# Designing World Language Curriculum for Intercultural Competence (Eddy, 2006) UC:ADAPT

## **Articulated Curriculum Unit Abridged Sample**

Program Level Big Idea Health and Wellness

Unit year Theme Healthy choices

#### **Stage 1: What are the Desired Results?**

## **Culture Standard as framer for Intercultural Competence**

Unit Overview	<b>Enduring Understandings</b>	<b>Essential Questions</b>
Using a variety of culturally authentic materials and transfer tasks, students will examine lifestyle choices and healthy initiatives in the target language community.	Health practices and perspectives vary across cultures.	To what extent does our culture and lifestyle influence our diet?
	Healthcare systems vary between countries.  Health depends on many factors, including our diet, culture and lifestyle.	How does the media affect our health and lifestyle?  To what extent does culture inform our health and wellness practices?
	Sociopolitical, media and environmental factors can play a role in healthcare.	How is the individual responsible for their own health and wellbeing?
		How do we talk about our health with others in my family and community?

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Stage 2: Determine Acceptable Evidence: Communication Standard

Assessment	Summative Performance Assessment			
The Good Life! channel is looking for episode content with a focus on healthy lifestyles.	Interpretive (IN)	Interpersonal (IP)	Presentational (PR)	
	Students examine a variety of menus and food commercials and categorize items containing high sugar, salt, fat, and carbohydrates.	With a partner, come to consensus on which food items to include on a diet for people with different health needs and goals.	The Good Life! channel is focusing one week of programming on diabetes and needs episode content. Create a multimedia presentation outlining healthy lifestyle choices in your community and global initiatives.	

ACTFL/NCSSFL Can-Do(s)	Performance Assessment Student Statements (PASS)	Communicative Mode
I can handle social interactions in everyday situations, sometimes even when there is an	I can categorize food items as healthy or not healthy.	Interpretive reading Interpersonal listening
unexpected complication.  I can understand the main idea in messages and presentations on a variety of topics	I can choose with a partner proper foods depending on someone else's dietary needs.	Interpersonal speaking
related to everyday life and personal interests and studies.	I can make a presentation on a local and global health concern.	Presentational writing Presentational speaking.

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**Stage 3: Learning Experiences and Instruction:** 

# **Connections-Comparisons-Communities Standard**

Formative Assessment CAN Enable Transfer (FACET)  Connections, Comparisons and Communities with the following transfer tasks during the lessons	Mode IN IP PR	Performance Assessment Specific Statements PASS Can-Do's for each task I can	Review (R) same year Spiral (S) previous year New (N) for this unit.  The repertoire of language, culture, content knowledge for the transfer tasks.	Intercultural Transfer Targets I can
Students watch a TL video on three steps to a healthy lifestyle. On a chart, categorize the actions mentioned in the video. Write three questions for a partner.  Using the chart, ask your partner about their lifestyle choices and complete the chart.  Create a <i>voicethread</i> on tips for healthy lifestyle.	IN IP PR	I can create a chart about steps to a healthy lifestyle.  I can ask my partner about their healthy choices.  I can write a script about healthy habits using simple sentences.	Gain or lose weight (N) Exercise (S) Drink water (S) Walk (S) Whole grains (S) Fried (N) Carbohydrates (S)	I can identify some common lifestyle habits in other cultures. I can compare food and lifestyle initiatives from different cultures in the media I can create a multimedia presentation on healthy lifestyle choices from various countries.
Use a Venn Diagram to compare foods served in your school and those seen on the TL website. Write five questions for your partner about food sold in schools and make a list of those foods. Come to consensus with partner on what foods should not be served or sold in the cafeteria. Create a short video or brochure for your community on junk food and healthier choices.	IN IP PR	I can compare cafeteria food choices in the US and the target language country.  I can suggest, agree and disagree when planning school menus.  I can create a presentation on healthy v. junk foods.	Junk food (N) Artificial flavors (N) Salt (S) Fats(R) Fast Food (R) Sugar (S) Dairy products (R) Feel Hungry (N) Feel Full (N)	I can write and speak about healthy food choices for stores in my community.  I can compare food shopping in a target language community with my own experience. I can distinguish healthy foods and ingredients from the target culture.

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