Lesson plan

level: 1Bac	Textbook: Gateway to English
Date: 15/04/2016	Time : 50 min
Unit: 7	Theme: Ecology
Lesson: Writing	Topic: formal letter
Skills integrated: All skills	References/ Materials: Textbook, Teacher's notes, Chalkboard, ICT

Standards:	Presentational communication
	Write a formal letter
Competencies:	By the end of this session, students should be able to:
	Recall and distinguish between a formal and a personal letter
	Write a formal letter with the correct layout

Stages/ Timing	Lesson Procedures/ Activities	Techniques/ Materials	Mode of work
Warm-up (5 min)	 T greets Ss Ss recall the various parts and elements of an informal letter 	> Review	T-S S-T
Personal link	> T introduces the lesson of writing a formal letter	➤ BB	T-S
Pre-writing (15 min)	 T invites Ss to look at the slides Ss answer the questions about the parts of a formal letter e.g. (where does the address go?) Ss recall all the parts by matching them with the correct number T displays an example of a formal letter on the slide and asks one or two students to read it Ss notice the various elements of the body and T explains the four main parts (writing purpose + showing interest + details + asking for a reply) T asks Ss to read the topic on the slide "write a letter to your school magazine about the environmental problems you have in your town" Ss brain storm ideas and T writes some suggestions on the bb 	 ICT Question and answer Recalling Matching Model letter Noticing Explaining Topic focus Brainstorming 	T-S S-T T-S T-S S-T S-T
While-writing (20 min)	 T invites Ss to start their first draft letter respecting the format studied and the topic given T monitors and helps 	First draftMonitoring	Indiv.
Post-writing (10 min)	 T writes a checklist on the and has one S read it T asks Ss to consider the checklist and try to correct their letters Ss share their letters with the class 	checklistself-editingSharing	Indiv. Whole class
Reflections			