**Guo Hua Lesson Plan: St. Patrick’s Day**

**3/12/2014**

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| **PROCEDURE** | **TIME** | **MATERIALS** |
| **WARM UP*** briefly introduce self, allow students a few minutes to ask any questions of me they might have
* ask if students have heard of/are at all familiar with St. Patrick’s Day/what they know already
 | 5 | power point  |
| **ACTIVITIES*** Review Important Vocabulary
	+ go over some important vocabulary related to the holiday
* Brief History of St. Patrick’s Day
	+ in power point, go through basic history of St. Patrick’s Day
		- * where it comes from, when it’s celebrated, the story behind it, common practices today
			* view minute or two of YouTube video of parade
* “If I had a pot of gold…” Writing Activity
	+ each student will receive a shamrock template
	+ inside the shamrock, they will write and complete the sentence “If I had a pot of gold, I would…” using either their own sentence or the prompts provided by the teacher
	+ once they have written their sentence, they can decorate/color in their shamrock, and then attach it to a green pipe-cleaner (which can then be wrapped around a pencil/chair/etc as decoration!)
* Brainstorming for English Club
	+ have the students take some time to think about what kinds of activities/topics/etc they’d like to see/talk about/do in English Club this semester
 | 101015-20 | power pointshamrock templatepen/pencilgreen pipe cleanersscissorsmarkers/colored pencils |
| **WRAP UP*** in the last few minutes of class, have students share their sentences
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