br> letters | Spelling activities, pronunciation: $\mathrm{h}, \mathrm{o}, \mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}$ <br> Learning the uppercase and lowercase of $\mathrm{h}, \mathrm{o}, \mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}$ <br> Talk to your teacher: I don't know. I'm not sure. I don't understand. |
| 3 |  <br> Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> Finding out the interlocutors' address \& telephone number |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, speaking, writing Working in pairs/ asking your partner's name/address/ telephone number/filling out the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/ asking about someone's address, phone number/ |

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## The First Session Teaching \& Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Describe the lesson objectives in Persian
- Showing a picture to the class to make students involved in the lesson theme.


## Conversation

## Preparation (10 minutes)

- Tell students to look at the picture on Page 38. Ask the following questions in Persian:

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { اــ اين مكالمه در كجا ا اتفاق مى افتد؟ }
\end{aligned}
$$

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { ケـ آنها درباره چه چچیزى صحبت مى كند؟ }
\end{aligned}
$$

- Before students listen to the conversation, tell them the names of the speakers.
- Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words. Therefore, they may not be able to retrieve the whole text.


## Listening (10 minutes)

- Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD.
- Play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what your students have understood.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { \ـ اميد چهd خبرى به حسين مىدهد و از او چه مى پرسد؟ } \\
& \text { 「 「 اميد چهd ساعتى به ملاقات على خوا هد رفت؟ } \\
& \text { 「_ آيا حسين با او خو اهد رفت؟ } \\
& \text { † } \\
& \text { هـ حسين از اميد چه مى خو اهد؟ }
\end{aligned}
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## Practice 1 Talking about your address（10 minutes）

－Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask for and give one＇s address．Let them know what each turn means．Draw students＇attention to the word address and its different pronunciation compared with that in Persian：آدرس
－Let them know that，unlike addresses in Persian，in giving one＇s address in English，they start with the number，then the street，and finally the city／town．
－Introduce the words street，visit，live and call．Say the words and ask students to repeat them．
－Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns．You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn．This can be continued with individual students．
－Then tell the class to ask for your address．
－Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking for and giving their address．They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don＇t know．
－Finally，invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers．

## Practice 2 Talking about your telephone number（ 10 minutes）

－Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask for and give one＇s address．Let them know what each turn means．Draw students＇attention to the word telephone and its different forms in English：telephone and phone．

- Let them know that in giving one's phone number in English, they say the digits one by one having a little pause between the two parts of the number.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be continued with individual students.
- Then tell the class to ask for your telephone number.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking for and giving their telephone numbers. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- F inally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.


## Practice 3 Telling the time ( 10 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to tell the time. Let them know what each turn means.
- Let them know what the words come, go, leave, time, o'clock (of clock), a.m.(in the morning), and p.m. (in the af ternoon and evening) mean and ask them to repeat the words after you.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be practiced with individual students.
- Then tell the class to ask you what time it is.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice asking for and telling the time. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.
-(Optional Activity) Ask your students to practice telling the time with a clock or flashcards.
- Tell students to do some homework from their workbooks for their next session.


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \& Letters

## Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session


## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation (5 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify, say, and write the letters $\mathbf{o}, \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{x}$ and y .
- Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 40. Then play the CD two or three times.
- Now ask questions (in Persian) to check what they have understood.


## Letter O/o (15 minutes)



- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{0}$ in the word phone.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{O} / \mathbf{o}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{O} / \mathbf{o}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: phone, go, post, hello, brother, mother, son, come, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{O} / \mathbf{o}$. Ask them to decide what the letter $\mathbf{0}$ in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{O} / \mathbf{o}$.


## Letter H/h (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{h}$ in the e-mail address.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{H} / \mathbf{h}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{H} / \mathbf{h}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: hello, how, home, him, his, hungry, hand, hi, etc.
Remember that in some English words the letter $\mathbf{h}$ is silent, and that it is combined with some other letters to sound differently. Examples are Iranian names ending in h: Fatemeh, Laleh, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{H} / \mathbf{h}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{H} / \mathbf{h}$.


