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APPENDIX

Lesson Plan for Teaching Grammar

Date : 19-4-2011

Time : 35 min.

Class : VII

Subject : English (Grammar)

Period : 2nd

Topic : Adjective

General Aims

1. To enable students to speak and write correct English.
2. To enable them to command and master English language.
3. To make the students acquainted with the rules of English grammar.
4. To help the pupils to transfer the rules of grammar in their study course.
5. To develop their power of logical thinking.

Specific Aim

To enlighten the students to know about Adjectives.

Material Aids

Two charts, one containing the following sentences :

—There is a white cow.

—Mohan is a bad boy.

—She writes with a black pen.

—The other chart will contain the following sentences :

—They are good.

—She is black.

—You are small.

Previous Knowledge

The students are familiar with Noun and Pronoun.

Introduction

The students will be asked about nouns and pronouns used in the following sentences :

Kamla is reading a book.

The copy is on the table.

He is a tall man.

The following questions will be asked on the above sentences :

1. What is 'Kamla' according to grammar ?
(Kamla is noun.)
2. What is 'he' in grammar ?
(He is pronoun.)
3. What is 'copy' according to grammar ?
(Copy is noun.)
4. What are 'bad, ugly, black, white and small' in grammar ?
(Problematic)

Statement of Aim

Today we shall study what such words 'like', 'bad', 'black', 'white' etc. are called in grammar.

Step I—Presentation

The teacher will follow deductive and inductive method. He will present the first chart and analyse the sentences in the following way with the help of students :

1. What is 'cow' in grammar ? (Noun)
2. What is the colour of the cow ? (White)
3. What is 'Mohan' in grammar ? (Noun)
4. Who is a bad boy ? (Mohan)
5. What does the word 'bad' denote ? (Badness of the boy)
6. What is 'pen' in grammar ? (Noun)
7. Of what colour is the pen ? (Black)
8. What does the word 'black' denote ? (Colour of a pen)
9. What are the words cow, Mohan and pen in grammar ? (Nouns)
10. What is the quality of a cow ? (Whiteness)
11. What is the speciality of Mohan ? (Badness)
12. What is the quality of the pen ? (Blackness)

Teacher's Generalization

(1) Words which qualify nouns, are called Adjective in grammar.

(It will be noted on the black-board.)

Step II—Drill

The teacher will ask the following questions :

1. Which word is qualifying the cow ?
2. What is 'white' in grammar ?
3. Which word is specifying Mohan ?
4. What is 'bad' in grammar ?
5. What word is qualifying pen ?
6. What is 'black' in grammar ?

(White)
(Adjective)
(Bad)
(Adjective)
(Black)
(Adjective)

Step III—Presentation

The other chart will be presented in the class and the following questions will be asked :

1. What is 'they' in grammar ?
2. How are they ?
3. What does this word denote ?
4. What is 'she' in grammar ?
5. Of what colour is she ?
6. What is 'you' in grammar ?
7. How are you ?
8. What are the words 'they, she, you' in grammar ?

(Pronoun)
(Good)
(Goodness)
(Pronoun)
(Black)
(Pronoun)
(Small)
(Pronouns)
(Goodness)
(Blackness)
(Smallness)

9. What quality have they ?
10. What quality has she ?
11. What quality have you ?

Teacher's Generalization

Words which qualify pronouns, are also called Adjectives.
(It will be noted on the black-board)

Step IV—Drill

The teacher will ask the following questions :

1. Which word is qualifying 'they' ?
2. What is 'good' in grammar ?
3. Whose quality is black colour ?
4. What is 'black' in grammar ?
5. What is your quality ?
6. What is 'small' in grammar ?

(Good)
(Adjective)
(Her)
(Adjective)
(Smallness)
(Adjective)

Step V

1. The teacher will ask three or four students to read the definitions written on the black-board.

2. The teacher will rub off the key words of the definitions written on the black-board and ask students to complete the sentences.

3. He/she will ask students to copy the black-board summary.

4. Students will be asked to find out adjectives from the following sentences :

(a) Sita is a pretty girl.

(b) He is a tall man.

(c) Shyam is a good boy.

(d) She is wearing a beautiful frock.

If students do not complete the class assignment in time, they will be asked to complete it at home.

