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**Lecture #: Unit 2 – Your World**

**Duration:** 1.5 hours  
**Target Audience:** First-year civil engineering students (Arabic speakers)

**1. Warm-up and Introduction (10 minutes)**

**Objective:** Engage students in discussing their surroundings and the world they live in.

**Activity:**

* Ask students to describe where they live, using simple English sentences.
* Sample Questions:
  + "Where do you live?"
  + "What do you see around you?"
  + "What is your favorite place in your city?"

**Material:**

* PowerPoint slide with key phrases:
  + "I live in [city]."
  + "My city has [buildings, bridges, parks, etc.]."

Encourage participation via chat or microphone.

**2. Vocabulary and Civil Engineering Context (20 minutes)**

**Objective:** Introduce and discuss vocabulary related to the student's world and civil engineering.

**Vocabulary Examples:**

1. **City** – A large town where people live and work.  
   * Example: "This city has many bridges."
2. **Bridge** – A structure for crossing a river or road..
   * Example: "The bridge connects two parts of the city."
3. **Building** – A structure with walls and a roof.  
   * Example: "The building has five floors.".
4. **Road** – A path for vehicles to travel.
   * Example: "The road leads to the city center."
5. **Park** – An open area with trees and grass.  
   * Example: "The park is a great place to relax."

**Activity:**

* **Matching Game:** Show images of a city, bridge, building, road, and park. Students match the term to the image.

**3. Grammar Focus: Prepositions of Place (20 minutes)**

**Objective:** Teach basic prepositions to describe locations.

**Explanation:**

* "The park is next to the building."
* "The bridge is over the river."
* "The road goes through the city."

**Grammar Points:**

* Prepositions: in, on, under, over, next to, through  
  حروف الجر: in, on, under, over, next to, through

**Activity:**

* **Fill-in-the-blanks:** Students complete sentences with the correct preposition.
  + Example: "The road goes \_\_\_ the tunnel."

**4. Speaking Practice (15 minutes)**

**Objective:** Use new vocabulary and grammar to describe locations.

**Activity:**

* Pair work: Students describe their city using the vocabulary and prepositions.
  + Example: "In my city, there is a park next to the river.".

Students share sentences with the class.

**5. Vocabulary Review and Expansion (15 minutes)**

**Civil Engineering Vocabulary (10 words):**

1. **Highway** – A major road connecting cities. **Motorway**   
   **طريق سريع** –
   * Example: "The highway connects the capital to the coast.".
2. **Dam** – A structure built to control water flow.  
   **سد** –
   * Example: "The dam stores water for the city."
3. **Tunnel** – A passage under the ground or water.  
   **نفق** –
   * Example: "The tunnel goes under the mountain.".
4. **Port** – A place where ships load and unload goods.  
   **ميناء** –
   * Example: "The port is important for trade."
5. **Skyscraper** – A very tall building.  
   **ناطحة سحاب** –.
   * Example: "The skyscraper is the tallest in the city."
6. **Bridge** – A structure over a gap or obstacle.  
   **جسر** –
   * Example: "The bridge is an engineering marvel."
7. **Avenue** – A wide road in a city.  
   **شارع رئيسي** –
   * Example: "The avenue has many trees."
8. **Square** – An open area in a city, often surrounded by buildings.  
   **ساحة** –
   * Example: "The square is a popular meeting spot."
9. **Landmark** – A recognizable place or structure.  
   **معلم** –
   * Example: "The Eiffel Tower is a famous landmark."
10. **Factory** – A building where goods are produced.  
    **مصنع** –
    * Example: "The factory produces steel for construction."

**Activity:**

* Vocabulary flashcards: Students guess the word based on a description or image.

**6. Wrap-up and Q&A (10 minutes)**

**Objective:** Summarize the lesson and clarify doubts.

**Activity:**

* Quick review of vocabulary, grammar points, and prepositions.  
  Open the floor for student questions.

**Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) – Unit 2: Your World**

1. **What does "park" mean in civil engineering vocabulary?**  
   a) A tall structure in a city  
   b) A road connecting different places  
   c) An open area with trees and grass  
   d) A passage under the ground
2. **Which preposition best completes the sentence: "The bridge is \_\_\_ the river"?**  
   a) under  
   b) in  
   c) over  
   d) next to
3. **What is the correct meaning of "highway"?**  
   a) A tall building  
   b) A major road connecting cities  
   c) A structure controlling water flow  
   d) An open area in a city
4. **What is an example of a landmark?**  
   a) A highway  
   b) A port  
   c) A tunnel  
   d) The Eiffel Tower
5. **Which sentence correctly uses a preposition of place?**  
   a)"The park is next to the school."  
   b) "The bridge is in the sky."  
   c) "The road is under the lake."  
   d) "The tunnel is on the mountain."

These questions review vocabulary, prepositions, and civil engineering terms from the lecture content.