## Letters $\mathbf{X} / \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{Y} / \mathbf{y}$ ( 15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letters $\mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{y}$ in the $\mathrm{e}-$ mail address.
- Show the flash cards for letters $\mathbf{X} / \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{Y} / \mathbf{y}$ and say the name of the letters two or three times.
- Show the flash cards, say the names and ask students to repeat them.
- Using the example words on the flash cards, explain the two written forms for the letters. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letters $\mathbf{X} / \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{Y} / \mathbf{y}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letters. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words for $\mathbf{x}$ : taxi, six, excuse, fix, box, mixer, relax. fax. etc.
Remember that x does not occur at the beginning of English words.
Example Words for $\mathbf{y}$ : yes, yellow, you, your, my, say, boy, today, etc.
Remember that sometimes y at the end of words sounds as /I/. Example words are library, hungry, happy, secretary, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letters $\mathbf{X} / \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{Y} / \mathbf{y}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letters in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letters.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letters $\mathbf{X} / \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{Y} / \mathbf{y}$.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can say or write their own or other people's e-mail addresses in English. In case they don't have an e-mail address, ask them to make one for themselves.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 40 in their student books. Explain to your students that I don't know, I'm not sure, or I don't understand are all used to ask for clarification, that is, they don't clearly understand something and that
they want the other person to explain the matter more or in another way.
- F inally, ask students to give examples of words with the letters $\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{x}$ and $\mathbf{y}$.

Example words: OK, next, hundred, year, etc.

## The Third Session Communicative Activities

## Warm up (5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the rest of the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

## Preparation (5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are giving their address and telephone numbers.
- The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the addresses and phone numbers based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening (15 minutes)



- Play the CD once and ask students to check the correct answers.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.

Correct Answers:
Conversation 1:
30 Mahan Street - 623-4521
Conversation 2:
15 Hejab Street - 544-4139

## Speaking and Writing (15 minutes)

- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks three other students for his/her address and telephone number. Then he/she writes the information in the spaces provided in the table on Page 41 in their student books.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have asked for.


## Your Conversation (15 minutes)

- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 41 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
$\bullet$ (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Whisper a telephone number (in Persian) to one of the students and she/he will call out the number (in English). Then the same student will whisper (in Persian) a telephone number and another student will call out the number in English. The game continues like this.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson seven.

## Lesson Eight

## Lesson Objectives

## Functions

-Talking about your favorite food
-Making suggestions

## Literacy Skills

-Identifying, saying, and writing c, j, q, z

- Spelling food names


## Key Language

-Words and Expressions: food, drink, hungry, thirsty, favorite, bread, rice, kebab, chicken, salad, fruit, juice, orange, dates, cake, milk, tea, water, jelly, quince, coconut, zucchini, feel, like, enough
-Conversational Language Frames:
What's (your) favorite food/drink?
What do you like to eat/drink?
I'd like some (cakes and milk).
1 am/feel hungry/thirsty.
Let's have/take something to eat/drink.
How about some (cakes and milk)?
How do you say in English?

## Sessions snapshot

| Session | Content | Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Warm up | Showing a picture to make students involved in the lesson theme. <br> Calling the roll <br> Ask them what they like to eat |
|  | Conversation | Focus on telling one's favorite food and drink |
|  | Practice (1) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { What's (your) favorite food/drink? Rice \& kebab/ chicken } \\ & \begin{array}{ll} \text { What do you like to eat/drink? } & \begin{array}{l} \text { Orange juice/some cake \& } \\ \text { milk } \end{array} \end{array} \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Practice (2) | I am/feel hungry/thirsty. <br> Let's have/take something to eat/drink. How about some (cakes and milk)? |
| 2 |  <br> Letters | Spelling activities, pronunciation: C, c, J, j, Q, q, Z, z <br> Learning the uppercase and lowercase of C, c, J, j, Q, q, Z, z <br> Talk to your teacher: How do you say ........in English? |
| 3 | Listening \& Writing | Purposeful listening <br> Listening to two conversations <br> Finding out the interlocutors' favorite food $\&$ drink |
|  | Language use | Integration of skills: Reading, speaking, writing Working in group/ asking your classmates what they like to eat and drink and fill out the table |
|  |  | Your conversation: pair work/ asking about someone's favorite food and drink |

NOTE: This lesson plan is designed for three sessions. You may follow the suggested schedule or re-schedule the lesson parts for three sessions as you consider more appropriate.

