Lecture Listening Comprehension EXAMPLE

Aim: *To develop the students' ability to listen to a short lecture, to take notes, use those notes to answer a number of comprehension questions and then reflect on the lecture critically.*

Lesson Time: *Approximately 1:00 hour*

Lead in

- Ask Students to read the 'title' & predict the content of the lecture.
- Ask students to write down key terms & language from the discussion.
- Feed in / check key vocabulary.

Differentiation

Challenging

1. Students listen once & take notes *(Use the blank note-taking pages or pages with sub-headings).*
2. Give 3 minutes to tidy notes.
3. Listen again & add to notes (use a different colour pen).
4. Distribute questions. Set 10 minutes to answer using their notes.
5. Feedback: Distribute or project ANSWERS.

Medium

1. Students listen once & take notes *(Use the blank note-taking pages or pages with sub-headings).*
2. Distribute questions. Set 10 minutes to answer using their notes.
3. Listen again. Students answer the missed questions as they listen.
4. Give an extra 5 minutes to consolidate answers.
5. Feedback: Distribute or project ANSWERS.

Easier

1. Distribute questions. Students have 5 minutes to read the questions.
2. Students listen & answer the questions.
3. Give 5 minutes to tidy answers.
4. Students listen again. Check answers & answer the missed questions.
5. Give 5 minutes to tidy answers.
6. Feedback: Distribute or project ANSWERS.

Critical thinking questions

Option 1: Students individually reflect on the lecture by answering the questions, making notes of their responses, and writing a short critical response paragraph to submit for teacher or peer feedback.
Option 2: Students ask and answer the questions in small groups.

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How does anesthesia work? EXAMPLE
[Listening Comprehension Questions]

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Check these words and phrases before listening:

Key vocabulary

1. Anesthesia. *(UK spelling)*
2. Anesthesiologist. *(UK spelling)*
3. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
4. Traumatic.
5. Opium poppy.
6. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
7. Inhalation.
8. Intravenous.
9. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
10. Cell membrane.
11. Neuron.
12. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
13. Cocaine.
14. Ophthalmology.
15. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
16. To sedate.
17. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
18. Hemlock.
19. ▨▨▨▨▨▨
20. Arteries.

Note-taking sheet (blank) Page 1

Note-taking sheet (sub-headings) page 1

1. Introduction

2.

3. Inhalational anesthesia

4.

Note-taking sheet (sub-headings) page 2

5. How general ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓

6. How ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ **procedures**

How does anesthesia work? Steven Zheng

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Use your notes to answer the following questions using the sections headings to help you.

1. Introduction

1.1. What can't you do when you are unconscious?

i.		ii.		iii.	

1.2. What ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ contain?

i.		ii.		iii.	

2. Regional anesthesia

2.1. What does regional anesthesia do?

2.2. How ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓?

2.3. What example ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ given?

3. Inhalational anesthesia

3.1. What was the ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ in the western medicine?

3.2. What chemical compounds are used today to sedate patients?

i.		ii.	

4. Intravenous anesthesia

4.1. When ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ developed?

4.2. What common ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ the patients' pain?

i.		ii.	

5. How ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ work

5.1. What happens to the brain's electrical signals when under general anesthesia?

5.2. What do the common ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓?

6. How general ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ procedures

6.1. What surgical techniques have improved with the ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓?

i.		ii.		iii.		iv.	

Critical thinking: *What did you find interesting about the lecture? Is there anything the speaker missed? Did the animation help with ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ points? What ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓ ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓? What do you think anesthesia will be like in the future?*

How does anesthesia work? KEY

1. Introduction

1.1. What can't you do when you are unconscious?

i.	*Move.*	ii.	*Form memories.*	iii.	*Feel pain.*

1.2. What did early anesthesia from Egypt, Asia and the Middle East contain?

i.	*Opium poppy.*	ii.	*.....*	iii.	*.....*

ALL ANSWERS INCLUDED IN PAID VERSION…