## The Elderly Reunion after 50 Years

## **Lesson Plan**

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Item	Content
1. Aim	1-1. To rise awareness of the intergenerational communication
	1-2. to promote cultural exchanges between the east and the west
	1-3. to help solve problems of the elder
2. Materials	Photonovel & Courseware
3. Level	Intermediate-level of English of College Students
4. Time	50 minutes
5. Preparation	Compose a photonovel on-line
6: In Class	6-1. Ask students their elderly relatives at home or near home, and then ask them to orally predict the possible problems of the elder.
	6-2. Show students the photonovel "The Elderly Reunion after 50 Years" on-line. (http://140.127.60.124/engstu/nall-4/elders.htm)
	6-3. Invite students to discuss some questions at the end of the Powerpoint file in groups.
	Q1: How will you describe the family reunion with some flowers?
	Q2: Is there any intergeneration in the story? What are the two possible implications of intergeneration?
	6-4. Ask two students to report the results of their group discussions.
	6-5 Ask students to browse the on-line article on elder partnerships in the website: <a href="http://www.mrs.umn.edu/academic/sl/elderpartnerships.html">http://www.mrs.umn.edu/academic/sl/elderpartnerships.html</a>

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	6-4. Ask students to compare the elder partnerships between the east and the west.
	6-6. Ask students to respond to intergenerational problems and make solutions on the Centra symposium plateform (http://centraone.uncc.edu).
	7-1. Ask students to interview elders about their feelings about family reunions. Then post the interview results to the class platform ( <a href="http://e.nknu.edu.tw">http://e.nknu.edu.tw</a> ) for sharing.
7: Variation	7-2. Ask students to compose their own photonovellas by means of PowerPoint system, and then post them to the class platform ( <a href="http://e.nknu.edu.tw">http://e.nknu.edu.tw</a> ) for sharing.
	7-2. Invite students to responsd to the interview stories or the photonovellas on-line.

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