

Speaking activities for large classrooms

HI, I'M ELIZA!

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- Introduction to the Session
- 2 Interactive Activities
- Design activity and Assessement
- 4 Review and reflect

Let's Break the ice

- 1 How long have you been a teacher?
- How do you feel when speaking English with your colleagues vs. speaking with a stranger?

What other country would you like to teach in, if you had the opportunity?

NOW, LET'S GOSSIP



Time to travel!

Each person will now travel to a new group and gossip about their old groups members.

The new team will then ask more follow up questions

After 3 minutes, a new person will leave and the gossip will continue!

TIME TO WALK THE GALLERY

In your groups, find a question placed around the room.

Discuss this questions for 2-3 minutes, but DO NOT LEAVE the area

When teacher calls CHANGE NOW, go to the next question

LET'S SHARE

Picture stories

Can this image be related to one of your topics in your curriculum? Why or why not?

Is this an appropriate image that can generate discussions in your class? Why or why not?



Spend 3 minutes discussing your photo, then pass it to the next group

Picture stories part 2 (PS)

Look at the photos given.

Arrange them in the order you think they happened.

Explain why you think it is.







Problem Solving

Each group is given a problem. They work on a solution for five minutes
Then they change for a new problem-repeat

LET'S SHARE



Listing and ranking (SS)

You need to complete a list of 10 TIPS FOR BETTER SPEAKING.

Complete the suggestions, add your own, then agree as a team your ranking from most important to least



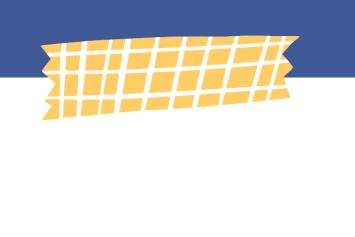
Listing and ranking (PS)

You need to complete a list of

10 best items for the classroom

Complete the suggestions, add your own, then agree

as a team your ranking from most important to least



LET'S TALK

How did the ranking help produce language?



BUDGETING ACTIVITY (SS)

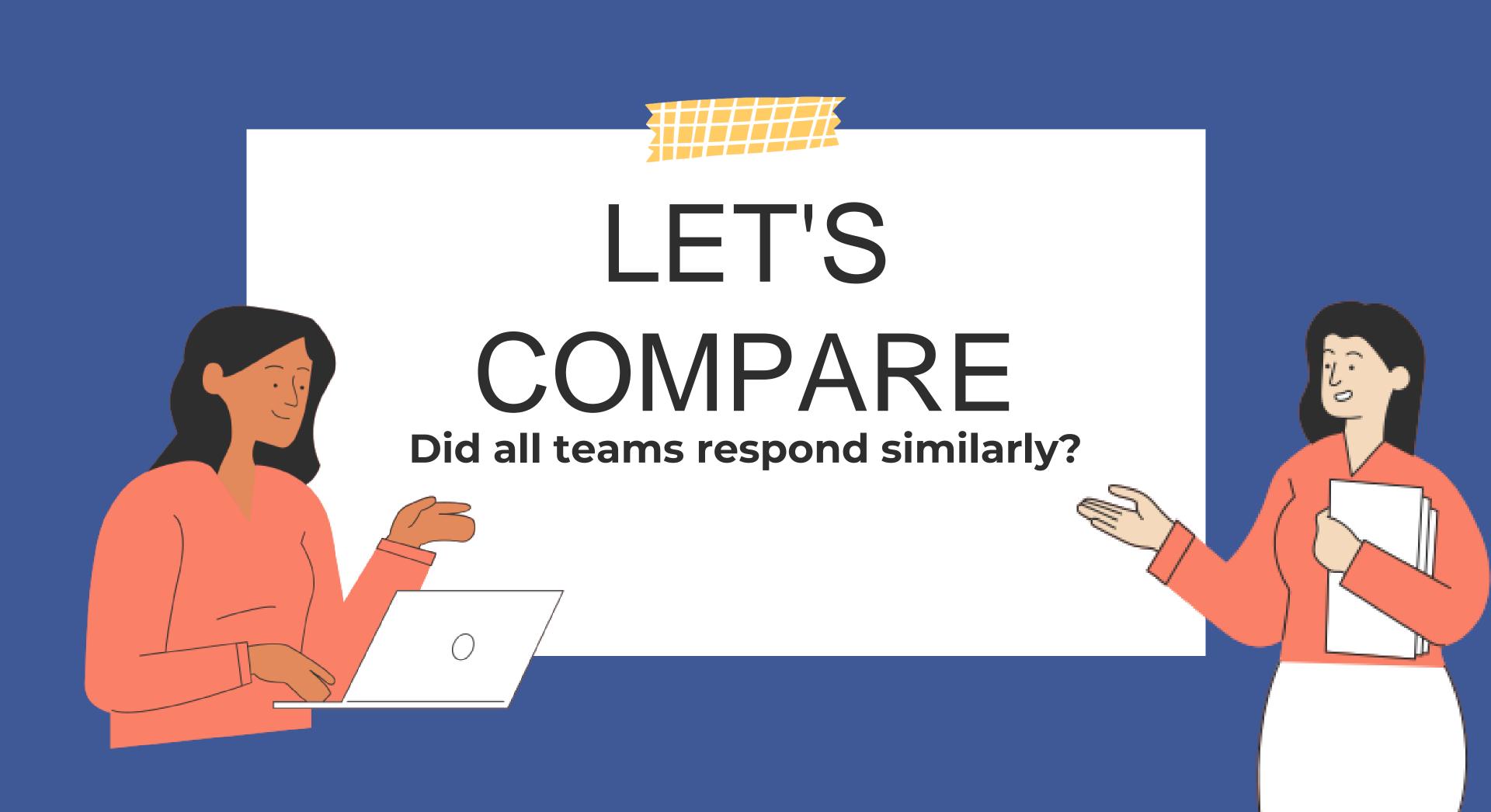
Due to cuts, the classroom now has a very strict budget. You and your colleagues have to debate how to spend the budget and agree on a list of items for the classroom.

Your total budget is 30 million VND

BUDGETING ACTIVITY (PS)

It's the end of the year, and you have prizes for your team with the stickers you got from your teacher

You have 40 stickers for your team. What items do you choose?



LET'S MAKE AN ACTIVITY

Look at the material given for a secondary class. How would you use it to create a 15 minute speaking lesson?

In your groups, brainstorm using your own ideas or what we've already done in class

ASSESSMENT

Using Rubrics can help make assessment easier and help students achieve better

Let's look at how Cambridge Speaking exams are assessed

ASSESSMENT

Now, looking at your activity you created with your team, build a rubric that would be relevant to your students' needs for this particular assignment.

Let's share our activities and rubrics!

ANY QUESTIONS?

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