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Schulung sprachlicher Fertigkeiten – Speaking

Drama techniques to improve speaking skills: “Changing energies” – Mit Theatertechniken die Sprechkompetenz fördern

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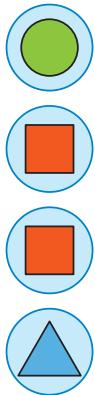
Die Materialsammlung stellt Theatertechniken vor, die es ihren Schülerinnen und Schülern ermöglichen, sich in fiktive Szenarien zu versetzen und dabei ihre sprachlichen, kognitiven und sozialen Kompetenzen zu entwickeln. Die Techniken fördern zudem Empathie und Selbstvertrauen im Umgang mit der Zielsprache. Durch improvisierte Szenen und Rollenspiele werden Dialoge angeregt, die die Lernenden ermutigen, ihre Gedanken und Emotionen sprachlich auszudrücken. Die Materialien bieten der Lehrkraft zudem klare methodische Hinweise für den Einsatz im Unterricht.

KOMPETENZPROFIL

- Klassenstufe / Lernjahr: 9./10.; Lernjahr 5/6
Dauer: 1–4 Unterrichtsstunden, je nach Auswahl der Techniken
Inhalt: communication, theatre, drama
Kompetenzen: 1. Sprechkompetenz: Kommunikationsfähigkeit in verschiedenen Textsorten demonstrieren; 2. Sozialkompetenz: Empathie bekunden und ein respektvolles soziales Umfeld erhalten; 3. Selbstkompetenz: die Bereitschaft demonstrieren, Ideen und Gefühle auf kreative Weise auszudrücken

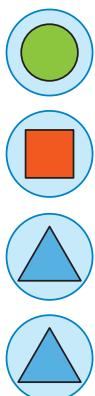
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Baustein 1

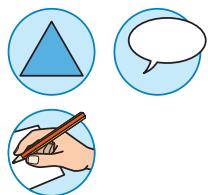


Thema:	Improvisation
M 1	Intonation dialogues – The power of tones / die Bedeutung der Betonung für die Informationsentnahme herausarbeiten (EA, PA)
M 2	Instant drama – Dramatic potential with eight lines / mit acht vorgegebenen Zeilen eine Drama-Szene entwickeln (PA, PL)
M 3	Instant drama – Encounters / mit einem vorgegebenen Eröffnungssatz eine spontane Szene improvisieren (PA)
M 4	Musical inspiration – Improvisations based on music / eine Szene basierend auf einem Musikstück erstellen und diese darstellen (EA, PL)
Benötigt:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ein geeignetes Musikstück für M 4 (siehe Hinweise)

Baustein 2



Thema:	Doubling
M 5	Exploring decision-making – Doubled by two voices / eine Doubling-Technik bei einer Entscheidungsfindung verwenden (EA, GA, PL)
M 6	A change of perspective – A fly tells its life story / die Welt aus der Perspektive einer Kreatur (hier: einer Fliege) mithilfe einer Doubling-Technik darstellen (EA, PA, GA)
M 7	Doubling a portrait – A portrait comes alive / einen fiktiven Dialog mit einer historischen Persönlichkeit gestalten (EA, PL)
M 8	A mobile phone speaks – Exploring the digital life of a personal device / eine Doubling-Technik verwenden, um die subjektive Einstellung zu einem Gegenstand (hier: ein Smartphone) zu ermitteln (PL, GA)
Benötigt:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ein Porträt zur Projektion (M 7) • ein Objekt sichtbar für alle (M 8)

M 7**Doubling a picture – A portrait comes alive**

Let's bring a portrait to life by asking questions and lending it a voice.

