Activities

Course from the Box

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Dictogloss procedure

- •Read a short, dense text (twice) to the students at NORMAL speed
- •As it is being read, the students work individually to jot down familiar words and phrases (prominent words)
- •The students work in pairs to reconstruct a version of the text from their shared resources.
- •In larger groups students compare their versions of the text and negotiating changes. The students aim at grammatical accuracy and cohesion, but NOT at replicating the original text.
- •The students compare their version with the original.
- •The versions are analysed, the students refine their own texts.

Task

Record a message to a friend / colleague in which you will:

- explain what *Course from the Box* is
- -give details about content
- -say whether the course is productive and why

How is poetry different from prose?



Poetry Vocabulary - get together

- •Learn
- Match
- Gravity

Activities

- Dictogloss
- Voice recording in the classroom
- Quizlet
- Kahoot
- Word search
- Onion rings (optional)

What are your questions?