Dee Ni Language Lesson

Project/Activity Name and ID Number:

Seasonal Activity: Basketry

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Common Curriculum Goal:

2nd Language: Topics: Exceeds CIM: Arts & Communications

2nd Language: Speaking: CIM: Use memorized and some original sentences and

questions to perform simple communicative tasks in everyday situations

2nd Language: Writing: CIM: Write simple original sentences from memorized

and familiar material

2nd Language: Listening: Benchmark 3: Demonstrate comprehension of simple

description

2nd Language: Reading: Benchmark 3: Demonstrate understanding of short

predictable texts

Season/Location:

Spring

Partners/Guests/Community:

Basket weaver, Culture Department,

Cultural Component(s):

Arts and Aesthetics	Communication	Government	Science
Belief -World	Family	History	Shelter
View	Food	Medicine	Transportation
Clothing	Fun	Medium of Exchange	Tools and Technology

Project/Activity Lesson Objective Components:

Vocabulary:

English	Dee Ni
Basket Patterns	
Bear Paw	
Dance Knife	
Flying Geese	
Friendship	
Frog Hand	
House Ladder	

Legs	
Morning Star	
Quails Tail	
Points	
Snake	
Snake Nose	
Sturgeon back	
Suspenders	
Basket Types	
Baby	
Cooking	
Dance	
Eating	
Pack	
Plate	
Work	
Materials	
Bear Grass	
Hazel Sticks	
Maidenhair Fern	
Spruce Root	
Willow Root	
Willow Sticks	
Woodwardia	

- > Adverb list
- > Adjective list

Grammar:

- Exposure to concepts of Dee Ni sentence composition, and noun and verb conjugation
- > Sentence Structure:
 - o Article Noun Adjective Adverb Verb
 - o Aspects of time go first
 - Postpositions go between the noun and verb, "center of the sentence"

Phrases (Writing, Speaking, Reading, Listening):

English	Dee Ni
I am preparing <u>(material)</u>	
I am weaving a <u>(basket type)</u>	
Good Work!	
He/she/it is preparing (material)	
He/she/it is weaving a (basket type)	
It is beautiful!	
It is a <u>(basket type)</u>	
What are you making?	

What is it?	
We are preparing <u>(materials)</u>	
We are weaving a <u>(basket type)</u>	
You are preparing <u>(materials)</u>	
You are weaving a <u>(basket type)</u>	

After completing the lesson, Students and/or Instructors will be able to:

- > Use traditional materials to weave
- Describe weaving activities using Dee Ni vocabulary
- ➤ Identify basket types, patterns and materials using Dee Ni vocabulary
- Describe the steps in the process of gathering and preparing materials and weaving.

Assessment:

- > Translation
- Conversation
- > Conventions
- Effort/Visual Form
- > Collaboration
- Delivery
- Teacher and students play a variety of games, including Dee Ni "I Spy", scavenger hunts, Twister, Bingo, etc. The teacher evaluates the students' ability to identify the colors being taught.

Activity/Project Description:

- ➤ Teacher uses illustrated flashcards, room poster, and audio recording to introduce weaving vocabulary.
- Students study examples of Siletz baskets and identify materials used, basket types, and patterns using Dee Ni vocabulary. Actual baskets can be viewed at Culture Center, and photos are amply available.
- > Students take a trip to pick hazel and dig spruce root. Rattan can be used in place of traditional materials for weaving.
- > Students learn names of and view images of famous weavers and their work.
- Students document basket weaving activities in their Dee Ni journal

Materials/Supplies:

- ➤ Picture flash cards with illustrations representing weaving concepts
- Audio recording of weaving vocabulary
- ➤ Half sheet hand-outs with corresponding vocabulary
- > Poster illustrations with weaving concepts
- Materials Check-off list
- Traditional materials and/or rattan

- Materials/Patters/types quiz game
 Adverbs and Adjectives word lists
 Photos of famous Siletz basket weavers