



C1 Report Writing - Woodstock 99

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes

British English Academy

Introduction:

In this lesson students will learn how to write a report for the C1 Cambridge exam. This lesson plan can be used to introduce the report to students who are unfamiliar, or just as further practice for those who have already come across this type of task.

Includes:

- Powerpoint presentation
- Video

Class plan (1 hour 30 minutes):

1. Open the class by introducing what a report is and its requirements, with the help of the presentation. Show the students the example of the structure.

2. Get the students to look through that slide full of useful expressions suitable for a report. There are six nonsense sentences here and the students must find each one. Once the nonsense sentences have been found, the students must decide if the remaining structures would be most suitable for the introduction, main body, or the conclusion.

3. With the help of the next slides, introduce the Woodstock festival, and the subsequent Woodstock 99 festival.

4. Watch the documentary (10 minutes) and fill in the table about the achievements and failures of the festival. Open up a class or group discussions about what they found.

5. The student will pick one aspect of the festival e.g the music, and practice writing a paragraph in the style of a report, using the notes from the documentary and the structures from the previous slide.

6. Once a few students have shared their work, move on to the penultimate slide where they can practice writing recommendations with some of the example structures.

7. Final check of understanding. Show the homework task.