

3rd-4th class

Reflection/Literacy Activities (Optional)

Learning outcomes:

Pupils will be enabled to:

- Reflect on new information as they progress through the four Units
- Demonstrate an understanding of appropriate key words and phrases

Materials:

- 3-2-1: Pupil Worksheet (page 2)
- Word Map: Pupil Worksheet (page 3)

Introduction:

The purpose of these activities, which can be integrated at the end of each unit, is to encourage pupils to develop their oral literacy, reading and comprehension and writing skills. These activities also allow pupils to reflect on the new information they learn as they progress through the Units, to articulate what they have found interesting, to pose outstanding questions and to begin to think and plan possible Our World Irish Aid Awards projects.

Step-by-step instructions

3-2-1: Reflection Activity

1. Briefly summarise what has been covered in the Unit.
NOTE: You may find it useful to either draw on the learning outcomes listed at the start of the Unit or to summarise the completed activities/content from this Unit.
2. Distribute one copy of the [3-2-1: Pupil Worksheet](#) (page 2) to each person in the class and invite them to complete their worksheet alone.
3. Ask for volunteers to share what they have learned, what they found interesting and questions they still have about the Unit.
4. Record pupil feedback and draw on this when it comes to the project planning stage.

Word Map: Literacy Activity

1. Ask pupils to brainstorm a list of the new words/phrases pupils have come across in the Unit.
2. Distribute one copy of the [Word Map: Pupil Worksheet](#) (page 3) to each pupil.
3. Invite them to pick one new word/phrase from the Unit.
NOTE: Either (1) leave sufficient time at the end of each unit for pupils to complete the worksheet in class, or (2) invite them to complete the worksheet as a homework task. Use the completed worksheet to create an Our World Irish Aid Awards Glossary which should be prominently displayed in the classroom.

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Things I
found out

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

2

Interesting
things

1. _____

2. _____

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Question I
still have

1. _____

My new word is: _____

The dictionary definition for this word is:

A definition in my own words is:

Other words that mean
the same thing
(synonyms) are:

A sentence using this word is:

My drawing of things I think of when I hear this word is:

