

Activity Type

Vocabulary and Spelling Game: writing words (group work)

Focus

Vocabulary revision

Aim

To identify and spell words from pictures.

Preparation

Prepare flashcards or pictures of vocabulary you want the students to revise.

Level

Any

Time

15 minutes

Introduction

Here is an energetic spelling game to play with large classes.

Procedure

Divide the students into four teams.

Have each team stand in a line in front of the board.

Hold up a flashcard or picture of the word you want the teams to spell.

The first student in each team runs to the board and writes the first letter of the word.

The student then runs back to their team and tags the next person who runs to the board and writes the next letter and so on.

If a student makes a mistake, the next student can correct it but cannot write the next letter.

The first team to spell the word correctly scores a point.

Play several rounds.

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