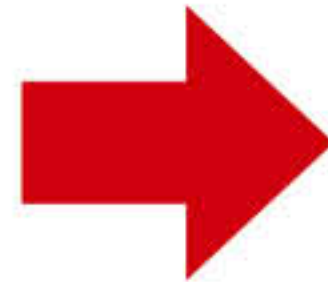




Are You Ready?

Listen to me.



Eyes on me.



INTENSIVE READING

Lesson

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Classic English Junior Level 5 - Unit 18 Media

Play around with WeChat



Lesson Structure

1	Learning Objective
2	Warm-up
3	Comprehension Skill
4	Intensive Reading
5	Writing Project
6	Wrap-up

You are going to:

Review an informational text called

Play around with WeChat

Learn the comprehension skill

Reading for information



[Smile]



[Grin]



[Chuckle]



[Joyful]



[Laugh]



[Trick]



[Sly]



[Face with tears of joy]



Which emoji do you use most often?
Give a situation that you use it.



Let's

Go!



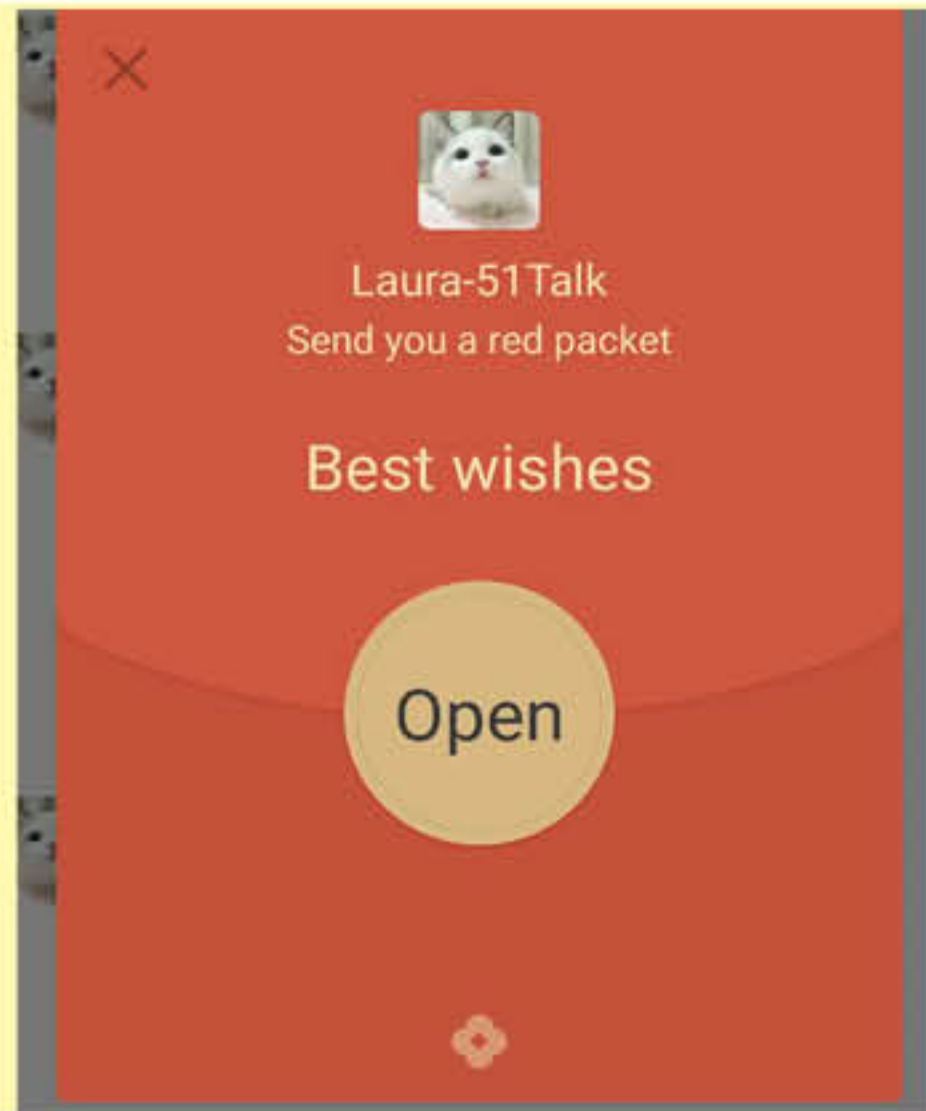
Comprehension Skill

02:00

Reading for information:

When we read a text for the first time, we look through it quickly and mark the important or relevant information.

Tips: You can use **underlines**, **squares** or **circles** to mark information.



Another interesting function on WeChat is the Red Packet, also known as Lucky Money. You can use it for payments, or use it as gifts and blessings to friends. If you send Red Packets to a group, the money amount will be randomized to different receivers.



