

Classroom Talk

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Aims

- Tips and gimmicks
- Selling it!
- Simple activities to promote TL



Tips

- Resources – instructions in TL
 - üben, wiederholen, lernen, lesen, sprechen, schreiben, beschreiben, zuhören, antworten.....
- Do not translate – throw questions out to the class
 - Wie sagt man?
 - Wer kann helfen?
 - Was? Wie bitte?.....

FAST

- Fun - gimmicks (initially)
 - secret policeman
 - merits / prizes / raffle tickets / stamps
- Accessible - Simple instructions with gestures / scaffolding, patience, allow errors
- Sell - elicit from group – don't translate / CLiL
- Tenacious - Insistence (on taught phrases)

Project Classroom Talk

Aims

- To use German as the means of communication with the teacher and other students throughout your German lessons

Project

Classroom Talk

Questionnaire:

(write the answers in the back of your book, we will compare them each half term to see if the % increases)

1. How much German does your teacher speak in the classroom (% of total speech)?
2. How much German do you use when talking to your teacher (% of total speech)?
3. How much German do you use when talking to other students (% of total speech)?

Secret Policeman

- Someone in the class is the secret policeman.
- They will take note of who uses the German classroom phrases the most.
- At the end of the class, the secret policeman will reveal him/herself.
- The person using them the most German phrases will receive a reward at the end of the class.

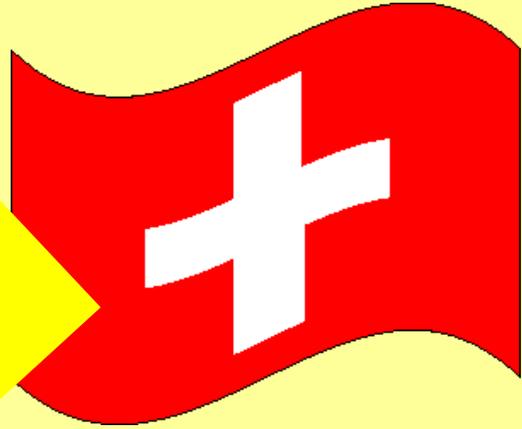
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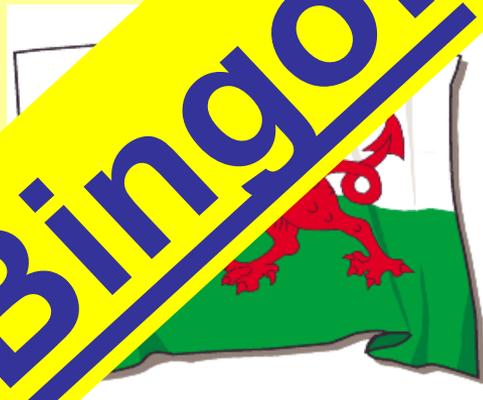
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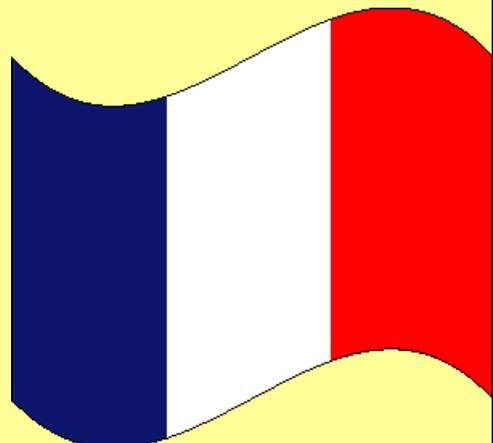
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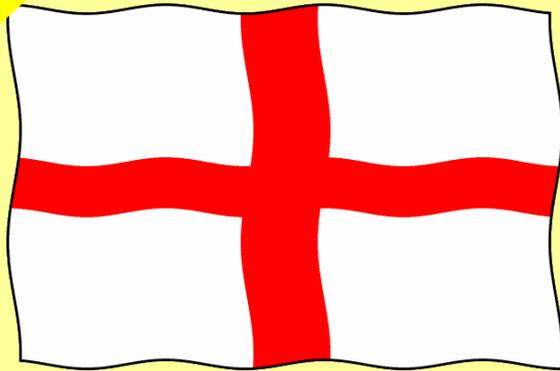
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Bingo!

Das Brainstorming – Wie sagt man auf Deutsch?

Länder

Häuser

Orte

KEIN ENGLISCH!

Deutsch im Klassenzimmer

	It's masculine		It's feminine
	It's neuter		It's plural
	It finishes with...		It starts with...
	it is different		'm ready/finished

1. It is different because 'A' begins with 't'.
2. It is different because 'B' is neuter.
3. 'C' is different because it ends with 'e'.
4. Es ist anders, weil es mit 'das' beginnt.
5. 'A' ist anders, weil es männlich ist, und ich bin fertig!!

Extra – mach dein eigenes Spiel!

1	a. Deutschland	b. Wales	c. England
2	a. das Land	b. die Stadt	c. das Dorf
3	a. das Reihenhaus	b. die Schule	c. die Wohnung

Was sind die Fragen?

1. Wie heißt du?
2. Wie alt bist du?
3. Hast du Geschwister?
4. wohnst du?
5. möchtest du in der Zukunft wohnen?
6. wohnst du?
7. Was für ein Haus hast du?
8. Was lernst du in der Schule?
9. Was machst du in deiner Freizeit?
10. Wie war das Wochenende?

1. Ich heiße
2. Ich bin .. Jahre alt
3. Ich habe
4. Ich wohne in
5. Ich möchte
6. Ich wohne
7. Ich habe
8. Ich lerne
9. Ich spiele / Ich mache
10. Es war ...

'It is so nice to hear you talking in Spanish to Y8s – this didn't happen until AS for me and it is so important.' Alice Y13

'It's really strange in my new group, we only speak German when we are doing exercises now – it's such a shame and I don't like it.' Brandon Y7

Some student quotes

'It was really hard at the beginning, but you always use the same instructions, so once I knew [them] it was easy. It's much better than last year!' Will Y10