

Communication: Spoken Language: Intermediate Gr. 6-8

USE OF LISTENING SKILLS FOR RECEPTIVE COMMUNICATION LSL.1

- 1 Identifies sound-letter correspondence for all consonants and vowels LSL.1.INT1
- 2 Detects which set of words does not belong LSL.1.INT2
- 3 Identifies semantic and syntactic absurdities in sentences, e.g. "She ate her soup with a knife" or "The baby ran all the way to school" LSL.1.INT3
- 4 Identifies similar words in context that change the meaning of a sentence, e.g. "Sam sent you a present" vs. "Susan sent you a present", "He is excited to ride his bike" vs. "He is too exhausted to ride his bike" LSL.1.INT4
- 5 Provides a verbal summary/synopsis LSL.1.INT5

USE OF SIMPLE TO COMPLEX SENTENCE STRUCTURES FOR SOCIAL CONVERSATIONS LSL.2

- 1 Uses nouns, noun modifiers, and relative clauses LSL.2.INT1
- 2 Uses modifiers that indicate relative quantity, e.g. more than, most of all LSL.2.INT2
- 3 Uses up to 3 adjectives to describe nouns LSL.2.INT3
- 4 Uses nouns, noun modifiers, and relative clauses in typical conversations LSL.2.INT4
- 5 Uses prepositions and a variety of pronoun types, e.g. itself, ourselves, anyone, others LSL.2.INT5
- 6 Uses infinitives as subjects, e.g. "To sit quietly, is not easy." LSL.2.INT6
- 7 Includes wh-nominals as subjects, e.g. "What she wants is to..." LSL.2.INT7
- 8 Writes sentences containing adverbial or nominal clauses LSL.2.INT8
- 9 Uses a variety of adverbs to indicate exceptions, e.g. even if, although, except, etc. LSL.2.INT9
- 10 Uses indirect discourse, e.g. "He asked if..." LSL.2.INT10
- 11 Uses indirect discourse with "ask", e.g. "He asked why." LSL.2.INT11

12 Uses 7-8 word utterances for typical communication LSL.2.INT12

13 Uses more, less, most in questions LSL.2.INT13

14 Forms questions, using questions with present perfect, past perfect tenses, e.g. "Have you? Had the dog?" LSL.2.INT14

15 Asks yes/no questions that include auxiliary verbs, e.g. "Could it have been?" LSL.2.INT15

16 Gives multi-step directions LSL.2.INT16

17 Uses and understands jokes, puns, riddles LSL.2.INT17

18 Responds appropriately to feedback and compliments LSL.2.INT18
