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# "Abrid los libros, abrir las alas"

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#### PRESENTATION

The process of the English language with blind students at APRODVICH Association is a very important factor in the educational process under which focuses on equity rights without discrimination, under which possess the ability to act in any field is social labor, commercial, political, economic partner inside and outside the country.

For a better understanding of the contents of English is essential to guide them to meaningful learning through communicative strategies, in an attempt to reach also career opportunities, and also to improve their integration into society with a new vision, by guiding them in the process of learning the English Language in a real inclusion, projected to lead and develop the basic knowledge of English involving their intellectual and cognitive abilities through listening and speaking skills.

For proper applicability of the manual with communicative strategies called LGB Learning towards learning foreign language, teachers must be supported by teaching materials related to audiovisuals so they can listen and be able to capture new knowledge of basic English, which means that it must be supported by motivating practices which will enable them to grasp the vocabulary, quizzes and basic structures.

The main objective of the research is to improve the Speaking skill in blind students at APRODVICH association and it is also important to guide them to develop the listening skill as well, specifically since these two skills will enable them to achieve a good level of intellectual and cognitive ability in learning the English Language; to develop the educational interaction students should be aware that the teaching-learning process should be based on the proposal of the manual Luis Guadalupe Bravo Learning (LGB learning), under which is a learning environment that guides teachers through the implementation of communication strategies focusing on comprehension check and repetition , fundamental to guide students progressively towards the assimilation of new basic knowledge of English.

#### **Objetives**

#### **General Objective**

To develop Communicative Strategies with blind students through vocabulary activities, basis structures and the use of questionnaires in order to improve the listening and speaking skills of basic English.

#### **Specific Objectives**

- To apply communicative Strategies LGB learning through vocabulary activities, in order to develop the Basic Speaking Skill of blind students at APRODVICH association.
- To develop communicative Strategies LGB learning through basic structures, in order to develop the Basic Speaking Skill of blind students at APRODVICH association.
- To implement communicative Strategies LGB learning through the use of whquestions, in order to develop the Basic Speaking Skill of blind students at APRODVICH association.

#### **Theorical Framework**

#### **Special Education and English Process**

"" The definitions provided until now with special education, insists the deficit of its capabilities as defectology, the involvement of medicalization, and polarization around children as part of a restrictive secular oblivion targeting so that pedagogy which appears to have the child as the sole object of interest " (Cultural, 2007)

In generalizing sphere of society it is still believed that people with special needs do not require support or care on equal terms, but supported by the government regulations from the Constitution of the Republic of Ecuador, it is important to link them in all areas so that they are not seen as objects of pity, but being seen in the position to generate socio-economic development and progress according to their potential.

Pedagogy in the field related to special education should focus on processes based on the methodology and techniques applied in teaching and learning of students with special needs, for it must follow significant steps: (Zavalloni, 2011)

• The special education refers to educational processes which is oriented- teaching to those individuals who in one way or another deviate from the norm and are therefore are called atypical or exceptional, but according to their level of self-esteem they are considered students with special needs.

• The special education is by definition a pedagogy that applies to individuals who deviate from the norm in their relationship and behavior with the outside world, whether in the restricted area of family, school or society.

• Special education aims to shorten personal problems based on psychological difficulties, delays and disruptions of any kind in the biological and psychosocial development of children and youth, seeking to guide them to adequate environmental, social and family adaptation.

"Experience confirms that they are many other needs of the person who is more or less serious, and encounter difficulties in their development that must be taken into consideration addressed in many cases as a priority and should be specialized before they are the purely educational " (Gispert, 2006).

To which it implies that it is important to increase the knowledge and understanding of the student in an imaginative way about the world on which he lives, both that refer to the possibilities given to him and those that correspond to him. The possibilities granted to them will help them advance in a process of independence and self-sufficiency, by teaching them the essential so they can find a job according to their potential, so they can control and direct their lives.

Some students will achieve their goals overcoming their difficulties in dealing with multiple social responsibilities; others will have major problems to overcome. On the way to achieve goals, all, to a greater or lesser extent, will have difficulties glimpsing needs, whether they are common to all students , whether they are specifically special, understood as what each child needs to individually make progress with adjusted and specific help.

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#### Factors that influence in the communicative strategies

"When the teacher focuses on the teaching and learning processes, it means that the teacher must focus on the proper use of communicational factors to support the special

needs students to overcome obstacles so blind students can learn basic English " (Woolfolk, 2010).

The most important factors are:

- a) The words are considered as obstacles when discourteous, rude, bad sounding words are used, with double meanings or when nicknames are used.
- b) Emotions: emotions are considered as a strong emotional charge, when a message truthfully expressed through verbal and nonverbal communication is transmitted. Emotions depend on age, educational level, social and economic environment. Both sender and receiver must control emotions at the time of communication, especially when it comes to solving problems.
- c) Behavioral expectations: are the behaviors we expect people to have with who we interrelate on a daily basis. When they are very subjective they can break affective communication.
- d) Attitudes: They are outward manifestations of feelings. If there is no correspondence between feelings and attitudes, the receiver feels this gap and makes communication difficult and in some cases impossible. It becomes an obstacle when the sender or receiver demonstrate a destructive, sarcastic, aggressive, dishonest or accusative critical attitude.
- e) Distance: Personal communication is very important factor in order to establish a very effective communication between the teacher and the student or vice versa.
- f) Tone of voice: A very high or very low tone, as same as whispering, it can cause disorders in the development of communication because it generally produced misinterpretations. Meanwhile a proper clear and precise tone of voice becomes effective way of communication.

- g) Duration: The teacher must be clear and precise in an attempt to avoid long speeches that lead to boredom and loss of attention of students.
- h) Speed of pronunciation: Speaking rapidly can difficult message compression. But also when the pronunciation is not clear, the message becomes an obstacle or barrier, which can not be effectively decoded.
- i) Posture: between forms of nonverbal communication, body attitude plays an important role to get the message correctly.

#### English language development with blind students

To develop the speaking skill of Basic English with blind students is important to apply practical strategies through the use of conversations and the development of the skill of listening, which are focus to achieve meaningful learning so the students can be able to communicate with peers, teachers and society according to their requirements. The skills to be applied in the manual Learning LGB communication strategies are as follows:

#### a. Vocabulary

The translation of vocabulary from English to Spanish or vice versa can gradually be developing new knowledge of the L2 language, this enables blind students to assimilate their meaning, but it is also important to pronounce the words and therefore later used it as a means of conversation.

