

Find the Implicit Questions: Unit 2

Overview:

Here is a handout students can do to review Unit 2 Model Sentences and get some practice at a key skill for making longer answers- finding the implicit questions hidden within every answer. This activity is modelled after the one on page 25 and is quite effective for helping students gain sensitivity and awareness to implicit questions. While an easy concept to grasp, students will often need extra practice in sussing them out. Over time, they will learn to sense these questions and answer them automatically before there is need for the partner to ask them out loud.

Feel free to use this handout in class if you have some extra time, as a homework assignment, or even as a short quiz. Print out the answer key and have your students check their answers if you'd like to save some work on marking papers. Alternately, you could go over the answers in class. Note that there are other possible correct answers- implicit questions don't necessarily need to be fully formed complete sentences. Use your judgement when looking over your students' work.

While I'm at it, here's another idea for you: After going over the answers, have students work in pairs to ask each other these questions. Students then need to make long answers that answer the implicit questions on the handout. This will allow everyone to personalize this task and get a bit of speaking practice in.

If you would like to receive a .docx version that you can edit and customize yourself, please get in touch! I'd be happy to email it to you.

Good luck! I hope this handout helps. If you have any ideas for improving it, I'm all ears!

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Name: _____

What are the implicit questions which correspond with these answers?

下の答えの中の下線部に対応する「暗黙の質問」は何でしょうか？

Question: What time do you usually get up on weekdays?

Answer: Oh, normally around 7am. But on Fridays I get up around 8:00.

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Implicit Question 1: _____

Question: Do you usually get up late on weekends?

Answer: Yes, usually. I like to sleep in. I normally get up around noon.

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Implicit Question 2: _____

Implicit Question 3: _____

Question: How long does it take you to get ready in the morning?

Answer: Well, I usually need about 45 minutes to take a shower, get dressed, and have breakfast.

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Implicit Question 4: _____

Question: What is your busiest day of the week?

Answer: Mondays, for sure. I have four class during the day, then I work in the evening.

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Implicit Question 5: _____

Implicit Question 6: _____

Question: What is your least busy weekday?

Answer: Probably Wednesday. I only have one easy class, and I don't have any club activities.

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Implicit Question 7: _____

Implicit Question 8: _____

Question: How much time do you spend doing homework every day?

Answer: Oh, about two hours on average. I like to study with friends in the study lounge.

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Implicit Question 9: _____

Implicit Question 10: _____

Question: How often do you study in the library?

Answer: Not so often, actually. I usually study at home in the evenings.

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Implicit Question 11: _____

Implicit Question 12: _____

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(ANSWER KEY)

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Answer: Yes, usually. I like to sleep in. I normally get up around noon.

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Implicit Question 2: *Why do you get up late?*

Implicit Question 3: *What time do you get up?*

Question: How long does it take you to get ready in the morning?

Answer: Well, I usually need about 45 minutes to take a shower, get dressed, and have breakfast.

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Implicit Question 4: *What do you do to get ready?*

Question: What is your busiest day of the week?

Answer: Mondays, for sure. I have four class during the day, then I work in the evening.

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Implicit Question 5: *What do you do during the day?*

Implicit Question 6: *What do you do in the evening?*

Question: What is your least busy weekday?

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Implicit Question 7: *How many classes do you have?*

Implicit Question 8: *Do you have any club activities?*

Question: How much time do you spend doing homework every day?

Answer: Oh, about two hours on average. I like to study with friends in the study lounge.

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Implicit Question 9: *Who do you (like to) study with?*

Implicit Question 10: *Where do you study?*

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Implicit Question 11: *Where do you study?*

Implicit Question 12: *When do you study?*