

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



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GOALS

Linguistic Contents

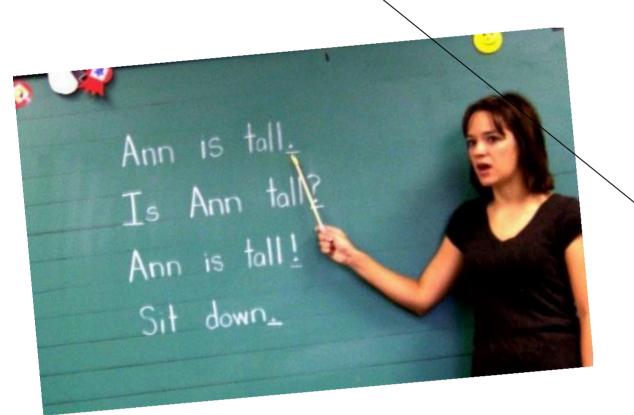
Reported Speech Vs. **Direct Speech**

Communication Tasks

Close – reading on a domestic Violence article: "From Dangerous Home to Safe House" (New York Times)

Learning Strategies

Cooperation







STRUCTURE

Preparation:

Outline goals for the class

Grammar presentation and Practice:

Reported Speech explanation

Discuss pronunciation of reporting verbs

Strategy presentation and Practice:

Verbal tenses changes for Reported Speech

Communication Practice, Part 1:

In groups, make statements using Reported Speech



MATERIALS

Homework exercise on Past Tenses

Photocopy of the verbal tenses changes

Newspaper article

Communication Practice, Part 2:

LTransform sentences from the provided article into Reported Speech or Direct Speech

Evaluation:

Ask the students how they changed the structures and provide examples of their own

Expansion (homework):

Writing on domestic violence using Reported Speech

