

IHCYL APPLICATION TASK

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1. Write down four words or expressions in each column to describe the different age groups and their attitude to learning

5/6 year olds	7-9 year olds	10-12 year olds	13-15 year olds

2. Rephrase the following ‘teacher talk’ in language that an elementary young learner might understand.

- a) Can you all sit down and try to stop making so much noise, please?

- b) If you wouldn't mind opening your books on page 23, please.

- c) Jot down the answers and then swap them with your friend.

- d) Now we are going to talk about the present perfect. If you want to, listen to me and then answer some questions.

3. How could you most easily convey the meaning of the following to a group of young learners in the classroom?

- a) Teacher
- b) To write something down
- c) Opposite
- d) Best friend
- e) Horrible
- f) On purpose

4. What are the following errors and how would you deal with them?

Sentence	What is the error?	How would you deal with it?
I've been to England last year		
I no understand		
You be my teacher?		
How long are you knowing my brother?		

5. What would you need to take into account when teaching a group of 12 year olds at intermediate level?

6. In your opinion, which of the following jobs would best prepare a person for language teaching to young learners (choose only one) and why?

Lecturer	Actor	Social Worker	Nurse	Nanny	Sports Coach
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7. In the light of the above, why do you think you are suited to language teaching to young learners? (+- 50 words)

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