# Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL): How to Make it Happen (1)

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# Today's Agenda

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- Part 1: What is CLIL?
  - Why Bilingual? Why CLIL?
  - CLIL KWL Discussion
  - CLIL Basics Overview
  - Discussion-Challenges of CLIL
  - Review sample CLIL activities and materials
- Break (10 min)
- Part 2: Workshop-Planning CLIL goals and activities
  - Group Project
  - Sharing
  - Exit Ticket-Surveys

# Part 1:

# An Introduction to CLIL

# Who are we? Why are we here?



# Introduce yourself and why you are here.

- Danielle Little
- Kelly Lin
- Now it's your turn!

## Why Bilingual Education? Why CLIL?

- "Blueprint for Developing Taiwan into a Bilingual Nation by 2030" (2018)
- "Goals of strengthening students' ability on daily practices in English and their competitiveness in future workplaces" (MOE)
- CLIL is a flexible approach to bilingual education

# What is **CLIL**?

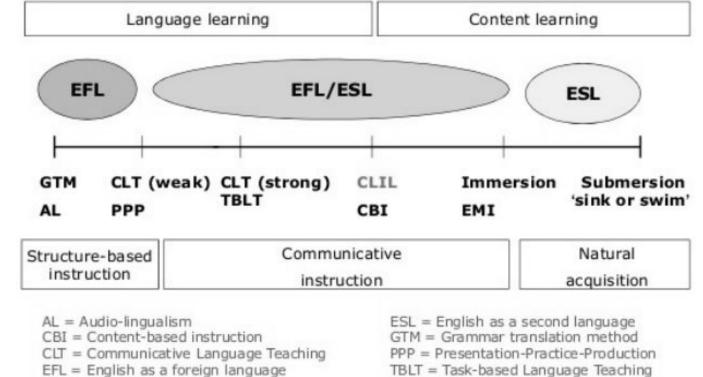
**Content** and **Language** Integrated Learning (CLIL) has become the umbrella term describing both learning another (content) subject such as physics or geography through the medium of a foreign language and learning a foreign language by studying a content-based subject.

#### Source:

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/content-language-inte grated-learning



### **CLIL in ELT methodologies**



TBLT = Task-based Language Teaching

EMI = English medium instruction

(池田 2012)

Soft CLIL	Type of CLIL	Time	Context
	Language-led	45 minutes once a week	Some curricular topics are taught during a language course.
	Subject-led (modular)	15 hours during one term	Schools or teachers choose parts of the subject syllabus which they teach in the target language.
Hard CLIL	Subject-led (partial immersion)	about 50% of the curriculum	About half of the curriculum is taught in the target language. The content can reflect what is taught in the L1 curriculum or can be new content.

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# KWL Directions:

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- 1. Divide into groups.
- 2. Choose your jobs.
- 3. Discuss questions from **K** and **W**. You may speak in English or Chinese (5 min)
- 4. Write down your Ks and Ws **in English** (10 min).
- 5. Share and discuss with the class (10-15 min).

#### **Team Jobs**

- Leader (Task Manager)
- Scribe (Recorder)
- **Reporter** (Sharer)
- Time-Keeper (Time Checker)
- Other?

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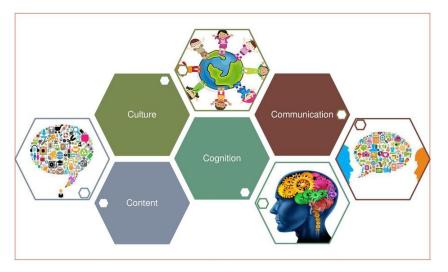
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#### The 4C's of CLIL





- **Content** Progression in knowledge, skills and understanding related to specific elements of a defined curriculum
- **Communication** Using language to learn whilst learning to use language
- **Cognition** Developing thinking skills which link concept formation (abstract and concrete), understanding and language
- **Culture** Exposure to alternative perspectives and shared understandings, which deepen awareness of otherness and self.

