Unit 3: Learning a second language

Day 7: Final review and quiz

Content Objective:

• Students will review the meanings of target words and demonstrate their understanding through a unit quiz.

Language Objective:

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and explain or justify their answers as needed.	
• Suggested sentence frame: I (we) think the answer is	
because	

• Students will write and/or state their answers for the review activity.

Suggested sentence frame for a challenge: <i>I (we) disagree!</i>
is a better answer because

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	idea. However, I (we) really think the answer is
	because

Teacher Materials:

- objectives overhead
- review game overheads

Student Materials:

- binders glossary or vocabulary review sheet
- white board and dry erase marker
- pencils
- quiz

Day at a glance:

- (3 min.) Introduce objectives
- (up to 15 min.) Complete activity from Day 6
- (15-35 min.) Play a review game with the students
- (12 min.) Quiz

Activities:

(3 min. - introduction) Project the objectives and read them to the class or ask a student to read them.

(up to 15 minutes – finish Day 6) Review work from Day 6 – interviewing one another and writing personal narratives about their experiences learning a second language. If necessary, allow up to 15 minutes to be spent on this today, and be sure to elicit the target words that students hear in each personal narrative.

(15 - 35 min. –review game) If you spent the full 15 minutes completing and/or listening to the personal narratives from Day 6, you will have less time to play the review game. If you spent less than 15 minutes on Day 6 activities, you will have more time for review. Regardless, be sure to spend at least 15 minutes on a review activity.

To play individually, students use their white boards and dry erase markers to write their answers and show them to you. Project the game overheads, only revealing one question at a time if you are using the transparency version. (If you are using the electronic version, it is a powerpoint presentation that only shows one question per slide.) Call on one student per question to state and explain his/her answer, using the suggested sentence frame listed in the objective. If another student disagrees, ask him to state why, using the suggested sentence frame. Allow the original student to issue a rebuttal using the suggested sentence frame if he/she still believes that his/her answer is correct. If there is still disagreement, provide the correct answer and an explanation.

To play as teams, group students in teams of 3-4 students, and allow the teams to take turns answering the question. For each question, one team gets the first chance to answer. If that team gets the right answer, they get a point. If they explain the reason correctly, they get a second point. If they don't get both the answer and the explanation, another team can steal and get one or both points. Encourage students to use the suggested sentence frames in their explanations and discussions about the answers. Continue rotating the team that gets to answer first and the team that gets the chance to steal so that all teams have an equal chance. At the end of the game, the team with the most points wins! (Or, if you want to play with a more cooperative outcome, the

whole class wins if every team gets at least X points – you determine what seems reasonable based on your class.)

Note: This game is very challenging and students are likely to struggle with it. Be sure to let them use their glossaries and/or vocabulary summary sheets. Continue to encourage them, and remind them of the reasons why a word can be the 'odd word out' – it may have a different meaning, it may not share the same root, it may not share the same prefix, or it may be a different part of speech. You may want to do the first few together to help them get the idea. You may also want to have them play in teams so that they can help one another.

If you finish the game and still have more time for review, you can choose another review game from the Day 4 review game list – e.g. give me a clue; memory; smack; musical matching, etc. Be sure to include Unit 2 words in this extended review activity so that the students continue to remember previously learned words (or so that they get continued practice with words they weren't able to master the first time).

Here are the answers to the review game slides:

- 1. attempt it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 2. scrap it doesn't have the same root (-script/scrib-) as the others
- 3. funny it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 4. dramatic it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 5. sad it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 6. calm it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 7. adapt it's a different part of speech (verb others are adjectives)
- 8. hide it doesn't mean the same as the others; in fact, it's an antonym
- 9. encourage it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 10. silly it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 11. strength it doesn't mean the same thing as the others
- 12. refuse it doesn't mean the same as the others; in fact, it's an antonym
- 13. helpful it's not a cognate
- 14. unicorn it doesn't have a negative prefix (it's an imposter)
- 15. distant it doesn't have the same root (–dict-) as the others

If you've allowed students to use their glossaries and/or vocabulary summary sheets for the review activity, have students place them back into their binders. Collect the binders.

(12 min) Distribute the quiz and make sure that students write their name, your name, and the date at the top. Read the instructions to the students and make sure that everyone is clear about what to do. Make sure that they see the three different parts to the quiz and the directions for each. Remind students to work independently and to do the best that they can. Collect the quizzes as students finish.

Differentiation: Offer students small sticky notes if they want to be able to write out the words on those first to test out where each word might fit best before writing their answer on the quiz. Make sure that they understand that they must write their final answers on the quiz!