QUIZ BOARD!

ESL CHALLENGE

Pick a category · Answer the clue · Win the points · Levels A1–B1

	100	100	100		100
200	200	200		200	200
300	300		300	300	300
400		400	400	400	

TEACHER GUIDE

How to play · Daily Doubles · Final Round · Teacher keys
Team scorecards · Final Round wager slips · Board planner
Answer sheets for all 20 boards (600 clues)

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HOW TO PLAY

A quiz board game for 2–6 teams · choose a category and points, answer the clue, win the points

GETTING STARTED

- Unzip the download, open the folder and double-click index.html. It opens in your web browser (Chrome or Edge work best). No internet is needed. Keep all the files together.
- For a class, connect to a projector, smartboard or TV and press the full-screen button (or the F key).
- Choose 2 to 6 teams and type the team names. Pick a level (A1, A2, B1 or All) and choose a board. Open Game options to change the number of categories (5 or 6), Daily Doubles (0, 1 or 2), the timer, and whether wrong answers lose points. Press Play.

PLAYING A TILE

- A team chooses a category and points, for example: 'Animal Sounds for 300, please!' Tap that tile. The clue opens full screen.
- Read the clue aloud, or press the speaker button. If the timer is on, it starts by itself. Tap the timer (or press T) to pause or restart it.
- Teams put up their hands. The first team to answer says the answer. Press Show answer (Space) to show the answer to everyone.
- Right answer: press the green button under that team (or the team number key 1–6). The team wins the points.
- Wrong answer: press the red button (Shift + team number). The team loses the points. Then another team can try. If you turn off 'Wrong answers lose points', a wrong answer just plays the buzzer.
- Press Back to the board (Space or Esc). The tile turns dark. The team that won the last points chooses next; its score box glows.

DAILY DOUBLE

- One tile (or two) hides a Daily Double. It is never a 100 tile. Only the team that chose it plays.
- Check the team, then type a wager (a bet). A team can wager up to its score, or up to 500 if its score is lower. Press Show the clue.
- Right answer: the team wins the wager. Wrong answer: the team loses the wager.

FINAL ROUND

- When the board is finished, press Final Round. Everyone sees the category first.
- Each team writes a secret wager on paper (use the wager slips in this guide), then you type them in. A team can wager up to its score, or up to 100 if its score is lower.
- Press Show the final clue. Teams have 30 seconds or more to write the answer. Show the answer, mark each team right or wrong, then press Final scores to see the winner.

TEACHER KEYS AND TOOLS

Everything works with a mouse, a touch screen or the keyboard

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS

Arrow keys + Enter	move between tiles and open one
Space	show the answer / go back to the board
1 – 6	team 1–6 is right (wins the points)
Shift + 1 – 6	team 1–6 is wrong (loses the points)
Esc	back to the board
T	start or pause the timer
R	read the clue aloud
U	undo the last score change
M	sound on / off
F	full screen

USEFUL BUTTONS

- Undo: takes back the last score change. Press it again to go back further. Use it if you press the wrong team.
- + and – on a team's score box: add or take away 100 points (for bonus points or a penalty).
- Team names: tap a name on the scoreboard to change it during the game.
- A dark tile can be opened again to see its clue and answer.
- Reset board: all tiles come back, scores go to 0 and the Daily Doubles move to new places.
- End game: shows the winner at any time.
- The game is saved in the browser. If you close the page by mistake, press Continue last game on the start screen.

MAKE YOUR OWN BOARDS

- Press Make your own boards. Type a board name and choose a level. Use the tabs to write up to 6 categories with 5 clues and answers each (100 = easiest, 500 = hardest), plus a Final clue. Press Save board.
- You can also copy a ready-made board and change it. Empty tiles are skipped. If you do not write a Final clue, the game uses a ready-made one at the same level.
- Your boards appear on the start screen with a green level tag. Export saves them to a .json file to keep or share with other teachers. Import loads a file again on any computer.

TEACHING TIPS

Make every tile a speaking moment

BEFORE THE GAME

- Choose a board at the right level. A1 boards suit young beginners, A2 boards suit upper primary, B1 boards suit lower secondary and older learners.
- Teach the game language: 'Can we have Food for 200, please?', 'Is it...?', 'I think it's...', 'We wager 300 points!'
- Make mixed teams of 3–6 students. Give each player a number so everybody gets a turn to choose and to answer.

