

Activity Type

Reading, listening and speaking activity, group work

Language Focus

Adverbs of manner

Aim

To name people who perform activities in a particular manner.

Preparation

Make one copy of the cards for each group of three and cut as indicated.

Level

Pre-intermediate

Time

25 minutes

Introduction

In this engaging teaching activity, students play a game where they name people who perform activities in a particular manner.

Procedure

Divide the class into groups of three.

Give each group a set of cards.

Ask the students to shuffle the cards and place them face down in a pile on the table.

Students take it in turns to pick up a card and ask the other students to name someone who performs the activity on the card in the manner shown, e.g. 'Name someone who eats quickly'.

The other students then race to answer the question by thinking of someone who performs the activity in that particular manner.


The first student to answer keeps the card.

The other students then ask the winning student follow-up questions to gain more information.

If neither student can answer the question, the card is placed at the bottom of the pile and used again later in the game.

The student with the most cards at the end of the game wins.

Finally, have a class feedback session and elicit the most interesting answers from the students.

Name Someone Who...

Name someone who
eats quickly.

Name someone who
listens carefully.

Name someone who
walks slowly.

Name someone who
plays a musical
instrument well.

Name someone who
laughs loudly.

Name someone who
speaks English fluently.

Name someone who
passes exams easily.

Name someone who
cooks well.

Name someone who
sings beautifully.

Name someone who
studies hard.

Name someone who
talks quickly.

Name someone who
dresses smartly.

Name someone who
writes neatly.

Name someone who
types hurriedly.

Name someone who
speaks quietly.

Name someone who
comes to class punctually.

Name someone who
exercises regularly.

Name someone who
acts politely.

Name someone who
competes aggressively.

Name someone who
communicates effectively.

Name someone who
eats healthily.