In the case of blind students the use of vocabulary allows them to process the words in the order in which they have heard, so it is important the guide of the teacher through their expressions or commands or even guide them in the use of technological means so they can listen, practice and repeat, and in this way they can acquire knowledge and be able to express themselves correctly. For example they will learn the vocabulary based on their experiences or best-known aspects of their daily lives.

Días	Days
Lunes	Monday
Martes	Tuesday
Miércoles	Wednesday
Jueves	Thursday
Viernes	Friday
Sábado	Saturday
Sábado Domingo	Saturday Sunday
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Domingo	Sunday
Domingo Tiempo	Sunday Time

#### **b.** Basic structures

In the case of blind students the teacher is the main focus who has to guide them through the rules and grammar of the language. As long as it has an operational character, which implies that the teacher should be constantly helping and guiding the students so they can speak. In other words adequately express in an attempt to reach a communicative process.

The training of the basic structures are made by subsystems related with exercises that contribute to the levels of assimilation, embodiment and learning stage, seeking to achieve the objective, for it, the students must perform the exercises , transpositions and replacement that appear in the LGB manual with communicative strategies.

Something we need to be aware is that blind students learn English through their well train ear, and not with their eyes. In other words blind students develop other senses that allows them to learn lots of vocabulary to reach the basic structures.

There are five basic sentence structures in the English language based on the Common European Framework.

#### 1. Subject - Verb

#### **Examples:**

- The girl plays. (El niña juega.)
- John eats. (John come.)
- Alysson stands uo.
   (Alysson se para.)

#### 2. Subject-verb-object

#### **Examples:**

- The girl pets the dog. (La niña acaricia al perro.)
- I love fruits. (Me encantan las frutas.)
- John touches the window.(Bill toca la ventana.)

#### 3. Subject-verb-adjective

#### **Examples:**

- Danna is beautiful.
   (Danna es hermosa.)
- He is nice.
   (El es simpático.)
- I am happy. (Estoy feliz.)

#### 4. Subject-verb-adverb

#### **Examples:**

- Maria walks slowly.
   (María camina lentamente.)
- The rabbit jumps high. (El conejo salta alto.)

Trees are everywhere.
 (Los arboles están por todas partes.)

#### 5. Subject-verb-noun

#### **Examples:**

- I am the teacher. (Soy el profesor.)
- John is a driver. (John es chofer.)
- The girl is a nurse.
  (La niña es una enfermera.)

#### c. Whquestions

When blind students have acquired a lot of vocabulary and relate their basic structures of English, which helps them internalize what they have learned, therefore they are in the ability to answer a series of simple questions, which means that students will learn to interpret and answer quickly.

Students pay a lot of attention to listen and answer, for it the teacher can tell a little story and then make a variety of easy and simple questions about that story. This Exercise will help them understand rapidly and in an easy way what they are listening to, and they will also learn to answer as they are in a real conversation.

Personal Information	Información personal
What's your name?	¿Cuál es tu nombre?
Luis.	Luis.
Where are you from? / Where do you come	¿De dónde eres? / ¿De dónde vienes?
from?	
I'm from I come from	Soy de / Vengo de

What's your surname / family name?
Guadalupe.
What's your first name?
Luis.
What's your address?
223 Grafton Avenue
Where do you live?
I live in New Jersey
What's your (tele) phone number?
973-786-4384
How old are you?
Twenty-five. I'm twenty-five years old.

¿Cuál es tu apellido / nombre de familia? Guadalupe ¿Cuál es tu primer nombre? Luis. ¿Cuál es tu dirección? 223 Grafton Avenue ¿Dónde vives? Vivo en Nueva Jersey ¿Cuál es tu número de teléfono? 973-786-4384 ¿Cuántos años tienes? Veinticinco años. Tengo 25 años.

# UNIT I

#### 1. Vocabulary



Source: Aprodvich

**1.1. Concept.-** From Latin vocabulum , vocabulary consists of the set of words of a language. Such vocabulary is known by people who share a common language

**1.2. Characteristics.-** The students will focus on communicative strategies with vocabulary to learn the language.

#### **TOPIC:** Geometric Figures





#### Source: APROVICH

**Objetive:** To pronounce and learn in English the geometric figures through touch identification

Resources: Classroom objects, Tactual Pictures

#### **Methodological Process**

Square

• Learn the Geometric shapes in English

rectangle



 Listen to the Geometric shapes in English It is a circle
 It is an oval





• Spell the Geometric Shapes in English



• Pronounce the Geometric Shapes in English

Circle, Square, Rectangle, Oval, Diamond, Star

**Evaluation:** Identify and Pronounce the objects in English

INDICATORS	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the Geometric shapes in English			19
Listen to the Geometric shapes in			/
English	6	1.1	
Spell the Geometric Shapes in English			
Pronounce the Geometric Shapes in			
English			

#### Topic: Adjectives of size

Size Adjectives	big
Colg	

Source: APRODVICH

**Objetive:** To pronounce and learn in English the ladder vocabulary of "SIZE" through touch identification

Resources: Classroom objects, Tactual Pictures

#### **Methodological Process**

B

• Learn the ladder vocabulary of "size" in English



• Listen and identify the ladder vocabulary of "size" in English

g	large

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• Spell the ladder vocabulary of "size" in English

big	huge	large
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• Pronounce the ladder vocabulary of "size" in English

		huge	gigandie	
60 C	large			

Evaluation: Identify and Pronounce the adjectives in English

INDICATORS	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the ladder vocabulary of "size"	1		
in English			
Listen and identify ladder vocabulary	1		
of "size" in English			
Spell the ladder vocabulary of "size" in			
English		_	
Pronounce the ladder vocabulary of			
"size" in English			

#### Topic: Verbs of Sports





Source: APRODVICH

Objetive: To pronounce and learn the verbs of sports through touch identification

**Resource:** Tactual Pictures

#### **Methodological Process**

• Learn the verbs of sports in English



• Listen to the verbs of sports in English with their complements

Do: athletics, ballet, exercise, yoga

- Go: swimming, running, dancing, riding, cycling
- Play: basketball, chess, football, baseball, soccer
- Spell the verbs of sports in English



• Pronounce the verbs of sports in English



**Evaluation:** Identify and Pronounce the verbs in English

INDICATOR	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the verbs of sports in English			/ /
Listen to the verbs of sports in English with their complements			
Spell the verbs of sports in English			
Pronounce the verbs of sports in English			

# UNIT II

#### 2. Basic Structures



Source: APRODVICH

2.1. Concept.- A basic structure is a simple form of writing a sentence in English.

**2.2. Characteristics.-** The students will learn to structure simple sentences in order to understand and use the language

