

INFINITY WEEK TUESDAY lesson 3

C1 Are we alone in the Universe?

Instruction: Follow these general guidelines. Use the links provided on the syllabus website. Underlined items are links to ADDITIONAL support.

[Aims](#)

Stage 1

- Click on the **Stage 1** link. Play the video and ask students to make notes about communicating with aliens.
- Discussion: Do you think aliens have been sending us messages? In what form/ What are they saying? Is it a good idea to try and communicate with aliens?

Stage 2

- Click on the **Stage 2** link. Show students the Cue Prompter. Demonstrate how it works by writing two or three sentences in it.
- Tell students to imagine that aliens visit the Earth. Their (students') task is to prepare a speech welcoming the aliens. They will use the Cue Prompter to deliver the speech. And they will also need to translate the speech into sign/picture/symbol/number (or any other ideas) language. One student delivers the speech from the Cue Prompter in English and the other simultaneously translates the speech into alien language.
- In pairs, students use their tablet to write their speech in the Cue Prompter.
- Students deliver their speeches in front of their classmates pretending to be aliens. Aliens may ask questions about the speech.

HOMEWORK

- Students interview their host families: *Do you believe aliens have visited the Earth? What do scientists say about that?*