## Lesson plan on Recipes

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Place: Ecole Arc-en-ciel
Students: Intensive $6^{\text {th }}$ grade class
Previous lesson: Skits on restaurants
Aim: To write a recipe using the language of instructions
Objective:

- Students will be able to write out a recipe based on the models they see in class
- Through vocabulary and language functions on instructions students will be able to write the ingredients as well as the directions to follow when writing a recipe
- Ss will also become aware or review the plural form of words when adding the " $s$ " at the end of a word. E.g. 1 tablespoon-> 2 tablespoons

Linguistic content

- Plural form using "s"
- Instructional language
- Vocabulary


## Anticipated problems

- Students might not understand how to write a recipe
- Teacher predicts this problem by making the students look at 2 models of how they would go about writing a recipe and goes over each element so they understand what a recipe should include

Materials needed

- Vocabulary sheet
- Recipe Models
- Instruction sheet with reminder on plural "s"
- White paper
- Examples of some vocabulary words

| Warm-up |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Activity | What the teacher does | What the students do | Rationale |
| $\begin{gathered} 5-10 \\ \operatorname{mins} \end{gathered}$ | Brainstorming | - T asks Ss what are recipes and asks them to share some of their favorite recipes. <br> - T asks them why they think it is important to know how to follow a recipe in English | - Ss share their favorite recipes with the class <br> - Ss say why they think it is important to know how to follow or write a recipe. | - T opens activity this way so as to make Ss relate themselves to the subject |

Pre-activity

| Time | Activity | What the teacher does | What the Students do | Rationale |
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| 15 mins | Vocabulary | - T tells Ss that before they can begin to write a recipe they need to become familiar with some vocabulary. <br> - In order to do this T gives out the vocabulary sheet to students and asks them to complete it in partners (5 mins). T gives them the language they will need (1) (2 mins) <br> - Once Ss are finished T corrects with Ss and asks them to repeat for pronunciation | - Ss get into partners and begin the activity <br> - Ss share the answers and repeat words when asked to by the teacher. | - The vocabulary sheet is done by the Ss so that they will become familiar with the vocabulary that they will encounter later on. |


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| 30 mins | Writing a recipe | - T passes out the examples to each $S$ and asks them what they notice about the recipes and writes it on the board. (2) T tells them that this is what their recipe should include. <br> - T goes over both recipes with Ss and points out the plural form " s " when talking about " 2 cups or 2 tablespoons". T also points out the directions language "First, Second, Third, and Finally" if they haven't done so before. ( 10 mins ) <br> - T tells Ss that now it is their turn to make a Disgusting recipe with a partner. Tell them to look at the direction sheet on the back. This is what they have to follow. Ss have 20 mins to create two recipes. | - Ss suggest answers <br> - Ss ask any questions they might have <br> - Ss begin the activity once they have looked over the directions | - T is trying to elicit answers in order to see the structure of a recipe <br> - T points out the plural form so that they include it in their recipes. |

Post activity

| Time | Activity | What the teacher does | What the Students do | Rationale |
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| 5 mins | Partner- <br> evaluation | - When the students finish <br> they evaluate themselves <br> using the handout the <br> teacher gives them. | -Ss fill out the partner <br> evaluation as honestly as <br> possible.-T does this to see if <br> Ss practiced the <br> language learned and <br> have used English <br> throughout the <br> activity. |  |

Board work 1
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Board work 2

## Disgusting Recipes

## Ant Chocolate Cake

| Ingredient | Directions |
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| - 1 cup of dead Ants <br> - 2 cups of Mud <br> - 3 cups of flour <br> - $1 / 2 \mathrm{t}$ easpoon of vanilla <br> - 2 cups of yesterdays gar bage <br> - 2 tablespoons of pepper | 1) First, preheat oven to 500 degrees <br> 2) Second, mix all the ingredients in a bowl, except the mud. <br> 3) Third, put the mix in a cake pan, and put it in the oven for 20 minutes <br> 4) Finally, Spread the mud on the cake as icing. |

## Blood Soup

| I ngredient s | Direct ions |
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| - 4 cups cow's blood | 1) First, cut fingers and cat eyes |
| - 1 cup of wat er | int o litt le pieces. |
| - 4 cat eyes | 2)Second, heat the 4 cups of <br> - 10 fingers <br> - 2 t ablespoons of salt until it boils. <br> - 1 t easpoon of vinegar |
|  | 3) Third, put all the ingredient s in <br> the pan and mix it toget her |
|  | 4) Finally, wait 25 minut es then |
| serve the soup in bowls. |  |

