

Emoji Notes: Texting and Connecting Activity

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Select & Describe: Go to <https://www.emojiall.com/en/languages-list> and choose your target language (TL). Draw then describe 3 emojis you use often, including category (e.g., faces) and features (yellow face with a smile and open eyes).

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Watch: *Texting and Connecting* Video, taking notes on the 4 key guidelines for emoji use.

Observe: Work with a partner to find 4-5 target language texts (tweets, Instagram posts, or other posts on social media). Do the emoji you observe seem to be used in the same way across cultures? Compare your answers with another pair and take notes below:

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Extension: Read the findings here:

<https://www.bbc.com/future/article/20181211-why-emoji-mean-different-things-in-different-cultures>.

What questions do you now have about your target language? What was intriguing?