

TOPIC OVERVIEW - PRACTISE AT HOME

Sessions are based around a topic that introduces vocabulary and phrases. As you progress, you will be introduced to new vocab/phrases.

Every learner is unique and learns at their own pace. When you are familiar/comfortable with our “Start” words, move on to the “Stretch & Challenge” words and finally on to the “Above & Beyond” words.

Start: Core words/phrases that start to build more complex language

Stretch & Challenge: Extension words/phrases that act as building blocks

Above & Beyond: One step above *Stretch & Challenge*, building more meaningful sentences

Language Guides (teachers) recognise when a learner needs more advanced or simplified vocab/phrases and these are built into the session.

We always expect learners to recognise more words than they can use. We cannot guarantee which specific word in a topic a learner will remember as it's related, to a great extent, to which words of the ones introduced the learner finds significant.

In addition to the content below, the Language Guide will incorporate the use of ‘classroom language’, meaning every instruction, daily routine phrase, word, etc. is given in the target language.

The content detailed below is delivered using the Speak Like a Native approach to language acquisition: guided participation in tasks, games and activities that are meaningful, engaging and age appropriate. Please note that on occasions the Language Guide may change session order.

ENGLISH		MANDARIN
Session 1 – Who am I am how am I feeling?		
Start	Hello/Goodbye My name is...	
Stretch & Challenge	I am good / bad / OK I am happy / sad	
Above & Beyond	I am very What's your name? How are you? I feel	
WoW	Happy, sad, tired Angry, hungry, surprised	
Session 2- Types of food		
Start	I eat / I don't eat	
S & C	I always/sometimes/never eat	
A & B	I eat lots of...	
WoW	Food Fruit and vegetables Meat and fish Desserts	
Session 3 – My favourite food		
Start	I like/I don't like	
S & C	I love I hate	
A & B	My favourite food is	
WoW	Food Fruit – banana, pear, kiwi, mango Vegetables – broccoli, potato, cauliflower, tomato Chocolate To eat Because	
Session 4 – Places to eat		
Start	I eat/I don't eat	
S & C	I eat in/at	
A & B	I eat with	
WoW	School Home Restaurant Park Friends	

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	Family	
Session 5 - Recap		
Start	All vocab from sessions 1-4	n/a
S & C	All vocab from sessions 1-4	n/a
A & B	All vocab from sessions 1-4	n/a
WoW	Book, page, fold Feelings Numbers 1-10 Big & small	
Session 6 – In my packed lunch		
Start	I have/I don't have	
S & C	I always/sometimes/never have	
A & B	I have lots of	
WoW	Colours – red, blue, orange, yellow, green Sizes – big and small	
Session 7 – In my fridge		
Start	I have/I don't have I always/sometimes/never have	
S & C	I have lots of My favourite food is	
A & B	I like to eat My favourite food is X because	
WoW	Big & small Red, blue, green, yellow, orange Fruit & vegetable Numbers 1-6	
Session 8 – Types of drinks		
Start	I drink/I don't drink	
S & C	I always/sometimes/never drink	
A & B	I drink lots of... I drink in/at	
WoW	Water Juice Milk Lemondade/cola	
Session 9 – Eating at home		
Start	I eat I like/I don't like	
S & C	I eat with I like/I don't like [to eat/cook] with	
A & B	I always/sometimes/never [eat/cook] with	
WoW	To eat To cook Family – mum, dad, brother, sister	
Session 10		
Start, S & C and A & B	All vocab from sessions 1-9	n/a
Words of the week	All vocab from sessions 1-9	n/a

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