

Activity Type

Speaking Game:
answering questions
(group work)

Focus

Giving answers

Aim

To give answers to
questions.

Preparation

None

Level

Any

Time

10 minutes

Introduction

Liven up your class when you want to go through answers to questions with this fun ESL game.

Procedure

Divide the students into two teams.

Explain that the students are going to race to answer questions.

Give each team member a number.

The players in both teams should have the same numbers.

For example, if there are six players in each team, number the students in each team one to six. If there is an extra student, give one student two numbers.

Make sure that the teams are at an equal distance from the board.

Draw a circle on the board and write the words 'Speak Button' inside the circle.

Ask a question and then say a number.

The two players with that number run to the board and race to touch the speak button.

The first player to touch the button answers the question.

If the player answers the question correctly, they score a point for their team.

If not, the other player gets to answer the question.

The game continues until all the questions have been answered.

The team with the most points wins the game.