

Method	Vertical Sentence (Lexicon, Semantics, & Syntax)
Purpose/ Concept	Teach English learners to move away from focusing solely/heavily on the meaning of individual words (semantic element of language) and towards the syntactic context in which words are used
Language Objective	(1) We will generate synonyms for each underlined word and use context to choose the synonym that maintains the meaning of the original sentence. (2) We will rank the generated synonyms and select the appropriate vocabulary and sentence structure for purpose and audience.
Procedures	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read original sentence 2. Brainstorm and record synonyms for underlined words (vertically - regardless of context) 3. Discuss definitions; Rule out words that do not work in the context of the sentence (horizontally); Change syntax to accommodate synonyms if necessary 4. Orally practice sentence with synonyms 5. Rank list of synonyms according to focus 6. Transform sentence according to focus on write on the bottom of chart 7. Role play/rewrite sentence, changing synonyms according to different audiences
Method Materials	Select sentence written on chart with room for generated synonyms and sentences with syntactic variation; List of possible synonyms