Grammar As A Concept And In Context

MY STEP BY STEP TO A PACE LESSON



Decide Whether To PACE Or Not

PACE is not meant for all grammar. There must be a distinguishable rule that students must notice and use to create meaning

Choose An Appropriate Resource

Decide if you will write a story for students or if you have an authentic text that matches your theme and has the grammar.



Write What Students Will Be Doing During Part 1?

Choose a pre/during/post activity where students need to process meaning of the story/resource



Draw Attention To The Grammar Point

Color code or bold your targeted grammar after students interpret it. Project it on the board for students to see and analyze with a partner



Start The Co-Construction

Have students do a think-pair=share where they discover the purpose behind the grammar point and how to form it. Dialogue with your students to discover rules/usage



Explicit Instruction Yet Continued Co-Construction

Fill in any gaps in knowledge that students may have missed. Ask them to revisit text for examples



Start The Extension Phase

Jump into your favorite strategies. Incorporate the grammar with your theme in a meaningful, communicative way. Students should see why they need that new grammar to complete tasks and communicate ideas