#### **TOPIC:** Describe yourself



Source: APRODVICH

Objetive: To learn, practice and pronounce the use of verb "to be"

**Resources:** Tactual Material

#### **Methodological Process**

• Learn the usage of the verb "to be" and write sentences

I am tall I am short

I am fat



- Ť i
- Understand and Identify the sentence given by the teacher by showing a card





• Pronounce the sentences given by the teacher in the card

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Evaluation: Write accurate sentences in English using the verb "to be"

INDICATORS	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the usage of the verb "to be" and write sentences	1		/ /
Understand and Identify the sentence given by the teacher by showing a card		1	
Pronounce the sentences given by the teacher in the card		/	

**Topic:** Your favorite activities



Source: Estudiantes del APROVICH

Objective: To learn, practice and pronounce the use of present simple

**Resources:** Tactual Material

#### **Methodological Process**

Learn the usage of the Present Simple and write sentences

I play	play	study	work	dance
I run			••••	•••••••
I sing	• • • • •	• • • • • •	••••	•••••

Understand and Identify the sentence given by the teacher by showing a card





• Pronounce the sentences given by the teacher in the card



**Evaluation:** Write accurate sentences in English using the present simple

INDICATOR	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the usage of the present simple and write sentences	1		/ /
Understand and Identify the sentence given by the teacher by showing a card		/	
Pronounce the sentences given by the teacher in the card			

#### **Topic:** I am learning english



Source: APRODVICH

Objective: To learn, practice and pronounce the use of present progressive

**Resources:** Tactual Material

#### **Methodoligal process**

• Learn the usage of the "present progressive" and write sentences



• Understand and Identify the sentence given by the teacher by showing a card

I am learning English

• Pronounce the sentences given by the teacher in the card



Evaluation: Write accurate sentences in English using the verb "Present Progressive"

INDICATOR	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the usage of the verb "to be" and	1		
write sentences			1
Understand and Identify the sentence	10		
given by the teacher by showing a card			
Pronounce the sentences given by the			
teacher in the card			

# UNIT III: Wh-Questions



Fuente: APRODVICH

**Concept.-** The WH -Question Words are interrogative particles that we use to ask questions in English.

**Characteristics.-** The students will use the Wh question and the question structure to understand the structures of a question in English, then they will be able to make their own questions by using the question chart.



**Fuente: Aprodvich** 

Objective: To learn, practice and pronounce the structure of verb "to be" in a question

Resources: Tactual Material, Question Chart

#### **Methodological Process**

• Learn the structure of the verb "to be" and write questions



• Understand and Identify the structure given by the teacher by filling in the question chart.



• Pronounce the questions given by the teacher in the question chart

	LGB Le	earning	
WH	To be	Subject	Comp
Where	are	you?	-1-2

Evaluation: Write accurate questions in English using the verb "to be" question chart

MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
7		
	MASTER	MASTER FULFIL

#### **ACTIVIDAD N° 2**





Fuente: Aprodvich

Objective: To learn, practice and pronounce the structure of present simple in a question

Resources: Tactual Material, Question Chart,

**Methodological Process** 

• Learn the structure of the present simple and write questions


• Understand and Identify the structure given by the teacher by filling in the question chart.



• Pronounce the questions given by the teacher in the question chart



**Evaluation:** Write accurate questions in English using the present simple question chart

INDICATOR	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the structure of the verb present			
simple and write questions	-		
Understand and Identify the structure		C.	
given by the teacher by filling in the			
question chart.			
Pronounce the questions given by the			
teacher in the question chart			

#### ACTIVITY N° 3

**Topic:** What are you doing?



#### **Fuente: APRODVICH**

**Objective:** To learn, practice and pronounce the structure of present progressive in a question.

**Resources:** Tactual Material, Question Chart

## **Methodological Process**

• Learn the structure of the present progressive and write questions



• Understand and Identify the question given by the teacher by filling in the question chart.



• Pronounce the questions given by the teacher in the question chart

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WH	to be	subject	Verb (ing)
Where	are	you	studying?

Evaluation: Write accurate questions in English using the present simple question chart

INDICATOR	MASTER	FULFIL	NEAR
Learn the structure of the present			
progressive and write questions			
Understand and Identify the structure			
given by the teacher by filling in the			
question chart.			
Pronounce the questions given by the			
teacher in the question chart			

#### **UNIT I : Introduction**



**Concept:** Introduction refers to present someone new to a group. The Introduction makes clear the learner the class purpose.

**Characteristic:** The students will learn to describe themselves, looks, age, eyes color, height, and profession.

Resource: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

Evaluation: The evaluation will be written, and spoken

## ACTIVITY N° 1: Introducing yourself



Listen to your teacher describe himself to you. Hi! Good Morning Everyone, My name is Luis Guadalupe. I am an English Teacher. I am young. I am 28 years old. I am from Riobamba. I quite tall and slim. My eyes are brown, and I have black hair.

#### Vocabulary

#### 1.1. Numbers:

one (1)	two (2)	three (3)	four (4)	five (5)
six (6)	seven (7)	eight (8)	nine (9)	ten (10)
eleven(11)	twelve (12)	thirteen (13)	fourteen (14)	fifteen (15)
sixteen (16)	seventeen (17)	eighteen (18)	nineteen (19)	twenty (20)
thirty (30)	forty (40)	fifty (50)	sixty (60)	seventy (70)
eighty (80)	ninety (90)	100 (one hundred)	1000 (one thousan	nd)

**1.1.1. Read the sentence and write the number next to it. Then Repeat the Sentences** after your teacher.

Forty six	seven		fourteen	
Sixty eight	One hundred fift	y two		
I am = Yo tengo				
I am twenty eight years old		I am ten yea	rs old	
I am two years old		I am thirty f	our years old _	

Now the students will say their examples

## 1.2. Adjectives:

Tall (alto)	short (pequeno)	fat (gordo)	thin (delgado)
Big (grande)	small (pequeno)	young (joven)	old (Viejo)
Pretty (guapa)	handsome (guapo)	ugly (feo)	cute (simpatico)

**1.2.1.** Listen to the teacher and complete the Examples. Then Repeat the Sentences after your teacher.

I am = Yo soy

I am _	 
I am _	 
I am _	 
I am _	

Now the students will say their examples

1.3. Colors:

Green (verde)	brown (café)	blue (azul)	black (negro)
Red (rojo)	yellow (Amarillo)	pink (Rosado)	purple (morado)

**I have green eyes** = Yo tengo ojos verdes

**1.3.1.** Listen to the teacher and complete the Examples. Then Repeat the Sentences after your teacher.

I have \_\_\_\_\_ eyes I have \_\_\_\_\_ eyes I have \_\_\_\_\_ eyes.