DURING THE GAME

- Accept answers in brackets and answers with the same meaning (rubber = eraser, lift = elevator).
- For spelling tiles, ask the team to spell the word letter by letter, or write it on a mini whiteboard.
- For big classes: every team writes each answer on a mini whiteboard and holds it up. Give points to every team that is right.
- Turn off 'Wrong answers lose points' for young learners, so nobody goes below zero.
- Ask for a full sentence for a bonus: 'A baby cat is a kitten.' Use the + button to give 100 extra points.

AFTER THE GAME

- Use the answer sheets in this guide for review: read a clue and the class says the answer.
- Ask teams to write their own category with 5 clues from easy to hard. Type the best ones into the editor for next lesson.
- Play the same board again next week: the Daily Doubles move to new places.

SUGGESTED LESSON PLAN (40 MINUTES)

- 5 min warm-up and key words · 25 min game (about 20–30 tiles) · 5 min Final Round · 5 min review.

THE 20 READY-MADE BOARDS

Each board has 6 categories x 5 clues (100–500) and a Final Round clue

A1 · BEGINNER

First Words	Colours, Numbers, Body Parts, Family, Classroom, Days & Months
Animal Planet	Farm Animals, Wild Animals, Sea Animals, Animal Sounds, Baby Animals, Animal Bodies
Yummy Food	Fruit, Vegetables, Drinks, Breakfast, Food Spelling, Thai to English
Opposites & Feelings	Opposites, Feelings, Shapes, Weather, Describe It, More Opposites
Phonics Fun	First Sounds, Rhyming Words, Short Vowels, Magic E, Blends, Odd One Out
Grammar Starters	Am, Is, Are, A or An, Plurals, This & These, Have or Has, In, On, Under

A2 · ELEMENTARY

Verbs in Action	Action Verbs, Past: Regular, Past: Irregular, -ing Spelling, Daily Routine, Phrasal Verbs
Question Time	Wh- Words, How...?, Do or Does, Was or Were, Make the Question, Short Answers
Around the World	Countries, Capital Cities, Nationalities, Languages, Famous Places, Flags
Spelling Bee	Spell It!, Double Letters, Silent Letters, Which Is Right?, Unscramble, Sound-alikes
Home & Town	Rooms, In the House, Places in Town, Jobs, Transport, Directions
Grammar Builder	Comparatives, Superlatives, Can or Can't, Some, Any, Much, How Often?, My, Her, Our
Sports & Free Time	Sports, Play, Go or Do, Equipment, Music, Hobbies, Healthy Life
Food & Shopping	Containers, Cooking Verbs, Restaurant, Much or Many, Tastes, Shopping

B1 · PRE-INTERMEDIATE

Grammar Challenge	Present Perfect, Past Continuous, The Future, If..., Passive, Modals
Word Power	Synonyms, Antonyms, Make or Do, Prefixes, Suffixes, Word Families
Phrasal Verbs & Idioms	Phrasal Verbs, Idioms, Word + Preposition, Tricky Words, Body Idioms, What Does It Mean?
World & Science	Space, Science, Geography, Inventions, Environment, Human Body
Mixed Challenge	Riddles, Definitions, Find the Mistake, Make the Question, Who Am I?, Thailand
Animals & Nature	Animal Groups, Habitats, Life Cycles, Animal Facts, Plants & Trees, Weather & Seasons

TEAM SCORECARD

Print one per game · use it if you play without a screen, or to keep a record

Date: _____ **Class:** _____ **Board:** _____

TEAM 1	TEAM 2	TEAM 3	TEAM 4	TEAM 5	TEAM 6
name: _____	name: _____	name: _____	name: _____	name: _____	name: _____
TOTAL	**TOTAL**	**TOTAL**	**TOTAL**	**TOTAL**	**TOTAL**

Winner: _____ **Best answer of the day:** _____

Write + or – and the points for each tile, for example +300 or –200.

FINAL ROUND WAGER SLIPS

Cut out · one per team · write the wager first, then the answer

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

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Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

FINAL ROUND

Team: _____

Our wager: _____ **points**

Our answer: _____

You can wager up to your score (or up to 100).

