** LESSON PLAN (PILOTED 2022)**

**Candidate’s name:**

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| Grade/Class/Subject: | Grade 4/5, Language Arts/ Art | School: | Sacred Heart |
| Date: |  | Allotted Time: | 30min |
| Topic/Title: | The Walrus and the Caribou II |

1. **LESSON ORIENTATION**

**Key resources:** [Instructional Design Map](https://www.dropbox.com/s/g7l0nd7jah1o927/InstructionalDesignMap.pdf?dl=0)

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| *Briefly, describe purpose of lesson, and anything else to note about the context of lesson, students, or class, e.g. emergent learning needs being met at this time, elements of focus or emphasis, special occasions or school events.* |
| To creatively engage with the story “The Walrus and the Caribou” by Maika Harper and recognize the value of Indigenous centered stories. |

1. **CORE COMPETENCIES**

**Key resources:** <https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/competencies>

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| **Core /Sub-Core Competencies** *(check all that apply):* | *Describe briefly how you intend to embed Core Competencies in your lesson, or the role that they have in your lesson.* |
| [ ]  COMMUNICATION – Communicating[ ]  COMMUNICATION – Collaborating [x]  THINKING – Creative Thinking[ ]  THINKING – Critical Thinking[ ]  THINKING – Reflective Thinking[ ]  PERSONAL AND SOCIAL – Personal Awareness and Responsibility[ ]  PERSONAL AND SOCIAL – Positive Personal and Cultural Identity [ ]  PERSONAL AND SOCIAL – Social Awareness and Responsibility | Creating and innovating* I can use my imagination to get new ideas of my own, or build on other’s ideas, or combine other people’s ideas in new ways.

Students build on the creative ideas encouraged by the story “The Walrus and the Caribou” and use their imagination to create a creature they can write about. |

1. **INDIGENOUS WORLDVIEWS AND PERSPECTIVES**

**Key resources:** First Peoples Principles of Learning (FPPL); [Aboriginal Worldviews and Perspectives in the Classroom](https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/education/administration/kindergarten-to-grade-12/indigenous-education/awp_moving_forward.pdf)

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| **FPPL to be included in this lesson** *(check all that apply):* | *How will you embed Indigenous worldviews, perspectives, or FPPL in the lesson?* |
| *[ ]* Learning ultimately supports the well-being of the self, the family, the community, the land, the spirits, and the ancestors. [ ]  Learning is holistic, reflexive, reflective, experiential, and relational (focused on connectedness, on reciprocal relationships, and a sense of place). [ ]  Learning involves recognizing the consequences of one's actions.[ ]  Learning involves generational roles and responsibilities.[x]  Learning recognizes the role of Indigenous knowledge.[ ]  Learning is embedded in memory, history, and story.[ ]  Learning involves patience and time. [ ]  Learning requires exploration of one's identity.[ ]  Learning involves recognizing that some knowledge is sacred and only shared with permission and/or in certain situations. |  This lesson recognizes the role of Indigenous knowledge specifically by using this particular story; the story focuses on Indigenous themes and is written by an Indigenous author. Talking about the Inuit culture and how every culture has their own creation stories also recognizes the importance of storytelling which in this case is based on Indigenous knowledge. |

1. **BIG IDEAS**

**Key resources:** <https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/> (choose course under Curriculum, match lesson to one or more Big Ideas)

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| *What are students expected to understand? How is this lesson connected to Big Idea/s or an essential question?* |
| Language and text can be a source of creativity and joy. Essential Question: Can you create your own hybrid animal based on what you learned in the story? |

1. **LEARNING STANDARDS/INTENTIONS**

**Key resources:** <https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/> (choose course under Curriculum)

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| **Curricular Competencies:***What are students expected to do?*  | **Content:***What are students expected to learn?* |
| * Respond to text in personal and creative ways.

