# 台南市光華女子高級中學教師參加校外各項研習會心得報告

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台南應用科大的外籍教授馬龍是美國哥倫比亞大學劇場藝術學系(導演)碩士,專長領域是戲劇與劇場研究、導演與表演、劇場藝術戲劇與表演、莎士比亞、西洋文學。以下是研習摘要與心得:

1. Student imagination is an amazing resource. It's an infinite realm of possibilities... and it always operates at the appropriate language level. We can use student imagination to generate a simulated "real-world" engagement with the material.

2. A Philosophy for Learning:

	Mistakes are necessary and good!	Asking for help is a way to help others.	
	Native language is a tool	Comfort is overrated.	

- 3. Four types of activities that can incorporate imagination into the language classroom:
  - A. Single-Word Visualization:
    - A-1. Ask students to close their eyes and relax. Tell them that you will say a single word, and that they should "see" whatever their imagination shows them.
    - A-2. Ask them to use all of their 5 senses, and also to notice how they feel.

      Ex. Where are you? Who else is there? What's happening? How do you feel?

      Ask them to notice details: sounds, smells, colors, feelings, etc.
    - A-3. After about 15-30 seconds, have the students open their eyes and share what they saw in pairs or trios. Tell them to share as much detail as possible but that they don't have to share anything uncomfortable. Allow 1-2 minutes for sharing, and then repeat.
- B. Guided Journey:
  - Ex. You are walking in a night market. What do you see? What do you smell? Who's there? How do you feel? You are looking for \_\_\_\_\_\_ things. How many do you see? Remember three. Now, you see something you want to buy. What is it? Do you have enough money? How do you feel? Now you see someone you know.

They want to tell you something. Listen carefully and remember what they say. Guided Journey Tips:

- 1. Explain clearly what you are going to do.
- 2. Set up the room so that it is comfortable (turn off some lights).
- 3. Use the present tense
- 4. Speak slowly and clearly.
- 5. Repeat key words and phrases.
- 6. Have them discover something or meet someone who speaks to them.
- 7. Give students some time to "settle in" to each episode.
- 8. Give students some time to "come back" after the journey.
- 9. List the main "elements" on the board before discussion.

### C. Role Play

## C-1. Teacher Role Play:

The teacher presents his/herself to the class as a character with a problem or a need: Ex. Hi, my name is Romeo. I have a girlfriend, Juliet, we actually just got married in secret – but our families hate each other. What can we do?"

Have the students help you solve your problem. This can be done as a class, or in groups (each group come up with 3-5 pieces of advice).

Encourage questions.

No advice given should be "wrong".

Keep asking for more options. Encourage "crazy" advice.

C-2. Student Role Play: Students should each choose a role and decide on a problem. It can be useful to have a common theme for the class, e.g., science, music, history, fashion, etc.

### Ideas:

- 1. Famous people from real life and history.
- 2. Famous characters from movies or stories.
- 3. Other members of their own families.
- 4. Superheroes, cartoon characters. animals, etc.

#### Process:

- 1. Make small groups of 3-5 students.
- 2. The first student introduces themselves (in character) and explains their problem.
- 3. Encourage the other members to ask questions and get more detailed information.
- 4. Finally, each group member should offer advice in turn.
- 5. Then switch to the next student, until each student has had a chance to role play.

## D. The Story Spine:

1. Setting the Scene

2. The Changes

3. Conclusion

Once upon a time there was a... Who wanted/liked... And every day...

But, one day... Because of that... And so... And then... After that...

Until, finally... Until one day... Finally... And, ever since then...

馬龍教授所分享的教學技巧,引導學生建構模擬真實對話情境,並在進行學生角色扮 演時協助發揮創造力與溝通能力,讓學生展現肢體語言想像力及口語表達的創意,執行互動 的教學歷程中,老師要能觀察記錄學生的學習過程及表現,適時地給學生鼓勵與協助。然而, 在進行戲劇融入英語相關課程時,教師經常陎臨學生秩序常規表現失控的問題,因為學生在 活潑的教學過程中,常常需要離開座位與同儕討論互動,學生甫於情緒高亢,在課堂中不自 覺將討論音量提高,因此,教師在教學之前應該掌握良好班級經營模式,與學生訂定好遵守 之原則,並在教學歷程中部段地溝通協調,並僅可能地避免對學生責罰,才能使學生樂於學 習與討論,並在英語學習方陎能維持學習興趣及學習動機,避免學習活動變成為毫無章法秩 結論,在教學進行的過程中,教師必預經常觀察學生參與課程活動的反 序的遊戲內容。 應,隨時修正自己的教學,讓學生在教師運用教學策略時能樂於學習英語,所以,教師應精 實記錄課堂觀察,並適當的調整與應用教學策略,使學生可以在戲劇融入英語教學的歷程中 獲得成長與收穫。

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