

Activity Type

Reading, writing, listening and speaking activity, pair work

Focus

Present perfect with 'just' and 'yet'

Aim

To make sentences and questions with 'just' and 'yet'.

Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each student.

Level

Pre-intermediate (A2)

Time

25 minutes

Introduction

This present perfect just and yet activity helps to teach students how to use 'just' and 'yet' in sentences.

Procedure

Give each student a copy of the worksheet.

Students begin by writing down five sentences about things they have just done and five sentences about things they plan to do today but haven't done yet.

When the students have finished writing, pair them up with someone they are not sitting next to.

Tell the students not to show their worksheets to each other.

Explain that the students are going to guess what sentences their partner wrote down.

The students then guess and write down three things their partner has just done and three things their partner hasn't done yet today.

After that, students ask and answer questions with their partner to see if their guesses were right or wrong.

A. Write five sentences about things you have just done.



Example: I have just opened my book.

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B. Now, write down five sentences about things you plan to do today but haven't done yet.

Example: I haven't had dinner yet.

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C. Work with a partner, guess three things your partner has just done and three things your partner hasn't done yet today and write them down.

Examples: Kim has just finished writing.

Kim hasn't made a phone call yet.

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D. Now, ask questions to your partner to see if your guesses were right or wrong.

Examples: Q: Have you just finished writing? A: Yes, I have.

Q: Have you made a phone call yet? A: No, I haven't.