add.a.lingua L2 only timeline

(number of weeks spent in instruction)



• threeschool / preschool school: instructors explain Second grade classroom routines/ students are instructions in English. L2 is expected to use L2 used for actual content only to instruction. Answers in L2 or communicate with in English may be their teacher & accepted. peers

After **SIX** weeks of instruction:

 Kinder teachers hold students accountable to using only L2. After **TEN** weeks of instruction:

 Kinder students should begin to use L2 to speak to peers



ON their first day of school:

 Third, fourth, and fifth grade students are expected to use L2 only to communicate with their teacher & peers

AFTER their first day of

After **FIVE** weeks of instruction:

 First grade students should begin to use L2 to speak with their peers

After FOUR weeks of instruction:

- Kinder teachers introduce circumlocution game, encouraging use of L2 only, even if students use only a couple words! Teacher will explain the game and incentives and practice for two weeks.
- First grade students are expected to use only L2 to communicate with their teacher.