## The First Session Teaching \＆Practicing Language Functions

## Warm up（ 5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Describe the lesson objectives in Persian
－Showing a picture to the class to make students involved in the lesson theme．

## Conversation

## Preparation（ 5 minutes）

－Tell students to look at the picture on Page 42．Ask the following questions in Persian：

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { اـ اين مكالمه در كجا اتفاق مى افتد؟ } \\
& \text { Y 「 فـكر مى كنيد اين افراد چه نسبتى با يكديگر دارند؟ }
\end{aligned}
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－Before students listen to the conversation，tell them the names of the speakers．
－Students are expected to have scanning in their listening and grasp the key words．Therefore， they may not be able to retrieve the whole text．

## Listening（10 minutes）

－Now ask the students to look at the picture again and listen to the conversation on CD．
－Play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what your students have understood．

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { ا_ دانشآموزان در حال انجام چه كارى هستند؟ }
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { r r } \\
& \text { Y }
\end{aligned}
$$

- Say what the phrase Sounds good! is in Persian: فكر خوبيه، عاليه، محشره


## Practice $1 \bigcirc$ Talking about your favorite food and drinks ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to ask and answer about their favorite food and drinks. Let them know what each turn means. Draw students' attention to the words favorite, food, drink and their meanings. Ask them to repeat the words two or three times.
- Ask them to look at the pictures on Page 43 in their student books and repeat the words after you. Then refer them to the items in pictures (in Persian) and ask them to read the English words.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be continued with individual students.
- Then tell the class to ask you about your favorite food and drinks.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice the questions and answers. They can refer to the photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don't know.
- Finally, invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers.


## Practice 2 Making suggestions ( 15 minutes)

- Tell your students that they are going to learn how to suggest food and drinks. Let them know what each turn means. Draw students' attention to the words let's, how about and their meanings and use.
- Then play the CD two or three times and ask them to repeat the turns. You can also divide the class into two groups and ask each group to repeat one turn. This can be continued with individual students.
- Then tell the class that you are hungry/ thirsty and students will make suggestions.
- Next ask your students to pair up and practice making suggestions. They can refer to the
photo dictionary at the end of their student books for words they don＇t know．
－Finally，invite pairs to come to the front of the class to role play the questions and answers．
－Ask your students to do some exercises from their workbooks for the next session．


## The Second Session Teaching Sounds \＆Letters

## Warm up（ 5 minutes）

－Calling the roll
－Checking the students＇homework in their workbooks
－Reviewing what they have learnt in the first session

## Sounds and Letters

## Preparation（ 5 minutes）

－Tell your students that they are going to learn to identify，say，and write the letters $\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{j}, \mathbf{q}$ and

## z．

－Tell students to look at the conversation on Page 44．Then play the CD two or three times．
－Now ask questions（in Persian）to check what they have understood．

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { ا- مجيد با چه جملهای از معلم خود اطلاعات مورد نظرش را مى يرسد؟ } \\
& \text { † } \\
& \text { 「 「_ معادل انگليسى زله حیست؟ } \\
& \text { هـ معادل انگليسى به چیيست؟ } \\
& \text { 「 「ـ معادل انگليسى كدو چیيست؟ }
\end{aligned}
$$

## Letter C／c（15 minutes）

－Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{c}$ in the word coconut．

- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{c}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{c}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sounds for the letter/c/. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: color, class, can, card, picture, uncle, mechanic, police, office, nice, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{c}$. Ask them to decide what the letter c in their names sounds like.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{c}$.


## Letter J/j (15 minutes)

- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letter $\mathbf{j}$ in the word jelly.
- Show the flash card for letter $\mathbf{J} / \mathbf{j}$ and say the name of the letter two or three times.
- Show the flash card, say the name and ask students to repeat it.
- Using the example words on the flash card, explain the two written forms for the letter. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letter $\mathbf{J} / \mathbf{j}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letter/j/. Give examples of words with the sound and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words: job, jacket, juice, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letter $\mathbf{J} / \mathbf{j}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letter in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letter.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letter $\mathbf{J} / \mathbf{j}$.