Students are expected to actively listen to the story being read and then use that information to create their own hybrid animal. | - Story/ Text: literary elements- Strategies and processes: metacognitive strategiesStudents are expected to learn that they can use the information they learn through storytelling to make something creative. |

1. **ASSESSMENT PLAN**

**Key resources:** [Instructional Design Map](https://www.dropbox.com/s/g7l0nd7jah1o927/InstructionalDesignMap.pdf?dl=0) and<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/classroom-assessment>

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| *How will students demonstrate their learning or achieve the learning intentions? How will they know if they are proficient? How will the evidence be collected, documented and shared? Mention any opportunities for feedback, self-assessment, peer assessment and teacher assessment. What tools, structures, or rubrics will you use to assess student learning (e.g. Performance Standard Quick Scale)? Will the assessments be* ***formative****,* ***summative****, or both?* |
| Students will demonstrate their learning by creating a hybrid creature and writing about it; students will know they are proficient when they create their creature and can identify one feature to write about. Evidence will be documented through a worksheet that students can draw and write their creature on. Students have the opportunity for feedback as the teacher circulates the room, and they will receive assessment after completing the worksheet. For this particular portion of the lesson students will be assessed based on the description and story relating to their creature: finishing the first portion describing the creature and the story relating to the creature MIN 2 sentences and MAX 4 sentences. This assessment will be summative. |

1. **DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS**

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| *Make brief notes to indicate how the lesson will meet needs of your students for: differentiation, especially for known exceptionalities, learning differences or barriers, and language abilities; inclusion of diverse needs, interests, cultural safety and relevance; higher order thinking; motivations and specific adaptations or modifications for identified students or behavioural challenges. Mention any other design notes of importance, e.g. cross-curricular connections, organization or management strategies you plan to use, extensions for students that need or want a challenge.* |
|  All Students: must create a creature and write at least 2 things about it.Most Students: can create a create a creature and write a short story at the endSome Students: could create a detailed creature and complete the worksheet with a detailed story. EA’s can help students with the writing portion; correcting spelling or giving ideas on what to write in the story.  |
| **Required preparation:** *Mention briefly the resources, material, or technology you need to have ready, or special tasks to do before the lesson starts, e.g. rearrange desks, book a room or equipment.* |
| * Book
* Worksheet
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1. **LESSON OUTLINE**

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| **Instructional Steps** | **Student Does/Teacher Does** *(learning activities to target learning intentions)* | **Pacing** |
| **OPENING:***e.g. greeting students, sharing intentions, look back at what was learned, look ahead to what will be learning, use of a hook, motivator, or other introduction to engage students and activate thinking and prior knowledge* | Begin by reviewing the book read last class and what were the defining characteristics of the story. | 5min |
| **BODY:*** *Best order of activities to maximize learning -- each task moves students towards learning intentions*
* *Students are interacting with new ideas, actively constructing knowledge and understanding, and given opportunities to practice, apply, or share learning, ask questions and get feedback*
* *Teacher uses learning resources and strategic opportunities for guided practice, direct instruction, and/or modelling*
* *Can include: transitions, sample questions, student choices, assessment notes (formative or otherwise), and other applications of design considerations*
 | Give students criteria for success before beginning. Give students time to begin or finish answering questions based on their creation. 1. What two animals create your hybrid?
2. What does this animal eat? Diet
3. Where does this animal sleep? Shelter
4. Is this animal predator or prey?
5. Where does this animal live? Climate
6. Write a short story (4 sentences max) about what you would do if you met this animal?

Once students are finished if time permits give students time to present their animal to the rest of the class. If students are fully engaged with the writing portion of this lesson presentation is not necessary for this lesson to succeed.  | 15min10min |
| **CLOSING:*** *Closure tasks or plans to gather, solidify, deepen or reflect on the learning*
* *review or summary if applicable*
* *anticipate what’s next in learning*
* *“housekeeping” items (e.g. due dates, next day requirements*
 | Wrap up by collecting students work and assigning worksheet for homework if they have not finished their story. | 2min |

1. **REFLECTION** *(anticipate if possible)*

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| * *Did any reflection in learning occur, e.g. that shifted the lesson in progress?*
* *What went well in the lesson (reflection on learning)?*
* *What would you revise if you taught the lesson again?*
* *How do the lesson and learners inform you about necessary next steps?*
* *Comment on any ways you modelled and acted within the Professional Standards of BC Educators and BCTF Code of Ethics?*
* *If this lesson is being observed, do you have a specific observation focus in mind?*
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