

APPENDIX**Young Learners' Language Strategy Use Survey**

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Instructions: Below are a series of statements about language learning. In the line in front of each statement: Mark a plus (+) if the statement really describes you. Mark a check (✓) if the statement is somewhat like you. Write a minus (-) if the statement isn't like you.

Listening Strategies

What I do to listen more:

- ___ 1. I listen to the radio in the language.
- ___ 2. I watch TV shows in the language.
- ___ 3. I go to movies that use the language.
- ___ 4. I listen to the language if I am in a restaurant or see movies in the language.
- ___ 5. If I hear people speaking the language, I listen.

Add anything else you do to listen more:

What I do to understand sounds:

- ___ 6. I find sounds in the language that are like sounds in English.
- ___ 7. I try to remember unfamiliar sounds I hear.
- ___ 8. I ask the person to repeat the new sound.
- ___ 9. I listen to the rise and fall of sounds (the music of the language).

Add anything else you do to understand sounds:

What I do to understand what I hear:

- ___ 10. I listen for the important words.
- ___ 11. I listen for what seems interesting.
- ___ 12. I listen for words that are repeated.

Add anything else you do to understand the meaning:

What I do if I still don't understand what someone says:

- ___ 13. I ask the person to repeat.
- ___ 14. I ask the person to slow down.
- ___ 15. I ask a question.
- ___ 16. I guess the meaning from the person's tone (such as angry or happy).
- ___ 17. I guess the meaning from how the person moves or stands.
- ___ 18. I guess the meaning from what I heard before.

Add anything else you do to if you still don't understand what someone says: