What does an agreement actually do?

What do we expect an agreement to guarantee?

Signing	Entry into force	Implementation

You may write instead of speaking, or work alone. Nobody represents a whole people.

Worksheets and sources

A claim needs a clause

1. Commitment

2. Supporting clause

3. Unsettled issue

4. Later evidence of implementation

Guided route / Independent route

Worksheets and sources

Three documents to compare

A	B	C
Egypt and Israel, 1979	Israel and the PLO, 1993	Abraham Accords Declaration, 2020
I–III, VII	I, V–VII	Full declaration

One card per group. Find at least one corresponding original clause.

Original learning paraphrase; not a quotation or an official translation.

Worksheets and sources

A comparison grounded in evidence

Document	Commitment	Supporting clause	Unsettled issue	Later evidence of implementation
A				
B				
C				

Your classification and the clause supporting it

Worksheets and sources

What does the document do?

Which card establishes peace between two states, which plans an interim stage, and which sets broad regional principles? Support each answer with the text. Then use D, if available, to explain why the categories can overlap.

Peace treaty	Interim arrangement	Declaration

Worksheets and sources

Benefits and risks of postponement

Can postponing a difficult question help an agreement, and what risk does it create? Name one possible benefit and one risk. Mark these as your reasoning, not as facts proved by the document. No one needs to defend a government or an organisation.

Possible benefit	Possible risk

Worksheets and sources

Optional: overlapping categories

D · Extension: the UAE–Israel treaty

The title calls this a treaty of peace, diplomatic relations and full normalization. Article 1 establishes all three; Article 3 provides for exchanging resident ambassadors. Article 10 addresses ratification and entry into force. “Normalization” and “peace treaty” therefore need not be competing labels.

Original learning paraphrase; not a quotation or an official translation.

Worksheets and sources

Exit ticket

In three sentences, explain one difference between A and B, cite one clause, and name one thing neither document alone can tell you about life afterward.

New teaching materials, not yet piloted in class. Language and educational review needed.

roomforpeace.org

Worksheets and sources