Well-designed CLIL provide students with:



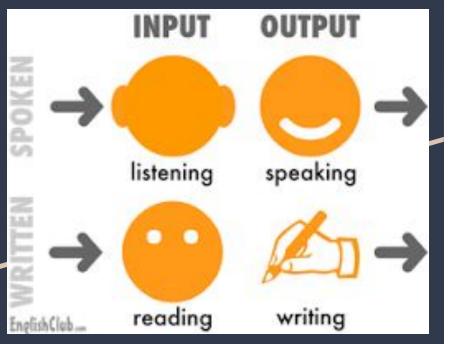
# **Meaningful Content**

# (connects to students)

# **Comprehensible Input**

# ("digestible" for students)

# Approaching Language Skills in a CLIL Class



- **Listening** is a normal input activity, vital for language learning
- Reading, using meaningful material, is the major source of input
- **Speaking** focuses on **fluency**. Accuracy is seen as subordinate
- Writing is a series of lexical activities through which grammar is recycled.
- **Developing Critical Thinking** is also a key component integrated throughout learning opportunities.

# What are the challenges you face with CLIL in your classes?

# CHEMIST CLIL CLASS... WITHOUT SCAFFOLDING

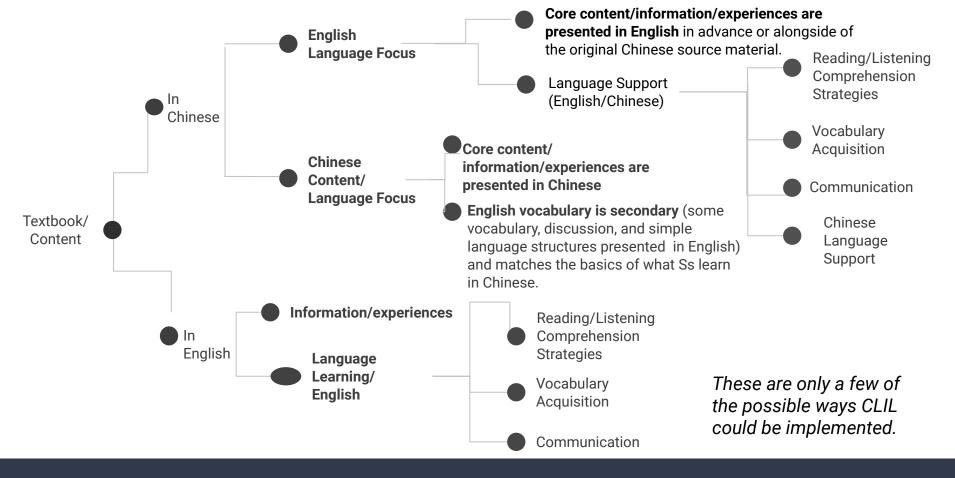
- Language?
  - Textbook
  - Students'
  - Teachers'
- Resources?
- Time?
- Training?

#### Directions

- 1. In a group brainstorm ideas (5 min).
- 2. Make a list (5 min).
- 3. Share with the class.

# What does/will **CLIL** look like in your classroom?





# How does/could CLIL work in your classroom?

# "CLIL Friendly" Activities:



Activities that develop critical thinking and conceptual knowledge while supporting language learning



# Activities for Concept Building

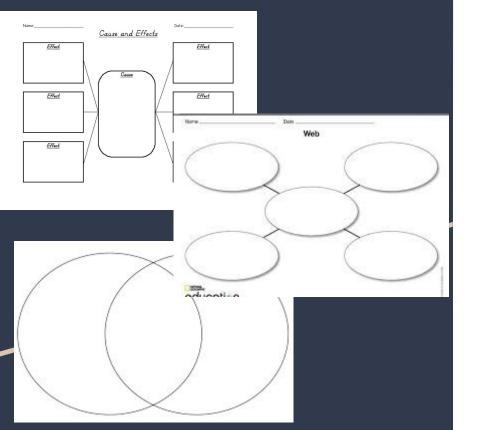


- Experiential/Hands-On Learning
- Videos
- Group Discussion
- Reading
- Graphic Organizers
- Others?

# How do you build conceptual knowledge in your class?

 What would this look like for: Science/Math/Social Studies/ Geography/Life/Health, etc.?

# Information Collection and Organization



#### **Ex: Graphic Organizers**

- Mind Maps
- Labeling/Matching
- Venn Diagrams
- Flow Charts
- KWL
- T Chart (Comparisons)
- Others?

Sample Source Site:

https://www.edhelper.com/te achers/graphic\_organizers.h tm

# Activities for Vocabulary Building

#### Pre-teaching Vocabulary

- $\circ$   $\,$  Notice and Wonder Activities  $\,$
- Checking prior knowledge
- Visual Aids (Videos, Photos, Flashcards, ect.)
- Listen and Repeat Activities

#### Experiential Learning\*

- Learning by doing
- Hands on activities with realia

#### Practice/Reinforcement Games

- Board race, slam, memory, matching, scavenger hunts, cut up words, matching, etc.
- Others?

# Strategies for Negotiating and Sharing Meaningful Learning Experiences

- Introduce Simplified Source Text (Reading): Find or create something that matches the basic content (if original textbook/source is in Chinese)
  - Practice reading comprehension strategies to help digest new information
  - Additional vocabulary support as needed (ex: using context clues)
- Simple question/answer patterns with Repetitive Structures (match with current or previously learned English structures whenever possible)
  - How/What can you/it....? I/It can...
  - I see/I noticed/I think \_\_\_\_\_. because \_\_\_\_\_.

# Strategies for Negotiating and Sharing Meaningful Learning Experiences

- Focus on fluency not accuracy when students speak and share.
- **Create visual supports** (charts, graphic organizers, Powerpoints, or posters with text and images) to support language whenever possible.
- Provide time for discussion and questions and allow use of L1 if needed.
  - Define rationale and specific times/occasions when L1 is used:
    - Ex: "OK, now you may speak in Chinese to talk about this..."
    - Ex: T leads a discussion in L1 for Ss to discuss the concepts then create English together.

# Example CLI Lesson



Step 1: The Textbook/ Original Source Content

# Step 2A: Determining Learning Objectives-Content (Ex: Science/Health)

#### Possible SWBATs (students will be able to):

- Practice making different sounds
- List and discuss sounds they like/don't like.
- Identify and separate the basic parts of the ear; outer, middle, and inner
- Understand and talk about why the ear is important
- Describe how sound is made
- Ear health

# Step 2B: Determining Learning Objectives–Language Targets

Vocabulary:

outer ear, middle ear, inner ear, sounds, vibrations, hear

**Basic Structures:** 

What does your ear do?

The ear helps you hear sounds.

#### **Additional Structures:**

What is/are sound(s) made of?

<u>Sound(s)</u> is/are made of <u>vibrations</u>.

**Linking Structures:** 

I like (the sound of)...

I don't like (the sound of) ...

# Step 3: Experiential Learning- Science Experiments and Videos for Sound/Ear

### 1) Explore and discuss:

- Can you make a sound?
- What sounds can you make?
- What is sound?
- What makes sound?
- How do you hear sounds?
- Can you **feel** sounds?
- Can you **see** sounds?

2) Experiment-How to See Sound:

https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=37csXse35YQ



# Step 4: Concept Introduction

What does your ear do?

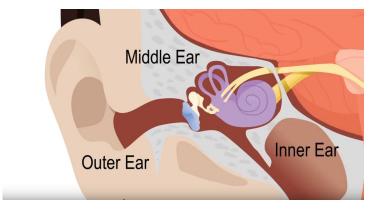
<u>The ear helps you hear</u> sounds\*.

# Sounds <u>are made of</u> vibrations\*.

• SWBAT: Understand and talk about why the ear is important

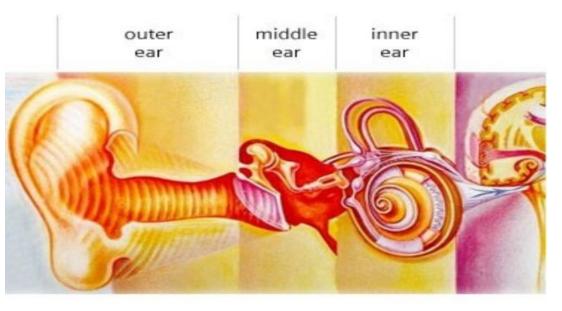
How can you make this information more 'real' for students? What additional support might they need?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RiVx5Lih\_44



# Step 5: Content and Vocabulary Introduction (Adv.)

# Three parts the ear



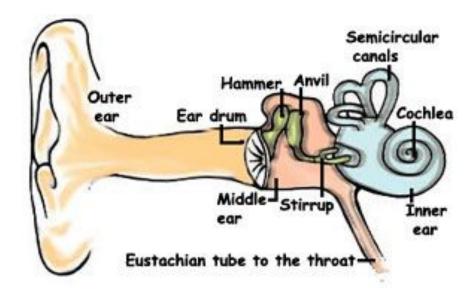
There are three parts to the **ear**.