Now the students will say their examples

ACTIVIDAD N° 2: Now make a small description about yourself to the class.

## ACTIVIDAD N° 3: Basic Structures

## Listen to the description of two students



Student A:	I am Alysson. My last name is Arguello. I am pretty. I am twenty two
	years old. I am from Riobamba.
Student B:	My name is Angel. My last name is Diaz. I am short. I am sixty one
	years old. I am from Ambato.
Student C:	I am Danna. I am very pretty. I am young. I am nineteen years old. I
	am from Riobamba.

## Grammar:

Subject:

I (yo) you (tu) He (el) She (ella) It (esto/esta) We (nosotros) They (ellos)

I am	you are	It is
We are	He is	
They are	She is	

#### The use of verb "to be"

I am twenty four years old	(age)
I am tall	(adjective)
I am <u>a</u> teacher	(profession)
I am <u>an</u> Engineer	(profession)
I am <u>from</u> Ecuador	(country, city, town, village, Parrish) (preposition)
I am <u>in</u> my house	(place, preposition)
I am <u>at</u> the movies	(place, preposition)
I am Luis	(Name)

#### Complete the following examples with the verb to be

I \_\_\_\_\_ a student. He \_\_\_\_\_ a teacher. They \_\_\_\_\_ happy. It \_\_\_\_\_ hot. We \_\_\_\_\_ in Quito. You \_\_\_\_\_ Short. She \_\_\_\_\_ pretty.

ACTIVITY N° 4: Listen to Alysson make a description about herself and her family.

Hi! I am Alysson. I am sixteen years old. I am from Riobamba. This is my sister. Her name is Danna. She is very tall for her age. She is very pretty. She is my only sister.He is Angel. He is intelligent. He is an Engineer. He is my father.She is Sonia. She is fun. She is lovely. She is short and beautiful. She is my mother.

#### Grammar: Possessive Adjectives

Ι	my	
You	your	Use po
Не	his	sometl
She	her	name
It	its	manne
We	Our	
They	Their	

se possessive adjectives to talk about possession, omething that belongs to you, this could be: your name, your last name, your city, a cell phone, a house, a sibling (family member) etc.

Note: For an animal or a thing, we have to use possessive adjective its.

#### Examples:

My house, Your house, His last name, Their computer, Our class, Her Purse, Its cable.

Complete the Exercises with the correct Possessive Adjectives.

I like \_\_\_\_\_\_ teacher. You like \_\_\_\_\_\_ breakfast. He likes \_\_\_\_\_\_ meat. She likes \_\_\_\_\_\_ soup. The cat likes \_\_\_\_\_\_ milk. We like \_\_\_\_\_\_ milk. We like \_\_\_\_\_\_ food. They like \_\_\_\_\_\_ food. I am Luis. \_\_\_\_\_\_ last name is Guadalupe He is a teacher. \_\_\_\_\_\_ name is Matthew. She is pretty. \_\_\_\_\_\_ name is Danna The giraffe is big. \_\_\_\_\_ height is 8'6. We study at the Unach. \_\_\_\_\_\_ class is room 123. They study English. \_\_\_\_\_\_ teacher is from USA.

Now repeat with your teacher the sentences.

## ACTIVITY N° 5: Questions

Identify the change in this examples Example 1

I am tall	Am I tall?
You are tall	Are you tall?
He is tall	Is he tall?
She is tall	Is she tall?
We are tall	Are we tall?
They are tall	Are they tall?

What can you notice?\_\_\_\_

There are some rules to be followed to change statements to questions.

- 1. Identify the verb "to be" in the statement
- 2. Move the verb "to be" to the start of the sentence
- 3. Add the question mark.

I am happy.	You are happy.	He is tall.
Am I happy?	Are you happy?	Is he tall?

Change the following statements to questions.

1. I am sad	?
2. You are sad	?
3. He is sad	?
4. She is sad	?
5. It is sad	?
6. We are sad	?
7. They are sad	?

Now read the sentences and the questions so you can Notice the change between them.

Tobe + subject + Complement ? Is a teacher? he Are they students? 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_

Make some questions using the Structure of Verb "to be"

Keep in mind the following Graph to make questions

Sentence	Question	Answer	
Ι	Ι	You	
You	You	I (sing	gular)
You	You	We (plu	ral)
Не	Не	He	
She	She	She	
We	We	We	
They	They	They	

Complete the answer to the question with the graph given:

Am I late?	Yes, are	No,aren't	
Are you late?	Yes, am	No, <u>am not</u>	(singular)
Are you late?	Yes, are	No, aren't	(plural)
Is he late?	Yes, is	No, isn't	

Is she late?	Yes, is	No, isn't
Is it late?	Yes, is	No, isn't
Are we late?	Yes, are	No, aren't
Are they late?	Yes, are	No, <u>aren't</u>

#### ACTIVITY N° 6: Listen to two students talk about their personal Information

- **A:** Hi, How are you?
- **B:** I am fine Thank you?
- **A:** Where are you from?
- **B:** I am From Riobamba
- A: Is Riobamba the Capital of Ecuador?
- **B:** No, It isn't. It is Quito.
- A: Is Riobamba far from Quito?
- **B:** Yes, it is, It is about 4 hours away
- A: and How about you? Where are you from?
- **B:** I am from USA.
- A: That is great, nice to meet you
- **B:** Nice to meet you too.
- A: Bye

In order to make information question with be: you have to add a Wh question before the verb to be

What	Que /Cual
When	Cuando
Where	Donde
Why	Porqué
Who	Quién
Which	Cuales
How	Cómo

## For example:

Are you happy?	Yes, I am
Why are you happy?	Because, It is my Birthday

Read with your teacher and understand the meaning of these questionsWhere are you from?How are you?Who is the teacher?Where are you?When is your birthday?

Identify the grammar of the Sentences and answer them.

Where	are	you?		and the second se	_
How	are	you?			
Who	is	the teacher?			
When	is	your birthday?			_
Where	are	you from?			

Now make your own questions using this structure



**ACTIVITY N° 7:** Listen to a conversation and answer the following questions

Alysson:	I am Alysson Guadalupe . Are you Angel Diaz?
Angel:	Yes, I am. Are you American?
Alysson:	Milton is. I am Ecuadorian. Are you from the United States?
Angel:	Yes, I am. Milton, Where are you from?
Milton:	I am from Newark, New Jersey.
Angel:	Is Newark a Big city?
Milton:	Yes, it is a big city. How about you Angel? Where are you from?
Angel:	I am from New York city, Actually I am from the Bronx.
Alysson:	What is New York city like?
Angel:	It's a big city, the people are friendly. I love it.
Alysson:	That is interesting.
Angel:	and what is your profession?
Milton:	I am a student. She is an actress in Ecuador.

