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LESSON NOTES

School: Ba Sangam College

Year/Level: 9

Name: _____

Subject: English

Week 8

Year: _____

Strand	Reading and viewing
Sub Strand	Language features and rules
Content Learning Outcome	Explore and illustrate language and literary features and rules in a range of printed and visual text.

Question Tags

Question tags are short questions at the end of statements.

a positive statement + a negative question tag

You are a student, aren't you?

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a negative statement + a positive question tag

Mary isn't a teacher, is she?

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<p>statements with negative adverbs example never, seldom, hardly, rarely have a negative sense, hence the question tag will be positive eg. We have never seen that, have we?</p> <p>statements begin with I'm – we use the verb form are/ aren't I eg. I'm intelligent, aren't I?</p> <p>statements begin with lets – we use shall we eg. Let's take the next bus, shall we?</p> <p>with imperatives – we use won't you for invitations and can you/ can't you/ will you/ would you for orders. eg. A. Open the window, will you? (order – less polite) B. take a seat, won't you? (invitation - polite)</p>	<p>when we use there, there is reflected in the tag eg. There's nothing wrong, is there?</p> <p>statements with nothing, something, everything as the subject, we use it in the tag. eg. Something happened at Jack's house, didn't it?</p> <p>statements with nobody, somebody, everybody as the subject, we use they in question tags. eg. Somebody wanted to borrow Jack's bike, didn't they?</p> <p>statements with this – we use it in the question tag. eg. This will work, won't it?</p>
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Activity Questions

(25 marks)

Fill in the correct question tag for each question.

1. The sun is shining today, _____?
2. There are many beautiful islands in Greese, _____?
3. Legos weren't very popular 50 years ago, _____?
4. I love reading Clifford the Big red Dog book, _____?
5. Open your books to page 222 please, _____?
6. Mickey Mouse doesn't live in Hollywood, _____?
7. Everyone loves Curious George Books, _____?
8. Sally can ride a horse, _____?
9. Let's go to the cinema, _____?
10. You have never been to Venice, _____?
11. You don't like me, _____?
12. You've done your homework, _____?
13. You like German food, _____?
14. He never says a word, _____?
15. You'll come to my party, _____?

16. Let's play tennis, _____?
17. The shop isn't open, _____?
18. Elephants can't fly, _____?
19. They played volleyball last Sunday, _____?
20. They won't move to Suva, _____?
21. That isn't your mobile phone, _____?
22. Molly has won a lot of money, _____?
23. You have had your breakfast, _____?
24. They will go to London, _____?
25. Turn the music down, _____?