PLAN YOUR OWN BOARD

Write it on paper, then type it into the editor (Make your own boards)

Board name: _____ **Level: A1 / A2 / B1**

CATEGORY 1: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

CATEGORY 2: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

CATEGORY 3: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

CATEGORY 4: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

CATEGORY 5: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

CATEGORY 6: _____	Answer
100	
200	
300	
400	
500	

FINAL: category _____ **clue** _____ **answer** _____

FIRST WORDS (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 1 of 20 · Colours, numbers, body, family, classroom, days

COLOURS

100	The colour of a banana.	**yellow**
200	The colour of grass.	**green**
300	Red + white = ?	**pink**
400	Red + yellow = ?	**orange**
500	Red + blue = ?	**purple**

NUMBERS

100	What number comes after nine?	**ten (10)**
200	5 + 7 = ? Say it in English.	**twelve**
300	Spell the number 3.	**T-H-R-E-E**
400	20 + 30 = ? Say it in English.	**fifty**
500	Spell the number 40. (Careful!)	**F-O-R-T-Y**

BODY PARTS

100	You see with your ___.	**eyes**
200	You hear with your ___.	**ears**
300	You have ten of these on your hands.	**fingers**
400	Your foot is at the end of your ___.	**leg**
500	The part between your head and your body.	**neck**

FAMILY

100	Your mother's husband is your ___.	**father (dad)**
200	Your father's mother is your ___.	**grandmother (grandma)**
300	Your mother's sister is your ___.	**aunt**
400	Your aunt's son or daughter is your ___.	**cousin**
500	Your brother's son is your ___.	**nephew**

CLASSROOM

100	You write with it. It has ink.	**a pen**
200	You cut paper with them.	**scissors**
300	It takes away pencil mistakes.	**a rubber (an eraser)**
400	You draw a straight line with it.	**a ruler**
500	A book with the meanings of words.	**a dictionary**

DAYS & MONTHS

100	The day after Monday.	**Tuesday**
200	The first month of the year.	**January**
300	How many days are in a week?	**seven (7)**
400	The day before Sunday.	**Saturday**
500	The month after August.	**September**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Months**

This month has only 28 days (29 in a leap year). **Answer: February**

ANIMAL PLANET (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 2 of 20 · Farm, wild and sea animals, sounds, babies

FARM ANIMALS

100	It says "moo" and gives us milk.	**a cow**
200	It lays eggs on the farm.	**a hen (chicken)**
300	It is pink and says "oink".	**a pig**
400	Its wool makes warm jumpers.	**a sheep**
500	People ride it. It says "neigh".	**a horse**

WILD ANIMALS

100	The king of the jungle.	**a lion**
200	It has a very, very long neck.	**a giraffe**
300	The biggest land animal. It has a trunk.	**an elephant**
400	It is black and white and eats bamboo.	**a panda**
500	It jumps and carries its baby in a pouch.	**a kangaroo**

SEA ANIMALS

100	It has eight arms.	**an octopus**
200	A big fish with sharp teeth.	**a shark**
300	It has a hard shell and walks sideways.	**a crab**
400	A clever sea animal. It jumps and "smiles".	**a dolphin**
500	The biggest animal in the world.	**a blue whale**

ANIMAL SOUNDS

100	A dog says ____.	**woof**
200	A cat says ____.	**meow (miaow)**
300	A duck says ____.	**quack**
400	A snake says ____.	**hiss**
500	A rooster says ____.	**cock-a-doodle-doo**

BABY ANIMALS

100	A baby dog is a ____.	**puppy**
200	A baby cat is a ____.	**kitten**
300	A baby cow is a ____.	**calf**
400	A baby sheep is a ____.	**lamb**
500	A baby frog is a ____.	**tadpole**

ANIMAL BODIES

100	Birds use these to fly.	**wings**
200	Fish use these to swim.	**fins**
300	An elephant's long nose is called a ____.	**trunk**
400	A rabbit has two long ____.	**ears**
500	A tiger has orange fur with black ____.	**stripes**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Animals**

It sleeps in the day, flies at night and hangs upside down. **Answer: a bat**

YUMMY FOOD (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 3 of 20 · Fruit, vegetables, drinks, breakfast, Thai words

FRUIT

100	A long yellow fruit. Monkeys love it.	**a banana**
200	"An ___ a day keeps the doctor away."	**apple**
300	Big and green outside, red inside, with black seeds.	**a watermelon**
400	A sweet yellow fruit. Thai people eat it with sticky rice.	**a mango**
500	A spiky fruit with a very strong smell.	**a durian**

