Horizon Community College – EAL Lesson plan – Lesson 1

Subject/class	EAL Session 1: Context Session 1 for New to English students.
Connect the Learning An activity to help students understand how this lesson relates to previous learning.	• See lesson 2
Big Picture Explain how this lesson fits into the particular topic/overview this particular lesson Starter	After this session students will be able to: Greet others both formally and informally. Introduce themselves. Explain where they are from. Teacher writes greetings such as Hello / Hi / Good morning / Goodnight etc. on board then asks students to write or say any greetings they know.
New information Present new information to students in a variety of stimulating and engaging ways to reflect different learning styles	 Students take turns with teacher or each other to greet one another with the full range of greetings. Students complete a spider diagram describing the different greetings. Differentiation – copy of words to be handed out as flashcards and students identify the correct time of day.
Main activities (including mid-point reviews) The section of the lesson where a variety of student activities take place and where learning reviews happen	Teacher hands out a variety of speech bubbles such as: Hello. My name is Mr. Watson. Teacher asks student, "What is your name?" then demonstrates with hand gestures the meaning of the question. Teacher then models the response, "Hello. My name is Mr. Watson."
Demonstrate A vital part of the learning cycle where students demonstrate in some way what they have learned.	Student draws a picture of themselves with a blank speech bubble to be filled with a variety of greeting and introductions e.g. Good morning. My
Review	Using single word cards, students are to create greeting sentences e.g. Man. My

References: Accelerated Learning in the Classroom – Alistair Smith, Network Education Press EAL Language Builder by PMP Publications