

# **Activity Type**

Speaking Game: guessing, forming sentences, freer practice (group work)

#### Focus

Adverbs of frequency

### Aim

To guess how often classmates do certain things and to make sentences with adverbs of frequency, explaining your answers.

# Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each student.

### Level

Pre-intermediate (A2)

### Time

30 minutes

# Introduction

In this adverbs of frequency game, students guess how often their classmates do certain things and make sentences with frequency adverbs, explaining their answers.

#### Procedure

Give each student a copy of the worksheet.

Tell the students to keep their worksheet secret at all times.

Students begin by ticking the adverb of frequency that demonstrates how often they do each thing shown in the chart marked 'Me' on their worksheet.

Next, divide the students into groups of four.

Students then write the names of the other group members in the space provided in each chart.

Without speaking to the other people in the group, students then guess how often each student does the things shown in the chart by ticking the appropriate adverb of frequency.

When the students have completed their charts, they choose one group member and take it in turns telling the group what answers they gave for that student.

Students do this by making sentences with adverbs of frequency, explaining their answers, e.g. 'I think Amy usually buys new clothes because she often wears different clothes to class'.

After all the students have explained how they answered, the group member reveals the correct frequency adverbs.

Students score one point for each correct guess.

The student with the most correct guesses wins the game.



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get angry					
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