

Carbost & Dunvegan Primary Cluster – Lesson Blueprint

Lesson Structure

Daily Review

Low-stakes assessment promoting recall from everyone. Includes required material for the lesson.



Presenting Content

Recap prior learning, present content clearly with explanations and visuals. Interactive with checks for understanding.

Learning Intentions

Clearly communicate what students are learning in student-friendly language. Revisited during lesson.



Guided, supported, then independent practice Co-operative learning opportunities. Over-learning content.

Success Criteria

Communicate what success looks like using 'I can...' statements, key features, and exemplars. Supports feedback.



Plenary Review

Revisit learning intentions and success criteria. Reinforce main points and gather further evidence about learning.



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Questioning Strategies

Utilise strategies like show-me boards, pose-pause-pounce-bounce, discussions, and active assessments to engage all students.

Feedback Delivery

Deliver feedback verbally, be clear and precise, offer support and next steps, connect to success criteria, and include individual and whole-class messages.

Differentiated Support

Support students through teacher, peer, checklists, and scaffolds. Offer differentiated challenges and balance content levels.

Feedback Importance

Continuous verbal feedback is powerful. Be specific, supportive, link to success criteria, and provide time for students to act on feedback.





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Building Relationships

Develop positive interactions through knowing students well, praising sincerely, and fostering teacher-student and student-student relationships.

Setting High Expectations

Establish high standards for effort, behavior, and work quality. Encourage goal setting and personal bests to motivate students.

Managing Behavior

Create a warm-strict atmosphere where students are engaged, on task and motivated. Address poor behaviors promptly and with minimal disruption using our Positive Relationships Policy.



Effective Management

Maintain a calm, safe, and organised environment. Utilise time, space, and resources effectively while maintaining an appropriate pace.