## **Comprehension Check**

Where is Alysson From?Where is Milton From?Is Angel English?What is New York like?Is Newark a small city?What are their professions?What city is Angel from?

# UNIT II: Where do you Work?



Concept: To talk about daily routines, activities in a regular basis.

Characteristic: The students will learn to talk about their work activities

Resource: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

**Evaluation:** The evaluation will be written, and spoken

## **ACTIVITY N° 1:** Read the conversation between 2 people



Jeremy:	Hi, Danna Do you remember me?
Danna:	Yes, I do. How are you?
Jeremy:	I am fine, thank you.
Danna:	And Jeremy tell me Where do you work?
Jeremy:	I have my own office, I am a lawyer.
Danna:	Wow! That is great, good for you.

**ACTIVITY**  $N^{\circ}$  **2:** Read the conversation with a partner and check for new vocabulary.

**ACTIVITY N° 3:** Follow the teacher while reading the sentences and identify the Vocabulary Given with your teacher, based on the content

Sentence	Meaning
I work at the Unach.	Work:
I study Engineering.	Study:
I live in Riobamba.	live
I like pizza.	like
I love to play Basketaball.	love to play
I dance Bachata.	Dance
I listen to music everyday.	listen

**ACTIVITY N° 4:** Listen to the teacher give another sentences identity the meaning of each verb.

Be	have	Do	say	get	make
go	know	Take	see	come	think
look	want	Give	use	find	try

#### ACTIVITY N° 5: Grammar

1. Subjects like: I, You, We, They

are use with the verb in the basic form

I play soccer You play soccer We play soccer They play soccer

2. When you talk about a 3<sup>rd</sup> person: He, She, It, you have to add s or es

He plays soccer She plays soccer It plays soccer

3. Most of the verbs you have to add s

I run He runs you speak He speaks We sing She sings They live She lives

4. You have to add **es** when the verbs end in: ss, ch, sh, o, x Add es

Examples: Note the s or es in every sentence

I kiss	She kisses
You watch	She watches
They wash	It washes
You go	He goes
They fix	It fixes

Actividad N° 6: Add s or es to the following verbs

He speak	she stud	It work
He work	He play	Danna live
My sister watch	He swim	Matthew go

**ACTIVITY N° 7:** Make sentences with the Structure given

Subject + verb + Complement

**ACTIVITY**  $N^{\circ}$  8: Listen to the teacher make a description of himself, and write down what he says.

ACTIVITY N° 9: Prepare a description of yourself to be presented to your classmates.

#### ACTIVITY N° 10: Questions Explanation

#### In order to make a Yes, No question, all you need to add is Do or Does

Do I	Does he
Do you	Does she
Do we	Does it
Do they	

#### Read the following sentences and see how they change into a question

I speak English	Do I speak English?
You speak English	Do you speak English?
They speak English	Do they speak English?
We speak English	Do we speak English?

# In the following examples you will notice the S in the sentence but not in the question. Since you have <u>Does</u> in the question, you don't need <u>s</u> in the verb.

He speaks English	Does he speak English?
She speaks English	Does she speak English?
It speaks English	Does it speak English?

#### ACTIVITY N° 11: Complete the following examples with Do or Does

you like to study?
your parents like to travel?

- \_\_\_\_\_ Luis have my keys?
- \_\_\_\_\_ she like cats?
- \_\_\_\_\_ I have to go to school?

\_\_\_\_\_ he work everyday?

- \_\_\_\_\_ they study here at the Unach?
- \_\_\_\_\_we have an English Teacher?
- \_\_\_\_\_ they play Soccer?
- \_\_\_\_\_ you Speak English?

## **ACTIVITY N° 12:** Now give some Examples Using the Question structure given.

Do / Does + Subject + Verb + Complement

# ACTIVITY $N^{\circ}$ 13: Answer the question

Keep in Mind that the short answer to these questions "Never Change"

Do I have a good grade?	Yes, you do	No, you don't.
Do you have a good grade?	Yes, I do	No, I don't
Do we have a good grade?	Yes, we do	No, we don't
Do they have a good grade?	Yes, they do	No, they don't
Does she have a good grade?	Yes, she does	No, She don't
Does he have a good grade?	Yes, he does	No, he don't
Does it have a good grade?	Yes, it does	No, it doesn't

## ACTIVITY N° 14: Conversation

Perform a round of questions with your teacher and classmates.

**ACTIVITY**  $N^{\circ}$  **15:** In order to make an interrogative questions you have to add a whquestion at the beginning of the question.

Do you play soccer? Where Do you play soccer? Yes, I do I play soccer in the park.

#### Complete the following questions with a WH-question

1. \_\_\_\_\_ do you live?

I live in Riobamba

- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ do you wake?
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ do you take English Class?
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ do I cook rice?
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ do you study?
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ do I get to the Unach?

I wake up at 6:00 am I take English Class at the Unach You need to add a cup of water. Because I want to be successful. You can take line 14.

# Now make your own questions using the structure given.

Wh question + do/does + subject + verb + Complement.

## UNIT III: What is Riobamba Like?



**Concept:** Describe the city attractions and compare them to other from the country.

**Characteristics:** The students will learn to describe the city and talk about places to visit using modals.

Resources: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

Evaluation: The evaluation will be written, and spoken

ACTIVITY N° 1: Listen to a dialogue between Guillermo and Sonia.

Guillermo:	Hi Sonia How are you?
Sonia:	I'm great Thank you.
Guillermo.	So, Sonia tell me, where are you from?
Sonia:	I am from Riobamba
Guillermo:	What is Riobamba Like?
Sonia:	Riobamba is a small city in Ecuador. It is really nice, clean and
	Safe. I love to live there.
<b>Guillermo</b> :	What can I do in Riobamba?
Sonia:	Well, you can climb the Chimborazo. Is the highest Snow
	Mountain in The world.
<b>Guillermo</b> :	Is it bigger than Everest?
Sonia:	Yes, it is.
<b>Guillermo</b> :	What else can I do?
Sonia:	Well, I think that you should definitively visit Guano. It's a really nice
	place to visit, and try the famous "cholas" from Guano.

Activ ACTIVITY idad N° 2: Answer the following questions related to the dialogue.

What does Sonia say about Riobamba? What is there to see in Riobamba?

ACTIVITY N° 3: Discuss with your teacher. What is Riobamba like? Riobamba is...... Riobamba has.....

