

Step – Dealing with error correction in online speaking

Task

Watch Lindsay and Marie Therese talking about some error correction techniques you can use in your online lessons. Which statements refer to immediate correction and which refer to delayed correction.

- 1. We should include examples of good language used.
- 2. It needs practice.
- 3. It's hard for students to recognise when it's needed.
- 4. Less of this is done in online lessons.
- 5. We can use Word, the whiteboard or the chat box to elicit it.
- 6. It's possible to personalise it with the chat box.
- 7. You could prompt it with a card or puppet.
- 8. All learners can get involved via the chat box.

Answers

These statements refer to immediate error correction:

- 3. It's hard for students to recognise when it's needed.
- 4. Less of this is done in online lessons.
- 7. You could prompt it with a card or puppet.

These statements refer to delayed error correction:

- 1. We should include examples of good language used.
- 2. It needs practice.
- 5. We can use Word, the whiteboard or the chat box to elicit it.
- 6. It's possible to personalise it with the chat box.
- 8. All learners can get involved via the chat box.