## Part 2 Lesson preparation

Learners need examples of language which are used with different organisers.
There are several common patterns:

| Name | Type of task and examples of <br> language used | Visual organiser |  |
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| bar chart | to show frequency or quantity using <br> rectangles which are the same <br> width, but different heights | to divide information into two parts <br> using a series of questions, each of <br> which has only two possible answers <br> Language <br> closed questions | to sort yes/no information according <br> to two sets of opposite criteria <br> Language <br> for example, such as <br> subject vocabulary |
| binary key |  |  |  |

Unit 8 Resources including multi-media and visual organisers



## Key concepts in the CLIL classroom

## What are some of the uses of multi-media in CLIL?

- creating images to make content come alive in the classroom, e.g. the water cycle, constructing experiments, narrating historical events
- helping learners understand abstract content, e.g. in mathematics and philosophy
- making presentations of subject content and of learners' work
- accessing websites through the Internet to find out more about particular subjects
- enabling teachers and learners to communicate their ideas by mixing text, images
- enabling learners to exchange information and collaborate (work together) with each other and with other learners around the world by, for example, emailing, blogging and tweeting (for writing ideas on the Internet) and podcasting (for audio recordings)
- developing data handling skills (using and interpreting information), enquiry and creativity while practising computer skills
- personalising learning, developing learner autonomy and providing learning support
- using and designing databases
- using software for images and drawing
- using interactive whiteboards to change the pace of lessons.


## How can we use visual organisers in CLIL?

First, we need to decide which organiser is the most effective for the task. What is the purpose of the organiser? Is it to classify, to describe, to give examples, to explain a process, to identify, to show the order of events, to show cause-effect relationships or to show similarities and differences?