Size:	Big, Small, large, Huge, Gigantic,
Weather Condition:	hot, cold, warm, sunny, rainy, cloudy, and snowy
View:	beautiful, ugly, clean, dirty
Price:	cheap, expensive, and reasonable
Style:	modern, ancient, new, old
People:	friendly, nice, boring, rude,
Nightlife:	boring, exciting, quiet, loud

#### ACTIVITY N° 3: Grammar

By using the comparative structures you can talk about differences about people, animals, places and items, but there are some rules you must follow.

#### Comparative

#### Rule 1

Simply add –er Examples: smart = smarter young = younger fast = faster

#### Rule 2:

If the adjective has a CVC pattern, double the consonant and add -er. Examples: wet = wetter big = bigger sad = sadder

#### Superlative

Use THE and add –est Examples: smart = the smartest young = the youngest fast = the fastest

> If the adjective has a CVC pattern, double the consonant and add est . Examples: wet = the wettest big = the biggest sad = the saddest

#### Rule 3:

Change the Y to I and add -er Examples: pretty = prettier happy = happier busy = busier Change the Y to I and add -est Examples: pretty = the prettiest happy = the happiest busy= the busiest

Rule 4: Adjectives or adverbs with two or more syllables

Use MORE	Use the most
Examples:	Examples:
famous = more famous	famous = the most famous
interesting = more interesting	interesting = the most interesting
carefully = more carefully	carefully = the most carefully

**Rule 5:** These are the irregular words.

good = better bad = worse far = farther (further) well = better badly = worse good = the best bad = the worst far = the farthest (the furthest) well = the best badly = the worst

#### little = less

#### little = the least

Subject +	verb +	comparative (adj) + than	ı + Subje	ect (object).
Luis	is	taller	than	Matthew
A Lion	runs	faster	than	a dog.
Riobamba	is	more expensive	than	Ambato.

**ACTIVITY N° 4:** Complete the following Example

Use high:	Chimborazo is	than Tungurahua
Use short:	Camilo is	_than Danilo
Use big:	My house is	than yours.
Use pretty:	Danna is	_ than Alysson.
Use good:	Luis is the	_ student in class.

**ACTIVITY N° 5:** Write 10 examples then Read them to the rest of the class.

## Comparative

Subject + verb + comparative (adj) + than + Subject (object).

## Superlative

Subject + verb + comparative (adj) + than + Subject (object).

## ACTIVITY N° 6: Conversation

Listen and practice

Mr Brown:	Hi Angel, How are you?	
Angel:	I'm great Mr Brown.	
Mr Brown:	Are you ready for your Test?	
Angel:	Yes. I am ready.	

Mr Brown:	Ok. First question, What is the Smallest City in the World?
Angel:	mmmm, The Vatican is the smallest city in the world.
Mr Brown:	Which city is larger? Riobamba or Ambato.
Angel:	Riobamba is larger than Ambato.
Mr Brown:	I afraid that is incorrect.
	Ambato is larger than Riobamba.
	Ok next question.
	What is the highest Snow Mountain In Ecuador.
Angel:	mmmm that's easy.
	Chimborazo snow mountain is the highest in Ecuador.
Mr Brown:	Great Answer!.
	I think you might like this last question.
	Ok an easy one.
	Which is the best player of world right now?
Angel:	The best soccer player is Leonel Messi.
Mr Brown:	Yes that is correct.

ACTIVITY N° y 6.1: Comprehension check:

How many questions are correct?

## **ACTIVITY N° 6.2:** Repetition

Now take turns with your teacher and classmates reading the dialogue. Focus on new vocabulary.

## **ACTIVITY N° 7:** Grammar

In order to make questions with comparative and superlatives you need the verb to be

#### In comparative you will need two options in the complement

Wh question (complement) + tobe + Adj (comparative) + Option 1, Option 2

Which city is larger? Riobamba or Ambato.

## In superlative you don't need options.

*Wh question* + *tobe* + *the* + *adj* (*superlative*) + *complement* What is the Smallest City in the World?

## ACTIVITY N°8: Grammar

Make your own questions using the grammar structure given:

Wh question (complement) + verb + Adj (comparative) + Option 1, Option 2

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

	Wh question +	verb +	the + adj (sup	perlative) + con	mplement
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3.					
4.					
5.					

## **ACTIVITY N° 9:** Writing

Write about a place you have visited use: comparatives, superlatives

## UNIT IV: What can I do in Riobamba?



**Concept**: Describe touristic places in the city

**Characteristics**: The students will learn to share their city with the world. But talking about its attractions using modal can and should.

Resources: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

Evaluation: The evaluation will be written, and spoken

# ACTIVITY N° 1: Vocabulary

Give names of places of Ecuador with the Vocabulary.

View:	mountain, valley, hill, forest, canyon, plateau, volcano
Water:	ocean, sea, island, lake, river, waterfall, lagoon, beach, bay, coast
Places:	city, town, village, parrish,
Dry:	desert
Wet:	rainforest, spring, swamp, wood,

Note: To make the plural of these nouns apply the same rules from the verbs (s or es)

Now complete the Examples: then practice with a partner

Give a name of mountain	Give a name of a valley
Give a name of hill	Give a name of a forest
Give a name of a canyon	Give a name of a plateau
Give a name of a volcano	Give a name of an ocean
Give a name of a sea	Give a name of an island
Give a name of a lake	Give a name of a river
Give a name of a waterfall	Give a name of a lagoon
Give a name of a beach	Give a name of a bay
Give a name of a coast	Give a name of a city
Give a name of a town	Give a name of a village
Give a name of a parrish	Give a name of a desert
Give a name of a rainforest	Give a name of a spring
Give a name of a swamp	Give a name of a wood

ACTIVITY N° 2: Grammar, Modal verbs can and should

**can / can't** ability power should / shouldn't

advice

To make a sentence you need:

subject+ can or should + verb+ complement

You can visit the Chimborazo snow mountain.

You should go to Ecological Park.

#### **2.1 Complete the exercises**

- A: I \_\_\_\_\_\_ decide where to go this summer.
- **B:** You \_\_\_\_\_ go to Galapagos. It is really nice.

You \_\_\_\_\_\_ see the big turtles. They are really beautiful.

- A: Mom! Look I \_\_\_\_\_ drive my bicycle.
- **B:** be careful now, you \_\_\_\_\_\_ slow down a little bit. You \_\_\_\_\_\_ fall down.

2.2 Now make your own examples: affirmative and negative. Use the Structure given.

Subject+ can or should + verb+ complement

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6.		
7.		
8.		
9.		
10.		

