

LESSON PLAN

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THE MOST AWESOME TEACHERS IN THE WORLD



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Stages	Procedure	Time
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To practice <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. scanning skills b. guessing the meaning in context 	
Warmer	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask students some questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When is Teacher's Day? - How do you celebrate Teacher's Day? - Why do you celebrate Teacher's Day? 	5 mins
Pre-reading	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask students to think about their favourite teacher in school. 2. Ask students for the qualities of their favourite teacher, why they like that teacher. 3. Get students to turn to page 13 and introduce the title of the text. 	5 mins
While-Reading	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask students to read pages 13 - 16. 2. While reading ask students to <u>underline</u> these words: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) supportive b) awesome c) brave d) importance e) journey 	5 mins
Post-reading	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go through the underlined words. 2. Assign Task 1. 3. Elicit answers for Task 1. 4. Assign Task 2. 5. In pairs, assign Task 3. 6. Elicit answers for Task 2 and Task 3 respectively. 	20 mins
Wrap	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask students if they know of any teacher who they feel is awesome in any small way. 2. Ask students the qualities which makes that teacher awesome. 	5 mins

TASK 1

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words from the box.

awesome	supportive	journey
importance	brave	
1. The teacher advised the students on the _____ of studying hard.		
2. The train _____ was long and took us past rubber plantations.		
3. My mum knows about my skating and has always been _____.		
4. The guests were surprised by the _____ reception to meet them at the airport.		
5. Richard has made a _____ attempt to sail solo across the Atlantic in a tiny boat.		

TASK 2

Answer True (T) or False (F)

Statements	T/F
1. Bullying is a big problem in many colleges and universities.	
2. Johnson didn't shave his head to support his grandfather who had cancer.	
3. Mr Malik uses an inflated tube under his arms to prevent him from sinking.	
4. Whenever Mr Malik takes his students to the river, they enjoy swimming in it.	
5. Angela Motswamere was sad because she could enjoy the feeling of running.	

TASK 3

Answer these questions in complete sentences.

1. Why do we call some teachers 'unsung heroes'?

2. Where is Jackson Johnston from and who is his principal?

3. How does Mr Malik get to the school?

4. What does Mr Malik put in a plastic bag before he swims across the river?

5. Why did Mr Riaan quickly pick and put Angela Motswarmere on his back and run the race?

Answers:

Task 1

1. importance
2. journey
3. supportive
4. awesome
5. brave

Task 2

1. T 2. F 3. T 4. T 5. F

Task 3

1. It is because they go the extra mile to support and inspire students without wanting anything in return.
2. He is from Iowa, USA and his principal is Tim Hadley.
3. He gets to school by swimming across the river every day.
4. He puts his work clothes and lunchbox in a plastic bag.
5. It is because he was sad as Angela Motswarmere was not able to run in a race as she didn't have legs.