INFORMATION FOR TEACHERS

COURSE OF LESSON – SECONDARY LEVEL I

OBJECTIVES

The students will be able to:

- reflect on whether and to what extent acting for the benefit of others can be beneficial for all.
- explain the Buddhist understanding of the terms "compassion" and "wisdom".
- explore the balance between "compassion" and "wisdom" in the Buddhist understanding of the terms using exemplary cases.

(PERSONAL VARIANT) TRANSFER	Apply the understanding of compassion and wisdom to your everyday life.	**WS 5** **Answers to WS 5** Students reflect on their own scope of action
(GENERAL VARIANT) TRANSFER	Compassion and wisdom should be balanced. Distinguish balance and imbalance.	**WS 4** for group **A, B, C** Students evaluate case examples **Answers to WS 4**
EXERCISE 2	Compassion and Wisdom in Buddhism	**WS 3** **Answers to WS 3** Students work on terminology **Material 1** Students explain how compassion and wisdom work together
EXERCISE 1	Examines motivation and effects in actions.	**WS 2** **Answers to WS 2** Students compare egoism and altruism Students formulate core statement
INTRO	Make a judgment: Am I stupid when I act for the benefit of others?	**WS 1** Students evaluate the song of Die Prinzen

BASIS

What might interest the students about the topic:

- Are egoists always at an advantage?
- What can I use to guide my actions in difficult situations?
- Are happiness and meaningful action related at all?