Class: RWF Teacher: Lis Stark

Theme/Lesson: sight words; dictionary skills-sight words; reading comprehension Date: 10/31/15

**LESSON OBJECTIVE(S):**

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| **Content Objective(s)** (Students will know that….) | **ELL or ABE/ASE Frameworks Strands & Standards** |
| 1. The more familiar they are with sight words, the faster they can read and comprehend texts 2. Repeating dictation words before writing them can help them spell the words and write them in the correct order 3. Dictionaries have guide words to make it easier for users to find words fast | L1.2a L1.2b L2.2a L2.2b  S2.2a S2.2b  R1.2b R2.2f W1.2c  Navigating Systems:  Basic English Dictionary (book form) |
| **Skill Objective(s)** (Students will be able to…) |
| 1. achieve 75% or better on a 4-sentence dictation exercise that requires spelling knowledge of 20 sight words  2. use dictionary guide words to navigate through the dictionary to get to the words they want/need  3. write accurate responses to reading comprehension questions |

**ACTIVITIES: MATERIALS:**

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| Complete a calendar for November 2015 and identify the days we DO and DON’T have school this month.  1. Students ask questions about their homework sentences as a means of checking their writing skills themselves  2. Students complete a 20-sight word dictation  3. Students use their Basic English Dictionary to find guide words and then specific words and their definitions to complete my dictionary worksheet  4. In two reading groups, students discuss reading vocabulary and their own experiences with the subjects of the night’s readings. Students listen to the stories; read the stories again quietly, and then answer comprehension questions about the stories. | my Nov. 2015 calendar worksheet  the dictation sheet I designed with 20 spaces to write 20 missing words  a Basic English Dictionary for each student  a dictionary guide words worksheet I designed  Life Goes On – High Beginning by A. Gianola  Talk of the Block – Short Vowels, Shopping |

**ASSESSMENT(S):**

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| **Performance**  **How many of the 20 sight words can students spell correctly in the dictation exercise?**  **Can students navigate the Basic English dictionary faster than last week and identify the definitions for some words on the dictionary worksheet.** |  |

**WRAP-UP & REFLECTION:**

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| Can learning dictionary skills motivate students to use a dictionary (book form or internet form) to help them develop their reading comprehension, instead of being passive learners? |