### Activity Type
Spelling activity, group work

### Language Focus
- Parts of speech
- Sentence structure
- Grammar

### Aim
To guess letters and words in a sentence

### Preparation
None

### Level
Any

### Time
20 minutes

### Introduction
This fun hangman game is useful for practicing parts of speech, sentence structure and grammar.

### Procedure
Divide the students into two or more teams.

Draw a line for each letter in the sentence, separating the words with a slash.

Example: The capital of England is London.

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_ _ _ / _ _ _ _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ _ _ _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ _ _ _ _ _
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Explain that the teams can guess either individual letters or complete words.

If a team correctly guesses a letter, they receive a point for each occurrence of the letter in the complete sentence.

Example: A team guesses the letter N.

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_ _ _ / _ _ _ _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ n _ _ _ n _ / _ _ / _ _ n _ _ n = 4 points
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If a team correctly guesses a word, they score the total number of letters in the word. This includes any previously entered letters.

Example: A team guesses the word England.

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_ _ _ / _ _ _ _ _ _ _ / _ _ / E n g l a n d / _ _ / _ _ n _ _ n = 7 points
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When a team correctly guesses a letter or word, they have another turn.

If a letter or word isn't in the sentence, play passes to the next team.

Play several rounds. The team with the most points at the end of the game wins.