They are the **outer** ear, the **middle** ear, and the **inner** ear.

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# Vocabulary Introduction (Advanced)



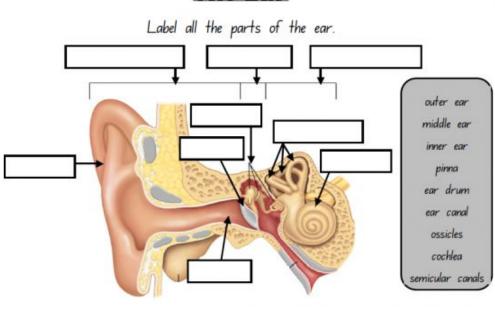


## Step 6 Practice

# SWBAT identify and label parts of the ear.

How could we make this a game or activity?

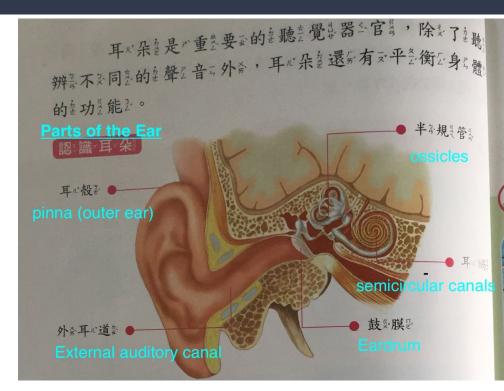
Jeopardy Quiz Game: https://jeopardylabs.com/browse/?q=parts+of+t he+ear+esl&sort\_by=\_score&submit=Search



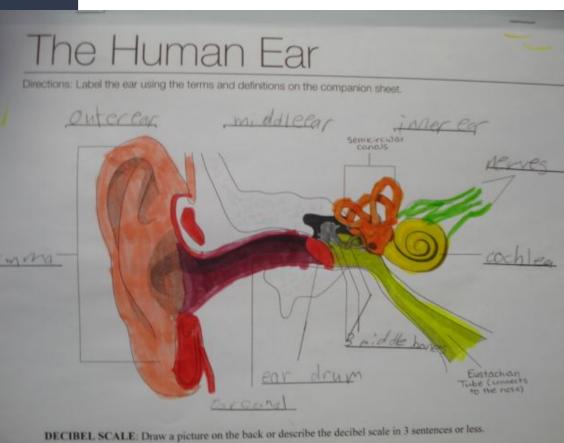
The Ear

# Vocabulary /Assessment (Continued)

- Reinforcement/Checking with the original text
  - Review Discussion
  - Asking questions
- How can we integrate both Chinese and English? Can we check both? Would we want to?
- Are these appropriate targets? Why or why not?



# Step 7–Assessment: Color and label the parts of the ear.



## Ear Health-Sample Simplified Structures

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Don't listen to music that is too loud.

Cover your ears when it is too loud.

Don't dig in your ear!

Let the water run out.

Use a light to get the insect out.

How could we turn this into an assessment or project to demonstrate students' learning?

# Ear Health (Possible Project/Extension)

The ear helps us hear.

Take care of your ears!

How can you keep your ears **healthy**?

How would you help students practice this language?



# ~BREAK~

#### 10 minutes-FREE TIME!



# Part 2:

# Workshop CLIL Activities-Brainstorming and Planning

# Task– Lesson/Curriculum Brainstorming and Sharing

- In groups, choose a topic (or create your own).
- Discuss and brainstorm ideas for how you can CLIL-y teach these topics.Be sure to think cross-curricularly.
- 3. Write down your ideas.
- 4. After 30 min. we will share our ideas with each other.

# WORKSHOP-Lesson and Activity Design

Consider:

- Learning outcomes (SWBATs)
  - Content
  - Language (vocab/structures)
- **Resources and materials** (experiential learning, videos, discussion questions, readings/texts etc.)
- Activities (games, activities, and manipulatives for content and language learning, etc.)
- Assessments:
  - Project/Presentation (Focus on oral language)
  - Paper-based (Focus on written language)

# Group 1-Food

Cross-Curricular:

- Health/Nutrition
- Social Studies
- Math
- Home Economics

- What do you like?/ Do you want some/a....?
- Is (bubble tea) good for you?
- What do they eat in (Morocco) for (breakfast)?
- How does it taste? It tastes (sour).
- I should eat more/less .../You could eat more/less...
- How many calories are in (an apple)?
- What do you need to make dumplings? I need some/a/an/five...