What else is the Red Packet called?

...



What can the Red Packet be used for?

...



Intensive Reading—Comprehension

03:00

Read the passage and do the activity.

Play around with WeChat

"There are two types of people in the world: people who use WeChat, and people who don't use WeChat."

In China, few people don't know WeChat. As the top social networking **app**, WeChat has many interesting features, which offers users lots of fun.

app

short for **application**, refers to a software which performs a specific function and can be downloaded onto mobile devices.



Talk about the functions of the following apps.



Intensive Reading—Comprehension

03:00

Read the passage and do the activity.

Emojis

The use of emojis is very popular on WeChat, especially among young people. An emoji speaks a thousand words. Sometimes, people only use emojis to chat. But do you know that some emojis have meanings behind them? For example, when you want to say “goodbye”, the wave emoji **comes in handy**. However, it can also mean “I don’t want to talk to you.”



Make a guess what this emoji story is about.

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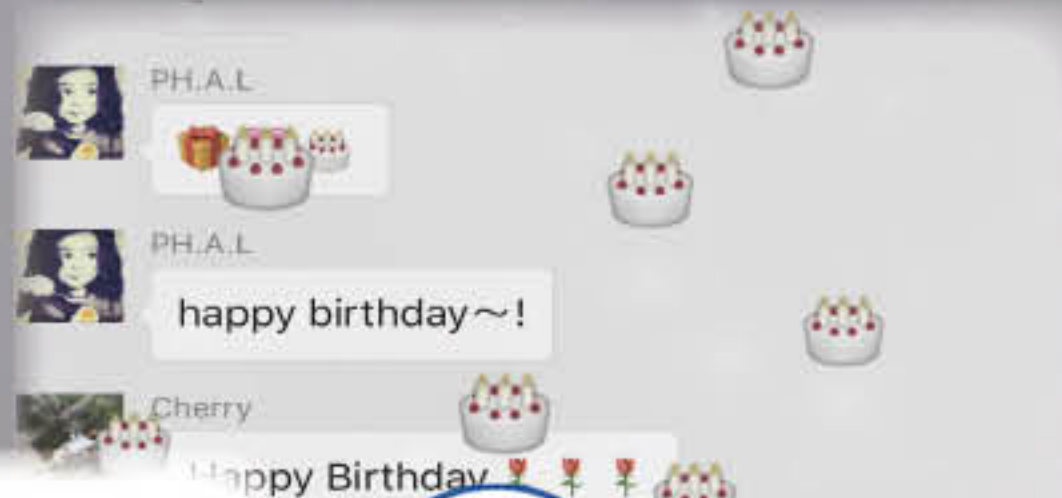
Intensive Reading—Comprehension

03:00

Read the passage, mark the key information, and answer the questions.

Confetti

Have you ever been surprised by the falling emojis in the chats? These falling emojis are called confetti. When you send a message with certain words to your friends, you may **trigger** confetti. For example, when you type “Happy Birthday”, it will surprise your friend with falling cakes. And “Cium” will trigger sweet stickers. If you are interested, type other special words to find more confetti.



What is confetti?

...

What words can trigger confetti?

...

Intensive Reading—Comprehension

03:00

Read the passage, mark the key information, and fill in the blanks.

Moments

Moments on WeChat offers a platform for sharing. Users can share experiences and ideas on moments. This allows you to know what your friends are thinking about or what they are doing. But, moments opens a new window for **selfie addicts**. They often post their photos online for others to see. Now here is a little tip. If you like someone's moments, give a Comment or Like. If you don't enjoy their posts, just hide their moments.

Moments

Used for:

1. _____
2. _____

Others' Moments

Enjoy: 1. _____
2. _____

Dislike: _____

Intensive Reading—Comprehension

03:00

Read the passage and learn the grammar.

Grammar

With other functions like Lucky Money, Shake, and Message in a Bottle, users **keep active** online. There is no doubt that the special features of WeChat have changed the way that many people in China **socialize**.

“**Keep**” is used as a linking verb.

Other linking verbs:

remain, stay, rest, lie, stand

They connect the subject with some words to show information, such as a condition or relationship.

1. He **keeps** silent at every meeting.

→ a condition

2. The matter **remains** a mystery.

→ a relationship between the two

Make a sentence with one of the linking verbs.

...



Activity Time!



Writing Project—Preparation

03:00

Retell what you have learned by answering the questions.

1 What functions have we learned about WeChat?

We have learned...

2 Please give some details.

...

3 Which function do you like best? And why?



...

Writing Project

03:00

Write down some key information about WeChat's functions.

Play around with WeChat

Emojis:

Confetti:

Moments:

My favorite is



Write a passage after class on your worksheet.

Wrap-up**01:00**

I Can Do It

Today we read an informational text called Play around with WeChat.

Intensive Reading

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WeChat

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See You Soon!

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