## Letters $\mathbf{Q} / \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{Z} / \mathbf{z}$ (15 minutes)

- F irst of all, tell students that these two letters are not very frequent in English.
- Ask your students to look at the conversation in their books and identify the letters $\mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{z}$ in the words quince and zucchini.
- Show the flash cards for letters $\mathbf{Q} / \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{Z} / \mathbf{z}$ and say the name of the letters two or three times.
- Show the flash cards, say the names and ask students to repeat them.
- Using the example words on the flash cards, explain the two written forms for the letters. Tell them that the upper-case forms are used at the beginning of proper names and the first word in a sentence.
- Now ask your students to find words with the letters $\mathbf{Q} / \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{Z} / \mathbf{z}$ in their books.
- Then draw your students' attention to the sound for the letters/q/ and $/ \mathrm{z} /$. Give examples of words with the sounds and ask students to repeat them.

Example Words for $\mathbf{q}$ : question, quick, quiet, Quran, etc.
Example Words for $\mathbf{z}$ : zoo, zero, lazy, zebra, etc.

- Ask if there are students in class whose names include the letters $\mathbf{Q} / \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{Z} / \mathbf{z}$.
- Using the board, show them how to write the letters in the two forms. Draw their attention to the directions in shaping the letters.
- Now ask them to practice writing the letters $\mathbf{Q} / \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{Z} / \mathbf{z}$.
- Tell the student s to do the exercises in their workbooks for the next session.


## Follow-up Activity

- Ask your students if they can say and spell words related to food and drinks in English.
- Draw their attention to the Talk to Your Teacher box on Page 44 in their student books and explain how they can ask for words in English.
- Now ask them to pair up and practice asking questions and giving answers.
- Then ask them for words they don't know in English.
- Finally, ask students to give examples of words with the letters $\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{j}, \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{z}$.

Example words: quiz, zip, jam, etc.

## The Third Session <br> Communicative Activities

Warm up ( 5 minutes)

- Calling the roll
- Checking the students' homework in their workbooks
- Reviewing what they have learnt in the first and second session


## Listening and Reading

## Preparation (5 minutes)

- Explain that the students are going to listen to two conversations in which people are talking about their favorite food and drinks. The students are supposed to listen carefully and (through reading) put a check mark $(\checkmark)$ in the box below the words based on what they hear on the CD for each conversation.
- Ask them to use pencils rather than pens so that they can correct their answers if wrong.


## Listening (15 minutes)



- Play the CD once and ask students to choose the correct choices.
- Play the CD again and ask them to check their answers.
- Ask them to compare their answers in pairs.
- If needed, play the CD again and check the students' answers.


## Correct Answers:

Conversation 1: kebab-water
Conversation 2: cake - tea

## Speaking and Writing ( 15 minutes)



- Explain what your students are supposed to do in this part: Each student asks three other students about their favorite food and drinks. Then he/she writes the information in the spaces provided in the table on Page 45 in their student books.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Once completed, ask students to report the information they have asked for.

Your Conversation (15 minutes)


- Explain that your students are going to pair up and practice the lesson functions using their personal information.
- Remember that the incomplete conversation on Page 45 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.
- Give them enough time to practice their conversation in pairs.
- Walk around the class and help them if necessary.
- Then ask them to act out the conversation for the class.
- (Optional Activity) Ask students from different parts of the class to do the conversation.
- (Game) Ask students to find three other students in class who have the same favorite food and drinks. The first student to find two people is the winner.
- Ask students to do the remaining exercises in their workbooks at home.
- Remember to explain and give examples of what they are supposed to do for each exercise.


## Reflecting on your teaching

Write down your ideas about teaching Lesson 8.

