

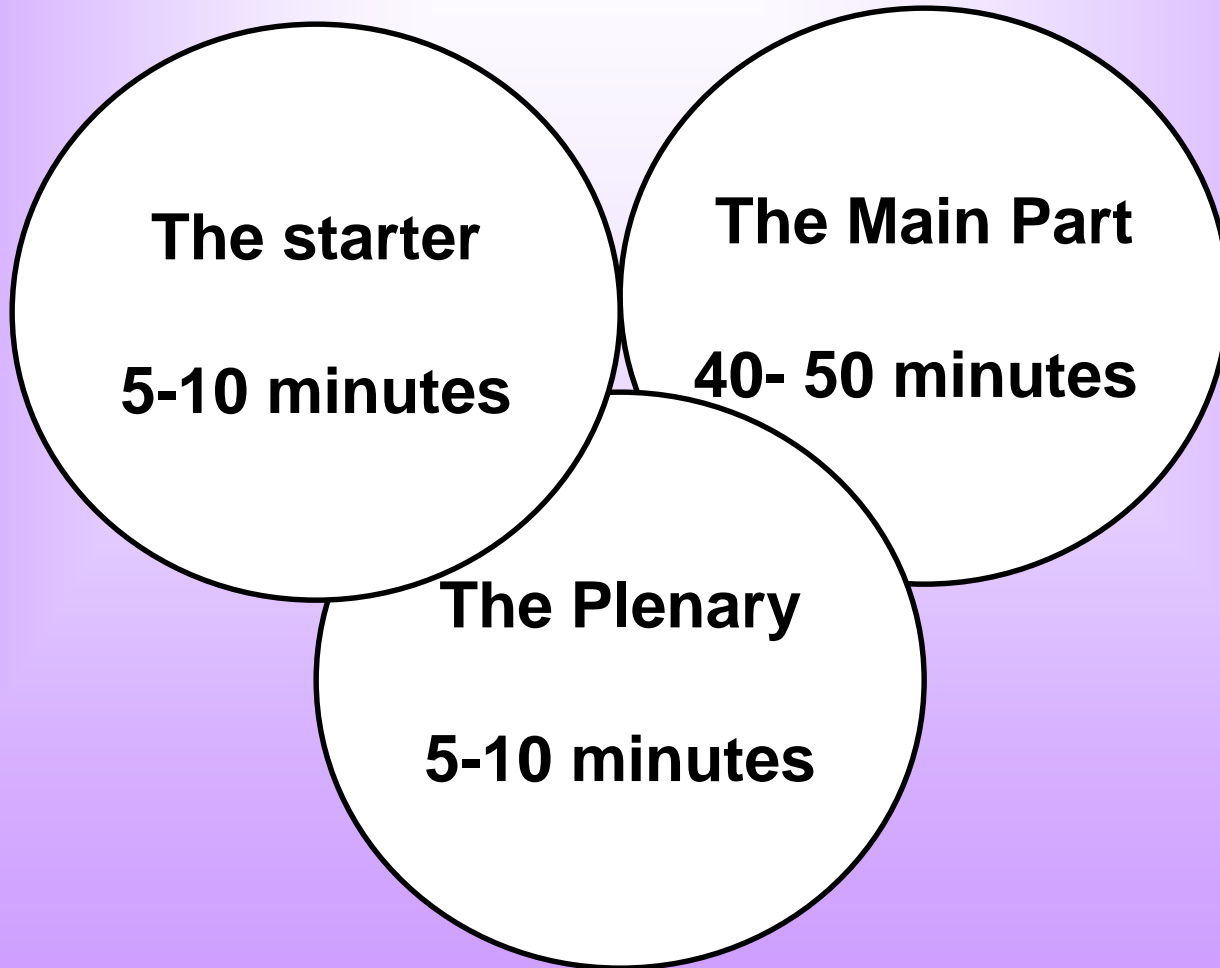
Planning, Teaching and Assessment course

The 3 Part Lesson



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- Every lesson should have 3 clear parts
- The Starter for about 5 -10 minutes, the Main Part for about 40-50 minutes and the Plenary for about 5-10 minutes
- Involves all children, has good pace, achieves objective and has variety
- Active part played by children in lesson

The Oral Mental Starter

- The Starter should be a warm-up session of about 5-10 minutes
- Is interactive, involves the whole class
- Sometimes but not always linked to the Main Part of the lesson
- Sets the right tone for the lesson – short, sharp, focussed

The Main Part of the Lesson

- Is about 40-50 minutes long
- Involves working with the whole class, a group, pairs or individual children
- It involves direct teaching and individual or group tasks set by the teacher
- The teacher may wish to focus on one or two groups only

The Plenary

- Is about 5-10 minutes long to bring the lesson to a purposeful close
- The children discuss what they have done, the teacher provides feedback
- Teacher informally assesses the children's work
- Teacher reviews, summarises main points, ideas, vocabulary, makes links
- Discusses what is to be learned next
- Sets Homework appropriately