

Standards-Based Lesson Template

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Lesson/Unit Title:	Life Skills/Operating a Sports Team
Abstract/summary of lesson:	<p>The summary of this particular lesson is to give students an overall view of the required skills and qualities that employers seek out of their employees. I will share a Power Point with my students on the required skills that are necessary to be considered a good employee. In addition, some students will be given a task of operating a sports team. They will be responsible for coming up with creative ways to boost revenue, while keeping their costs down. I will be guiding students along in this process at the rate needed for them to be successful. Because of the depth of the lesson and the population of my students, this lesson will take a series of days in order for them to progress needed for them to be successful.</p>
Students will know...	<p>Students will know...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A) the characteristics expected from them by an employer.B) how to fill out a job application.C) how to find innovative ways to market their respective team (brand).
Students will be able...	<p>Students will be able to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A) Identify the key characteristics needed to be a good employee.B) create a Power Point Presentation on how to boost revenue for their desired sports team.C) discuss with their classmates on how to market their current sports team.D) appropriately fill out a job application.
Standards/Skills addressed	<p>Prepare for and and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on other's ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>Production and Distribution of Writing Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</p>
Performance tasks/projects:	<p>Prepare for and and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on other's ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>Production and Distribution of Writing Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task,</p>

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Test and quiz questions or essay prompts:

List three qualities that an employer expects from every single one of their employees?

Why is it important to know the expectations of your employer?

Explain what you learned about operating a sports team? What did you learn about marketing your respective team? Is there an area in which you think you could have improved on? Why or why not?

Student self-assessments:

Students will self assess their work on an on-going basis.

Objectives

Students will be able to...

- A) Identify the key characteristics needed to be a good employee.
- B) create a Power Point Presentation on how to boost revenue for their desired sports team.
- C) discuss with their classmates on how to market their current sports team.
- D) appropriately fill out a job application.

Motivation:

I will engage students by describing to them my experience with the Modesto Nuts. I will be talking to them about the skills and expectations I learned while working with the Nuts. I will show them pictures as well as the website of the team. My experience of working in the different departments will excite them about the opportunity to perform this project. In addition, I will describe and show them the different areas of work that they may one day be getting into, whether it's working at the concessions stands, a ticket taker, or in the operations department.

Presentation:

I will use a Power Point Presentation to explain to students the characteristics that are employers seek out of their employees. In addition, the presentation will go into depth on the skills that are necessary to work in the different departments that consist of operating a Minor League Baseball stadium. During that time, students will be having conversations with one another on the topics that I will be presenting to them. I will check for understanding with all students by walking around the classroom making sure students are grasping the appropriate information.

Application/Activities:

Some students will have the task of filling out a job application. In addition, those same students will be creating Power Point Presentation on the key characteristics of being a good employee. Other students will be creating a Power Point Presentation on the different aspects that go along with running a small market sports team. As students will know the skills that are necessary to operate the different departments, their main responsibility will be to find creative ways to market their team. Students are allowed to be creative as possible when finding ways to get fans to come out to the stadium and watch the team that they are operating.

Materials needed:

The materials that students will be required to have are a

writing utensil, paper, computer, access to the internet, and be able to properly construct a Power Point Presentation.

Assessment/Evaluation:

List three qualities that an employer expects from every single one of their employees?

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Explain what you learned about operating a sports team?
What did you learn about marketing your respective team?
Is there an area in which you think you could have improved on? Why or why not?

Closure/Reflection:

I will review with students on the skills and qualifications that are needed to go into the field of a sports team. I will review the different departments that are involved in operating a sports team. We will go over as a class the different skills and qualifications that are needed in each department to be successful. We will go over the different ways that are possible in reaching out to the community to market a local sports team. Finally, we will finish with the important characteristics that are necessary in being a good productive employee.