## Review Eour

## Lessons 7-8

## Objectives

## Functions Reviewed

-Talking about your address/phone number
-Telling the time
-Talking about your favorite food

## Literacy Skills Reviewed

- Identifying, saying and writing $\mathbf{o}, \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{c}, \mathbf{j}, \mathbf{q}, \mathbf{z}$
-Writing your e-mail address
-Reviewing the English alphabet
- Describe the objectives of the review lesson in Persian. Explain to your students that they are going to review lessons 7 and 8 and assess their own abilities to talk about their address and telephone numbers, tell the time and talk about their favorite food.
- Remember that the incomplete sentences on Page 46 in the student book is only a model and that your students are not supposed to write anything to complete it. This is only an oral practice.

Talking about your address/phone number (10 minutes)

- Ask students to pair up and practice saying their address and telephone number and asking for those of their partner's. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 46.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Telling the time ( 10 minutes)

- Ask students to pair up and practice telling the time. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 46.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Talking about your favorite food (10 minutes)

- Ask students to pair up and practice talking about their favorite food. Ask them to use the prompts given on Page 46.
- Ask the pairs to rate their performance. Then ask a pair of students who rated themselves as high to come to the front and repeat the activities.
- This can be repeated with a number of other pairs until the majority of students feel they can perform the functions adequately.


## Sounds and Letters (20 minutes)

- Ask individual students to use the prompt on Page 47 and say and write down the letters of the English Alphabet.
- Ask students to pair up and say the letters of the alphabet.
- You can also ask some volunteer students to either say the letters of the alphabet or sing the alphabet song.
- Then ask if your students can say and write their own or somebody else's e-mail address in English.
- Walk around the class and monitor what your students are doing and help them if needed.
- Then ask some volunteer students to read out their e-mail addresses for the class.
- Next ask them to use the prompts for the single letters on Page 47 and write down example words (including names) in the spaces provided.
- Tell them that they can ask you or other students the question How do you spell
$\qquad$ ? if they are not able to write the words.
- Ask some students to spell their example words for the class.


## A Final Point

- Make sure that at least $80 \%$ of the students can perform well in this unit. This is the criterion of success in achieving the lesson objectives. Identify the students who are still struggling and try to pair them up with competent students. Ask the pairs to practice doing the activities until they feel happy with their performance.
- After they announce that they are happy with their performance ask them to come to the front and repeat the activities.


## Audio Scripts

## Lesson 1

1
A: Hi. Are you Mina Ahmadi?
B: No, I am "Kimia" Ahmadi. Mina is my sister in Grade 3.

2
A: Could you spell your first name please, Mr. Karimi?
B: Yes, it's M-A-H-D-I.
A: Thank you.

## Lesson 2

1
A: Who's that girl over there?
B: She's Bita Ebadi, my friend. Let's meet her.
A: Sure.

2
A: Let me introduce my friend Babak Pakzad to you.
B: Nice to meet you.
C: Nice to meet you, too.

## Lesson 3

1
A: When's your birthday?
B: In Azar, 13th of Azar.
A: Oh, it's in two months!
B: Yep!

2
A: I'll bring a big cake to class on my birthday.
B: When is that?

A: Mehr 19.
B: Good idea!

## Lesson 4

1
A: Is this your father in the picture?
B: No, he's my uncle.
A: Really? What's his job?
B: He's a teacher.

2
A: Who's that lady over there?
B: It's my sister.
A: Humm, you look alike. What's her job?
B: She's a nurse .

## Lesson 5

1
A: Which one is the librarian?
B: He's the short one in the brown suit.

2
A: Which one is Mrs. Amini?
B: She's the tall one in the black manteau.

## Lesson 6

1
A: Where's Farid?
B: In the kitchen. He's cooking the dinner for us tonight!
A: wow, interesting!

A: Where's Mom?
B: In her office at school. She's working late today.
A: OK, I'll call her now.

## Lesson 7

1
A: Could you post these books for me, please?
B: Sure. What's the address?
A: 30 Mahan Street.
B: And your phone number?
A: It's 623-4521
B: Thank you.

2

A: Hello, Sir. I want to post this letter.
B: Sure. What's the address?
A: 15 Hejab Street.
B: Okay. Can I have your phone number, please?
A: 544-4139
B: All right, thanks.

## Lesson 8

1
A: What's your favorite food?
B: kebab! ummm. . . . And I drink water with it!

2
A: What's your favorite snack in the day?
B: umm, cake and tea before lunch.

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