**Activity Type**
Listening and speaking activity, pairwork

**Language Focus**
Giving directions
Prepositions of movement and place

**Aim**
To practice giving and listening to directions.

**Preparation**
Two blindfolds and two soft balls

**Level**
Elementary

**Time**
25 minutes

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**Introduction**
Here is an entertaining directions game to play with elementary students.

**Procedure**
Clear away the desks so you have space to play the game.

Choose four students to play first.

Divide the four students into two teams of two.

In each team, one player is the 'tank' and the other is the 'driver'.

Blindfold the two players who are the tanks.

Place two soft balls on the floor somewhere in the room.

The two tanks then stand at opposite ends of the room.

The drivers' task is to guide their tank to a ball by giving directions, e.g. go straight, turn right, etc.

When a tank is guided to a ball, the student picks up the ball and has ammunition to fire.

The driver then guides the tank to fire on the other tank, e.g. aim higher, to the left, etc.

If the ball hits the tank, the team wins.

If the ball misses, the driver guides the tank to the ball again.

When a team wins, repeat the game with the next four students and so on.

When everyone has played, the winning teams play against each other to find the ultimate champion.