#### ACTIVITY N° 3: Questions

First: Start by analyzing the sentence: Is it using can or should.

We **can** visit the Galapagos Islands.

We *should* visit the Galapagos Islands.

**Second**: In order to make a question you need to change the **can** and **should** to the beginning of the sentence. Then answer it.

Can we visit the Galapagos Islands?	Yes, we can	No, we can't
Should we visit the Galapagos Islands?	Yes, we should	No, we shouldn't

**Third**: In order to make a question with WH, just add the Wh question in front of the modal.

Where can I go?	Wh question + can + subject + verb?
Where should I go?	Wh question + should + subject + verb?

#### 3.1 Complete the exercises by using: can, can't, should, shouldn't

A: \_\_\_\_\_ I rent a car in Galapagos.

B: Yes, you \_\_\_\_\_ but I think you \_\_\_\_\_ definitely use a taxi. It is cheaper.

A: I don't know where to go this summer. What do you recommend?

- B: Well you \_\_\_\_\_ go to USA. You \_\_\_\_\_ visit New York City and the Statue of Liberty.
- A: What \_\_\_\_\_ I see from the Statue of Liberty?
- B: Well you \_\_\_\_\_ see all of New York.
- A: Ok sounds great. It seems like I am going to New York city.
- B: and you\_\_\_\_ miss to go to the Bronx Zoo. It's amazing. I am planning to go to Bogota next month. When do you think I \_\_\_\_\_ go.

- A: Where \_\_\_\_\_ I eat the Famous Hornado from Riobamba.
- B: you should go to the Merced.I am going to Mexico. What should I see there?You \_\_\_\_\_\_ visit the Palace of Fine Arts.

3.2 Now practice with a partner. Take turns.

**ACTIVITY N° 4:** What can I do there?

Conversartion: listen and practice



Luzkarime:	Riobamba is a really nice and beautiful city.
Luis:	Tell me about it!
	I am Riobambeño.
	I love my city.
	There are a lot of things you can do.
Luzkarime:	So tell me What can I do?
Luis:	well you can visit "La Merced" they serve the best Hornado in the city.
Luzkarime:	You can also go to Ecological Park. it is really beautiful, you can enjoy nature and spend a good time with your family.
Luzkarime:	What else should I do?
Luis:	You should definitively visit Guano, and try its famous Cholas.
	They are really delicious.
Luzkarime:	Great thanks!
	Sound like a lot of fun.
Luis:	it is, you are welcome

#### ACTIVITY N° 4.1: Read and Practice

ACTIVITY N° 4.2: Comprehension check: Answer the following questions.

Where is Luis from? What is Riobamba Like? What can I visit in Riobamba? What park should I visit? What can you do in Ecological Park? What is Ecological Park like? What can I try in Guano?

#### ACTIVITY N° 4.3: Repetition

Now take turns with your teacher and classmates reading the dialogue. Focus on new vocabulary.

## **ACTIVITY N° 5:** Questions

Make questions for the following answers

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- In Riobamba you can visit the Chimborazo
- Yes, Hornado is a traditional food from Riobamba Yes, I live in Riobamba
- The best time of the year to visit Riobamba is in April
- Yes, you should definitely try Hornado.
- You should stay at Metro Hotel.
- Riobamba is a beautiful city.

#### **UNIT 5: What are you doing?**



**Concept:** Mainly used to express the idea that something is happening at the moment of speaking

**Characteristics:** The students will learn to describe activities that are happening at the moment.

Resources: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

Evaluation: The evaluation will be written, and spoken

## ACTIVITY N° 1: Vocabulary

## ACTIVITY N° 1.1 What is the teacher doing?

Singing, talking, typing, jumping

ACTIVITY  $N^{\circ}$  1.2 Listen to the teacher give some sentences, complete in the gaps with the missing word.

You are going to use: writing, cooking, raining, playing, reading, laughing, working, watching, painting, teaching, wearing, swimming

My father is	rigł	nt now.		
Juan is	soccer.	My wife is _		lunch.
My son is	a book			
Danna is	a po	em.		
My brother is _	out	loud.		
It is	cats and dogs	5.		
Leo is	the wall. I	Pedro is	in	the lake.
The teacher is		_ a white jacke	et.	
I am	English.	I am	TV.	

ACTIVITY N° 1.3 Imagine someone in your family now, what do you think they are doing?

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.

## ACTIVITY N° 2: Conversation

Listen and practice



- A: Hi darling?
- **B:** Hi sweety?
- A: What the kids doing?
- **B:** Well, Lenny is watching Tv in her room. I am cleaning the house.
- **A:** What about Danna?
- **B:** She is taking a shower.
- A: and What are you cooking? It smells good.
- **B:** I am cooking some spaghetti.

## ACTIVITY N° 3: Grammar

In order to make sentences using present progressive you will need the verb to be + a verb in (ing)

I am working	He is working	They are working
I am not working	He is not working	They are not working.

There are some rules to be followed to change verbs into progressive these are:

#### Rule 1: Add ing to most of the verbs

Verb	Verb (ing)
work	working
play	playing
watch	watching
## Rule 2: Verbs ending in e

Change e for ing

Verb	Verb (ing)
delete	deleting
compete	competing

## Rule 3: Verbs ending in ie change

ie for y and add ing

Verb	Verb (ing)
Die	dying
Lie	lying

## Rule 4: Verbs ending in CVC

Double the last consonant

Verb	Verb (ing)
Run	running
Stop	stopping

## Rule 5. Verbs ending in CVC

They don't change because the stress is in the first vowel

Verb	Verb (ing)
H <u>a</u> ppen	Happening
<u>O</u> pen	Opening

**ACTIVITY N° 4:** Complete the following statements

Listen to your teacher and fill in the blanks with the verbs given, then practice reading them.

Eating, going, wearing, watching, cutting, running, cooking, doing, holding,

#### Subject + tobe + verb (ing) + complement

Juan is	_ pizza.	Marco is	S	a marathon.	I am	to class.	
I am Homework.	_ tv rig	ht now.	My mom	is	_ now.	I am	_my
Angel and Jose _	1	holding a	cup on their	r hands. Liz is		a hat.	

ACTIVITY N° 5: Make your own examples and read them to your classmates.

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## ACTIVITY N° 6: Grammar

In order to make a question using present progressive, lets first focus on the sentence.

I am speaking slow.

You are working hard.

He is working at the Unach.

In order to make a question move the verb to be to the beginning of the sentence then add the question mark.

Am I speaking slow?	Yes, you are	No you aren't
Are you working hard?	Yes, I am	No, I am not
Is he working at the Unach?	Yes, she is	No, she isn't

In order to make an interrogative question, you need a wh question before the verb to be.

