

Proficiency Level: Intermediate

Lesson Length: 90 minutes

Vocabulary and Expressions: Review of content from Lesson 3 ("Injuries"), Lesson 4 ("Calling in Sick"), Lesson 5 ("Making a Doctor's Appointment") and Lesson 12 ("Calling 9-1-1")

Language/Culture Point: Reflexive pronouns

Objective: Students will be prepared for simple conversations with volunteers and business staff.

Materials: Student pages

Preparation: Instructor will need to revisit "Calling in Sick" (Lesson 4) and "Calling 9-1-1" (Lesson 12) and write down examples of language used in those lessons.



STEP 1: ACTIVATE BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
20 minutes	-	- Brainstorming, Think-Pair- Share

TEACHING ACTIVITY

- 1. As students enter the room, have them take out a scratch sheet of paper.
- 2. On the board, write down the following lessons titles: "Calling 9-1-1," "Calling in Sick," "Making a Doctor's Appointment," and "Injuries."
- 3. Students will write down as many things as they can remember that they have learned from the lessons. This can be anything that comes to mind a dialog, scenario, one- or two-word topic. As long as students are thinking about what they have learned, they are on the right track!
- 4. After a few minutes, put students in to pairs.
- 5. Then, have the students share with each other and see what they remember from the lessons.



STEP 2: MINI-PRESENTATION WITH PROMPT

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
10 minutes	-	- Think aloud

TEACHING ACTIVITY

- As a class, have students give specific examples of language/vocabulary that they remember from the lessons. Write these on the board (and give examples using sentence frames.)
- 2. Using prepared examples, write down any vocabulary, phrases or sentence frames that students missed on the board.

STEP 3: COMPREHENSION CHECK

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
5 minutes	-	-

TEACHING ACTIVITY

- 1. Ask the students to think about how confident they are in using the language/vocabulary on the board. Ask them how often they use this language and if they have used it more since learning it in previous lessons.
- 2. Have a short discussion about how they can feel more comfortable using the language and phrases in these lessons.

STEP 4: HIGHLIGHT LESSON FOCUS AND MODEL TASK

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
5 minutes		-

TEACHING ACTIVITY

1. Choose a phrase from "Calling 9-1-1" and write a sample dialogue on the board. Explain the grammar behind using the phrase.



2. Next, choose a phrase from "Calling in Sick" and write a sample dialogue on the board. Likewise, explain the grammar behind using this phrase.

STEP 5: GUIDED PRACTICE

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
10 minutes	- Student pages	-

TEACHING ACTIVITY

- 1. Ask for a volunteer to choose a phrase from "Calling 9-1-1." With the student, create a dialogue together and write it on the board.
- 2. Next, have the student choose a phrase from "Calling in Sick." Together, create a dialogue and write it on the board.

STEP 6: SMALL GROUP WORK

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
20 minutes	- Student pages	-

TEACHING ACTIVITY

- 1. Tell students that they will be working in pairs to create dialogues for each of the four lessons. They should create at least 5 dialogues for each lesson and write them down.
- 2. Put students in pairs and have them create the dialogues.

STEP 7: HIGHLIGHT HOW ENGLISH WORKS

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
10 minutes	-	-



TEACHING ACTIVITY

1. Have students give examples of their conversations. Focus on the specific language they are using and highlight some relevant grammar points.

STEP 8: QUICK CHECK AND REVIEW

Time Frame	Materials	Teaching Strategies
10 minutes	-	- Exit check

TEACHING ACTIVITY

1. Do a round-robin where you choose a student and a language point and then have a mock conversation with them. That student then chooses a partner and a language point and then does a mock conversation. The partner then chooses another partner and so on.