### Group 2-Sports and Leisure

**Cross-Curricular:** 

- Physical Education
- Health
- Social Studies
- Math

- What do you like to do? / Do you like yoga?
- What are your hobbies?/What sports do you like?
- What sports do they play in (Mexico)?
- What do you (usually) do after school?
- How many calories can you burn swimming for 20 min?
- How many hours do you spend (playing on your phone) every day?

# Group 3-Weather

**Cross-Curricular:** 

- Science
- Social Studies
- Math
- Health/Safety

- What's the weather like?
- What's the weather like in (Paris) in the (spring)?
- It's (cold) outside. You should wear (a sweater).
- What's the average temperature in (Taipei) in (July)?
- Does it usually (rain) in Cape Town in (November)?
- How do thunderstorms form?
- What should you do when there is a typhoon?

### Group 4-Animals

**Cross-Curricular:** 

- Science
- Geography
- Social Studies

- What is it? What does it look like?
- It's the largest (wild feline/big cat) in the world.
- Where does it live? It (often) lives in the (jungle).
- What does it eat?/ Is it a predator?
- What can it do? It can (swim) but it can't fly.
- Some people think these animals symbolize courage and strength.

# Group 5-Travel and Transportation

Cross-Curricular:

- Social Studies
- History
- Science/Technology
- Geography
- Math

- How do you go to school? I go to school by subway/bus/scooter.
- How far is it from (Taipei) to (Moscow)?
  - What languages do they speak in (the Philippines)?
  - If you go to (Argentina), you should (explore) (Los Glaciares National Park).
  - Past/Present/Future Tenses
    - In the past, people sometimes traveled by horse.
    - Nowadays, people often travel by plane.
    - $\circ$   $\,$  In the future, maybe we will travel in spaceships.

### Group 6-FREE CHOICE

Cross-Curricular: Possible Language Targets:

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# Now it's time to share your thoughts and ideas.





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What do you know (or think you know) about CLIL and bilingual education?	What do you want to know about CLIL and Bilingual Education?	(NOW) What have you learned?

# What's Next?

# What are your goals for the next workshop?

# Where can you start? For next time...

- If you focus on this year:
  - Identify a unit, lesson or project you would like to try with a CLIL approach

#### • If you focus on next year:

- Classroom language to build throughout the year for:
  - Class rules
  - Daily/Classroom Use
  - Group Discussion
- Curriculum Planning
  - Overall goals and objectives
  - Cross-curricular planning and co-teaching opportunities



# ...and feedback, please!

Please complete the following surveys to provide feedback and information for this and future CLIL

# workshops.

1. Post-workshop Survey



2. CILIL Background Survey



#### Resources-Basic

**Basic Information on CLIL :** 

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/content-language-integrated-learning

https://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/clil-a-lesson-framework

http://www.onestopenglish.com/clil/what-is-clil/

http://www.onestopenglish.com/clil/methodology/articles/article-what-is-clil/500453.article

**CLIL Methodology and Training Resources:** 

http://www.onestopenglish.com/clil/methodology/

https://vk.com/doc306830156\_437768376?hash=ed578f384cf459647b&dl=18b767bcc61faa2ef1 (TKT CLIL Module)

#### **Resources**-Continued

#### **Lesson Planning:**

http://www.onestopenglish.com/clil/methodology/articl es/article-planning-clil-lessons/500472.article

https://www.fluentu.com/blog/educator/clil-lesson-plan /

https://www.fluentu.com/blog/educator/clil-worksheets /

CLIL4Children (Vol 1&2)-EU CLIL guidebook/ framework (example units/ materials)

http://www.clil4children.eu/documents-and-media/gui de-addressed-to-teachers-on-how-to-use-clil-method

#### **Graphic Organizers:**

#### http://www.eduplace.com/graphicorganizer/

https://www.edhelper.com/teachers/graphic\_organ izers.htm

http://www.educationoasis.com/printables/graphicorganizers/

JeopardyLabs: https://jeopardylabs.com

#### Games:

https://americanenglish.state.gov/resources/activate-games-learning-american-english