Wh question + tobe + subject + verb (ing) + complement?

What are you doing?	I am
Where is he going?	He is
Why are you studying?	Because I am

ACTIVITY N° 7: Complete the following examples

working, studying, coming, doing, talking

What company are you \_\_\_\_\_\_ for?

What university are they \_\_\_\_\_in?

Who are you \_\_\_\_\_ to?

What time are your friends \_\_\_\_\_?

What homework are you \_\_\_\_\_ now?

#### 7.1. Make your own question, and share with the classroom.

Wh question + tobe + subject + verb (ing) + complement

1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.

#### ACTIVITY N° 8: Conversation.



Luis: Hi my friend how are you today?

**Danna**: I am fine and you?

Luis: me too. Tell me. What are you doing?

Danna: I am watching Tv? And eating snacks, and you?

Luis: I am listening to music

**Danna**: What are you listening to?

Luis: I am listening to Romeo Santos.

Danna: Great! What else are you doing?

Luis: I am helping my brother with his homework.

**Danna**: Is he doing Math?

Luis: No, He is doing English Homework. I wanted to go out with my brother, but is raining very hard.

- **Danna**: Here is not raining yet. Ok so I let you, Good luck helping your brother with his homework.
- Luis: I know, is going to be a long night.

ACTIVITY N° 9: Comprehension Check

What is Danna doing?	Who is Luis Listening to?	Is his brother doing math?
What is Danna eating?	Who is Luis helping?	Is it raining?
What is Luis doing?		What is his brother doing?

# ACTIVITY N° 10: Writing

Make a phone conversation using present progressive

# UNIT VI: What did you do on Saturday?



Concept: To describe events in the past.

Characteristics: The students will learn to describe events that took place in the past.

Resources: Tactual Pictures, Computer, Recorder, Wh questions Board

Evaluation: The evaluation will be written, and spoken

## **ACTIVITY N° 1:** Vocabulary

Listen to the teacher talk about what he did on Saturday, cross out the verbs that you hear.

Yesterday I went.....

Went-	built	began	caug	ht	ate	visited a	rrive	d	
Played	l swam	drank		dance	dfound	forgo	t	heard	
Made	got		paid		spoke	S	tood	slept	wore
saw	bought unde	erstood	won	told	ran	W	valke	d	

**ACTIVITY N° 1.1:** Identify the Regular and Irregular verbs

Regular verbs: are those verbs that have <u>ed</u> at the end.

Irregular verbs: are those that have another form in the past.

ACTIVITY N° 2: Grammar

Rule 1. To make sentences in past simple you need the following structure

## Subject + verb (past simple) + Complement

Ι	played	soccer	yesterday.
Не	played	soccer	yesterday.
We	played	soccer	yesterday.

#### Note: In past simple you don't need to add s or es.

Rule 2: To make a negative statement you need didn't + verb in present

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Subject + didn't + verb (present) + Complement
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Ι	didn't	play	soccer	yesterday.
Не	didn't	play	soccer	yesterday.
We	didn't	play	soccer	yesterday.

ACTIVITY N° 2.1: Make your own examples. Share them with your partner.

Subject + verb (past simple) + Complement



#### ACTIVITY N° 3: Complete the exercises

Last year I (go) \_\_\_\_\_\_ to Baños. It (be) \_\_\_\_\_ fantastic.

I (visit) \_\_\_\_\_ lots of interesting places. I (go) \_\_\_\_\_ with my friends.

In the morning we (walk) \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the church. In the evening we (visit) \_\_\_\_\_ the zoo.

The weather (is) \_\_\_\_\_ great. It didn't (rain) \_\_\_\_\_ all day. I (have) \_\_\_\_\_ a great time in Baños.

#### Act ACTIVITY N° ividad 4: Conversation

Listen, read and practice

Alysson: What did you do yesterday?

Danna:	I went to Baños	
Alysson:	Who did you go with?	
Danna:	I went with my parents	
Alysson:	How many days did you stay there?	
Danna:	We stood there 2 days.	
Alysson:	Did you go to the waterfall?	
Danna:	Yes, I did. It was beautiful.	
Alysson:	Was it sunny?	
Danna:	yes, It was sunny all day long.	
Alysson:	Did you try the Cañas?	
Danna:	yes, they were delicious.	
Alysson:	So you had a lot of fun.	
Danna:	A lot of fun.	

## ACTIVITY N° 5: Questions

**Rule 1:** Do and Does become Did in past to make questions. But with Did the verbs goes in present.

#### Did + subject + verb + complement

I went to Quito	Did I go to Quito?	Yes, you did	No, you didn't
You went to Quito	Did you go to Quito?	Yes, you did	No, you didn't
He went to Quito	Did he go to Quito?	Yes, you did	No, you didn't
We went to Quito	Did we go to Quito?	Yes, you did	No, you didn't

Rule 2: In order to make an information question just add a WH question in the front.
Wh question + did + subject + verb (present) + Complement

Where	did	you	live?	I lived in Riobamba
What time	did	you	wake up?	I woke up at 6:20 am

Note: The question has the verb in present but the answer has the verb in past.

Rule 3: the verb to be in present am, is, are while in past is only was and were

I am late	I was late
He is late	He was late
They are late	They were late.

Rule 4. To make a question with "be" in past change the verb to be to the front.

I was late.	Was I late?	Yes, you were	No you weren't
You were late.	Were you late?	Yes, I was	No, I wasn't
He was late.	Was he late?	Yes, you were	No, you weren't
They were late.	Were they late?	Yes, he was	No, he wasn't

ACTIVITY N° 5

Victor:	Hi John how are you?
John:	I am great how about you?
Victor:	I am fine. I heard that you speak English very well. Where did you learn?
John:	I learned English at the Unach. I studied there for about 4 years. My classes
	were great.
Victor:	Who was your English Teacher.
John:	My teacher was Mr. Bravo. He is a great teacher.
John:	Was he your teacher from 1 <sup>st</sup> to 6 <sup>th</sup> level?
Victor:	yes, he was.
John:	Did you use any book?
Victor:	No, we didn't. He had his own method.
Victor:	Did he teach you everything you know?
John:	yes, he did. Like I said, he is a great teacher.

ACTIVITY  $N^\circ$  5.1. Practice the reading with a partner

# ACTIVITY $N^{\circ}$ 5.2. Comprehension check: Answer the following questions.

Where did John Study?	How many years did he study?	How were his classes like?
Who was his English teacher?	Was his teacher Mr. Brown?	Did he use a textbook to study?

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