

21st Century Lesson Cycle Template

Grade: 7-12

Subject: EAL (direct support)

Unit: Pronunciation -ed

Driving Question(s):

Why is it important to have good pronunciation? How does it change how people perceive you?

Prior Knowledge:

- Students are familiar with making the past tense verb.
- First-language Spanish speakers have difficulty with this pronunciation skill.

Screencast Link(s): Pronunciation practice (listening)

<https://www.educations.com/lesson/view/pronunciation-ed-screencast/32407663/?s=raMZU0&ref=appemail>

On-Line Resources:

<https://audioboom.com>

Top 20 Verbs:

http://www.weebly.com/uploads/4/2/4/8/42488461/top_20_common_past_tense_verbs.pdf

Beginner Pronunciation:

http://www.weebly.com/uploads/4/2/4/8/42488461/beginner_eal_pronunciation_practice.pdf

Tech Resources:

iPad app Showme or Educations

Expected Time: 1 EAL support class (75 minute block)

Resources: (Tools & Tech)	Lesson Procedure								
Showme app on iPad	<p>I do: (30 minutes)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher will do a mini-lesson on the pronunciation of -ed verbs. Students will listen to teacher's pronunciation while she/he is sorting a list of past tense verbs into the three groups (/d/, /t/, and /əd/). Teacher should use an interactive white board app on the iPad to do this. The Showme app allows you to move words around, write, speak and record. Screencast tutorial can be used here to support mini-lesson. 								
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iPads with Showme app	<p>You do: (2nd half of 75 minute block) 30 minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rule discovery: Students will look at the 20 most common verbs to discover rule (work in groups to do their sorting with Showme app as done in screencast). They should notice that words ending in voiced sounds (b,g,l,m,r, etc) pronounce /d/. Words ending in voiceless sounds (s,f,k,p, etc) pronounce /t/. Words ending in d and t, pronounce / əd/ 								
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Audioboom Top 20 verbs Beginner Pronunciation	<p>We do: (10 minutes)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will create a podcast using the Audioboom app. They will record their pronunciations of the 20 common verbs and share link with teacher. Beginners will read the verbs from the beginner list 								
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	<p>We share: (10 minutes)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will listen to each other's podcasts and give feedback. 								

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WRAP UP/REMINDERS:		
Students will send their Audioboom link to teacher.		
Differentiation: EAL levels		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Beginners Students will be given a list of past tense verbs that are already sorted so that they are aware of the sound. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Advanced Students will record a conversation/speech with a classmate, discussing an event in the past. ○ Students can listen to teacher chosen Audiobooks to listen for past tense verbs. 	
Evaluation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Correct pronunciation of top 20 verbs ○ Students' recordings on Audioboom 		