**7-Step Lesson Plan Template**

**Teacher:**

**Subject:**

**Grade Level:**

**Time Duration:**

**Objective:**

**Overview:**

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| **Step** | **Description** |
| **1) Anticipatory Set (focus)** | A short activity or prompt that focuses the students' attention before the actual lesson begins. Used when students enter the room or in a transition. A hand-out given to students at the door, review question written on the board, "two problems" on the overhead are examples of AS. |
| **2) Purpose (objective)** | The purpose of today's lesson, why the students need to learn it, what they will be able to "do", and how they will show learning as a result are made clear by the teacher. |
| **3) Input** | The vocabulary, skills, and concepts the teacher will impart to the students - the "stuff" the kids need to know in order to be successful. |
| **4) Modeling (show)** | The teacher shows in graphic form or demonstrates what the finished product looks like - a picture worth a thousand words. |
| **5) Guided Practice (follow me)** | The teacher leads the students through the steps necessary to perform the skill using the tri-modal approach - hear/see/do. |
| **6) Checking For Understanding (CFU)** | The teacher uses a variety of questioning strategies to determine "Got it yet?" and to pace the lesson - move forward?/back up? |
| **7) Independent Practice** | The teacher releases students to practice on their own based on #3-#6. |