

How images extend the meaning of a text

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Learning intention

- identify how images extend the meaning of a text

Teach and model

- recognising how the relationship between characters can be depicted in images through the positioning of the characters; for example, facing each other or facing away...
- recognising how images construct a relationship with the viewer through direct gaze into the viewer's eyes, inviting involvement, and how close-ups are more...

Check understanding

- Explain the main idea in how images extend the meaning of a text using an example.
- Show the idea in a second way: with words, a model, a diagram or symbols.
- Apply the idea to a short unfamiliar situation and justify the result.

Teaching cautions

- Ask the student to explain their choice, not only state an answer.
- Check that key vocabulary is understood in a new example.
- Mix representations so the skill is transferred rather than copied.

Quick lesson sequence

- Connect to prior knowledge and introduce the key vocabulary.
- Model one clear example, then solve a second example together.
- Finish with an independent check and a short student explanation.