



Creative ways of developing speaking skills in English classes

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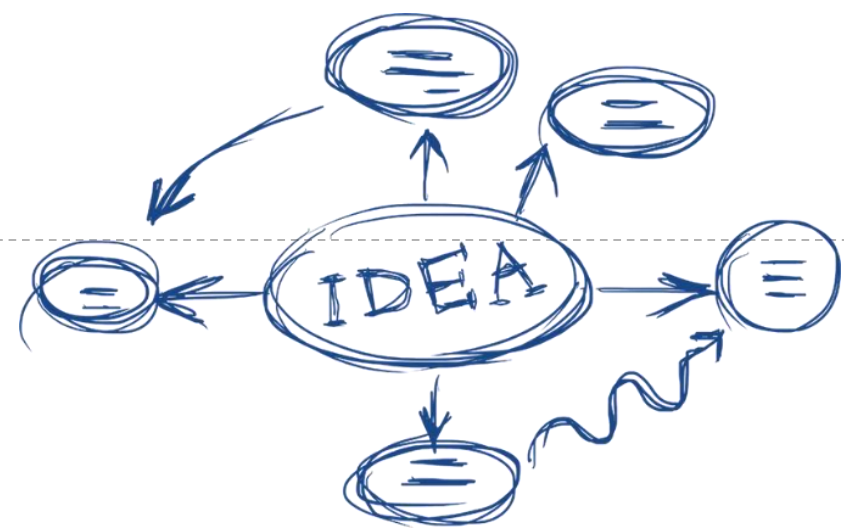
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Why speaking?

Speaking is regarded as the most important skill students can acquire, and communicative language teaching and collaborative learning serve best for this aim.



BRAINSTORMING



Use your internet enabled electronic devices to enter the site so that to brainstorm on the topic in order get to know each other:

<https://padlet.com/vaidajuce/narva>



INTRODUCING GAME

Let's talk!

Easy hint to improve your speech:



Work in pairs with a person next to you.

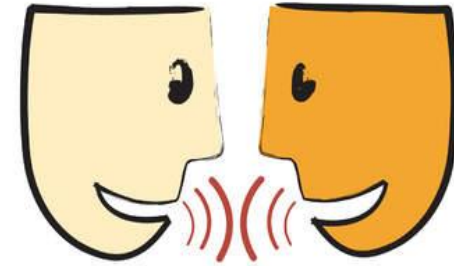
Using the given scheme, find out which information was posted by your partner in the brainstorming task and other personal details about him/her.

The information you find out while communicating with each other must be reported to the audience.

<http://www.online-stopwatch.com/full-screen-stopwatch/>

When you follow this model, it will keep you talking for longer than you think!

CARD - SWAPPING DISCUSSION



Choose a card and find a partner to work with.

The discussion is based on the cards that you hold – answer each other's questions provided on the card.

Next, you have to swap your cards, find a new partner and do the same once again.



ONE MINUTE TALKS

You take turns selecting a lettered cloud. After clicking it, it will hyperlink to a 'talk for a minute' slide. Read the question, check understanding, then talk for a minute on the topic.



CREATING A STORY

Create a story by adding one sentence after the other.

The story starts with a sentence...

Once upon a time a number of respectful educators from various countries met at Narva College.

People were very interested in CLIL and ELT.

Question sets and various discussions were organized during the conference.





What is the shortest word in English language that contains the letters:
abcdef



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