

Use Unit 4, after classroom activity 4	Activity in pairs; role-play
Duration 20–30 mins.	Focus Present and past participle adjectives; Fluency

Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each pair of students.

Procedure

1. Inform students that they are going to create a short dialogue between two people. From the worksheet you are going to give them, they are going to choose one character each, a mood for each character, and a topic for discussion. So, for example, they could be an annoyed mother and an embarrassed teenager talking about a surprising letter.
2. Pair up the students. Hand out the worksheet and allow two or three minutes for them to decide on their characters and topic. They should fill in one cell from each column, using the adjectives given on the worksheet or their own ideas.
3. Allow about ten minutes for students to prepare their dialogues.
4. Walk around, monitor and help if necessary.
5. Each pair acts out the dialogue they have come up with in front of the class. The class guesses the mood of the characters in the dialogue and the topic of the conversation.

Extension

Invite students to participate in a class discussion. Ask questions using the target language, e.g. *When are you annoyed / motivated / embarrassed / disappointed? / What do you find annoying / motivating / embarrassing / disappointing?*, etc.

Elicit the language needed to answer the questions and write it on the board, e.g. *I'm annoyed / motivated when ...; I think ... is annoying / motivating.*, etc.

Choose an adjective / mood for each character and an adjective to describe the topic.

annoyed annoying bored boring confused confusing disappointed disappointing
 embarrassed embarrassing excited exciting relaxed relaxing surprised surprising

Person A	Person B	Topic of the conversation
A / an _____ scientist	a / an _____ friend	a / an _____ dinner
A / an _____ mother	a / an _____ colleague	a / an _____ letter
A / an _____ artist	a / an _____ teenager	a / an _____ film
A / an _____ celebrity	a / an _____ model	a / an _____ weekend
A / an _____	a / an _____	a / an _____