Tasks

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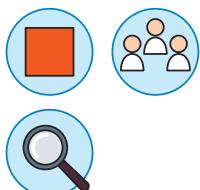
1. Examine the portrait and take some time to understand its details, expressions and atmosphere. Spend ten minutes writing down 15 questions you would like to ask the person in the portrait. Address your questions directly to the person, as if they could hear and respond. Here are some examples:
 - What is your name?
 - What historical era would you place yourself in?
 - What is your job?
 - What are your passions and interests?
 - What challenges have you faced in life?
 - What legacy¹ do you hope to leave behind?
2. Place a chair under or near the portrait, facing the group. One student takes on the role of the individual in the portrait. The student representing the person in the portrait answers your questions as if they were the actual person. Take part in a back-and-forth dialogue, gradually building a more detailed and engaging character profile.
3. Share your thoughts and feelings on the experience:
 - How did it feel bringing the portrait to life through questions and dialogue?
 - What insights did you gain about the portrayed person?

Vocabulary

Legacy: sth. s. leaves behind after their death

**Info box – Doubling activity**

A doubling activity is a role-playing technique where one person, the "doubling partner," reflects and reinforces the thoughts, feelings and perspectives of the other person, the "focal person". This mirroring allows the focal person to understand their own inner dialogue better and make more informed decisions. When you learn something new about yourself and about others in your class through English, then there is a good chance that you will learn the language much better.

M 9**Without a trace – A missing person**

It gets exciting with a mystery investigation! Together, put yourselves in the shoes of amateur detectives and try to solve the disappearance of a person.

Memo: Amateur Detective Society

Ladies and gentlemen of the Amateur Detective Society. Thank you for braving the elements¹ to attend this urgent meeting. A husband has asked us to investigate his wife's disappearance. He wants to know, what happened. And he does not want to involve the police. To him, it's an inexplicable² disappearance of his wife. So, let's examine the information and clues available and come to some conclusions. Any questions before we begin?

Vocabulary

1 (to) brave the elements: den Elementen trotzen – 2 inexplicable: unerklärlich

Tasks A

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1. Divide into groups of four detectives each.
2. In your group:
 - a) Take a few minutes to study the desk in the office of the missing woman. Fill in a table with your collective findings under each heading.
 - b) Discuss your observations.

Arrangement of objects	Personal belongings or items of interest	Any signs of personal struggle or disturbance ¹

3. When each group has filled in their table, come together as a larger group. Share your findings and compare your notes. Identify any differences in your observations.
4. Based on your findings, draw first conclusions about reasons for the disappearance.

Vocabulary Tasks A

1 disturbance: die Störung, die Beeinträchtigung

Why the hype? – A discussion on the implications of Artificial Intelligence

M 12

With this role-simulation, you explore the complexities of AI, its impact on individuals and society and its potential dangers and benefits.

Tasks

Scenario
A group of community members come together at the local community centre for an evening of informative discourse about Artificial Intelligence (AI). A panel of five experts, including a convinced AI advocate, a careful skeptic, an experienced developer, a student, and a critical educator, share their perspectives, having a discussion that explores the transformative opportunities and potential dangers of AI.

1. Individual work. Use the Positive-Minus-Intriguing (PMI) thinking strategy to collect your personal experiences with AI, your thoughts on AI's future and your concerns about AI's potential impact.

Positive (P) Your positive personal experiences with AI, highlighting its potential benefits	Minus (M) Name negative experiences you have had with AI	Intriguing (I) Your personal experiences with AI that were thought-provoking

2. Before the role-simulation begins, carefully read the scenario.
3. Individual work.
 - a) Choose one of the five roles from the role cards. To represent your role effectively, take some time to review your role card carefully. This will help you understand your character's viewpoint, motivations and concerns.
 - b) In your role, prepare for a discussion. Make notes to summarise key points, arguments and examples related to your role's perspective on AI. List challenges and opportunities of AI from your point of view.
4. In groups of five: discuss the future of AI. Work out a consensus on the role of AI in society, acknowledging the potential benefits and challenges and emphasising¹ the need for responsible development and deployment² of AI technologies.
5. As a participant of the meeting, write a personal statement outlining your vision for the responsible development and ethical use of AI. This statement could address key issues such as transparency, bias³ reduction, human oversight and societal effects.

Vocabulary

1 (to) **emphasise**: betonen – 2 **deployment**: using sth. in an effective way – 3 **bias**: die Voreingenommenheit

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