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What Is It?

- Walk around in the class and show pictures from the table below to other students.
- Find a student who knows the word you show him or her.
- Write his/her name and answer in the boxes under the pictures.
- When the activity is finished, go to your place and look up the words in the dictionary.

Useful words and expressions

Do you know this word?

Yes, I do.

No, I don't.

What is it/this?

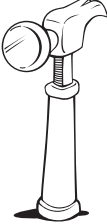
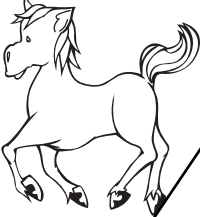

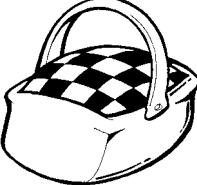






I don't know the word.

It is...

I will ask someone else, then.

How do you spell it?

It is s...




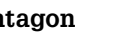






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Crazy Shapes

- Draw and colour a picture using as many of the shapes shown below as possible.
- As you describe it to your partner, he or she will try to draw and colour the exact picture.
- Switch roles when your teacher tells you.

Shapes

 Circle	 Parallelogram
 Equilateral triangle	 Pentagon
 Isosceles triangle	 Rectangle
 Hexagon	 Square
 Octagon	 Trapezoid

Your picture (hide it well!)

Reproduction of your partner's picture

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Finish the Story... Teacher's cards

- Photocopy one set of story starters per team.
- Your students have to be in teams of three or four. You give them the story starter.
- The first student reads the story starter and continues the story until you say end it, then the next student must continue the story. When you say end it, the next student must find an ending to the story within 2 minutes.

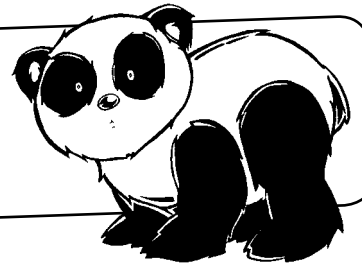
Once upon a time, in a dark forest, there was a haunted house. Nobody wanted to go near that house as there were a lot of strange things happening. An old man...



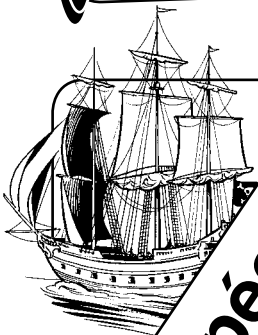
Last year, an airplane crashed on a desert island. There were 55 passengers and everyone survived. On the island, there were...



I love my grandmother. We live in different places together. Once, we went to Mount Everest in China. We also...



There were two explorers who decided to build a ship. They wanted to explore the world. When they left, there were 15 people in the crew. One crew member was missing. They started looking for him when...



It is so easy to be a famous singer. I have to sign autographs every day. There are pictures of me in every magazine. Yesterday, a strange thing happened to me...



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