VEGETABLES

100	A long orange vegetable. Rabbits love it.	**a carrot**
200	It makes you cry when you cut it.	**an onion**
300	We make chips (fries) from it.	**a potato**
400	Small, round and green. It grows in a pod.	**a pea (peas)**
500	It looks like a little green tree.	**broccoli**

DRINKS

100	A white drink from cows.	**milk**
200	It comes from the tap. It has no colour.	**water**
300	A hot brown drink made from beans.	**coffee**
400	A drink made from oranges.	**orange juice**
500	A drink made from leaves. Thai people drink it cold with milk.	**tea**

BREAKFAST

100	A hen lays it. We can fry it or boil it.	**an egg**
200	We make toast from it.	**bread**
300	Bees make this sweet, sticky food.	**honey**
400	You pour milk on it in a bowl. Corn flakes are one kind.	**cereal**
500	Thai rice soup for breakfast (jok).	**rice porridge (congee)**

FOOD SPELLING

100	Spell the long yellow fruit.	**B-A-N-A-N-A**
200	Spell the round Italian food with cheese on top.	**P-I-Z-Z-A**
300	Spell the meat from a chicken.	**C-H-I-C-K-E-N**
400	Spell the cold sweet food: vanilla or chocolate.	**I-C-E C-R-E-A-M**
500	Spell the long thin pasta from Italy.	**S-P-A-G-H-E-T-T-I**

THAI TO ENGLISH

100	"Khao" in English.	**rice**
200	"Kai" (the bird and the meat) in English.	**chicken**
300	"Pla" in English.	**fish**
400	"Moo" (the meat) in English.	**pork**
500	"Kung" in tom yum kung, in English.	**prawn (shrimp)**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Fruit**

This small red fruit has its seeds on the outside. **Answer: a strawberry**

OPPOSITES & FEELINGS (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 4 of 20 · Opposites, feelings, shapes, weather

OPPOSITES

100	The opposite of hot.	**cold**
200	The opposite of big.	**small (little)**
300	The opposite of happy.	**sad**
400	The opposite of fast.	**slow**
500	The opposite of open.	**closed (shut)**

FEELINGS

100	You smile. You feel ___.	**happy**
200	You want to eat. You feel ___.	**hungry**
300	You want to sleep. You feel ___.	**tired (sleepy)**
400	You see a ghost! You feel ___.	**scared (afraid)**
500	Someone breaks your toy. You feel ___.	**angry**

SHAPES

100	A shape with 3 sides.	**a triangle**
200	A round, flat shape like a coin.	**a circle**
300	A shape with 4 equal sides.	**a square**
400	A shape like a door: 2 long sides and 2 short sides.	**a rectangle**
500	A shape with 5 points. You see it on flags.	**a star**

WEATHER

100	Water falls from the clouds.	**rain (rainy)**
200	Bright and hot with no clouds.	**sunny**
300	Cold and white. It falls in winter in some countries.	**snow**
400	The air moves fast and the trees move.	**windy**
500	A flash of light in a storm.	**lightning**

DESCRIBE IT

100	An elephant is ___. (big / small)	**big**
200	Ice is ___.	**cold**
300	A cheetah is very ___.	**fast**
400	Sugar tastes ___.	**sweet**
500	A lemon tastes ___.	**sour**

MORE OPPOSITES

100	The opposite of old (for a person).	**young**
200	The opposite of tall.	**short**
300	The opposite of heavy.	**light**
400	The opposite of early.	**late**
500	The opposite of easy.	**difficult (hard)**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Opposites**

The opposite of "always". **Answer: never**

PHONICS FUN (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 5 of 20 · First sounds, rhymes, vowels, magic e, blends

FIRST SOUNDS

100	Which letter does "ball" start with?	**b**
200	Which sound starts "ship", "shoe" and "shop"?	**sh**
300	Which sound starts "chair", "cheese" and "chicken"?	**ch**
400	Which sound starts "think", "three" and "thumb"?	**th**
500	"Phone" starts with the /f/ sound. Which two letters?	**ph**

RHYMING WORDS

100	Say a word that rhymes with "cat".	**hat, bat, mat, rat, sat…**
200	Say a word that rhymes with "dog".	**log, frog, fog, jog…**
300	Say a word that rhymes with "cake".	**lake, make, bake, snake…**
400	Say a word that rhymes with "night".	**light, kite, white, right…**
500	Say a word that rhymes with "bear".	**chair, hair, pear, there, where…**

SHORT VOWELS

100	c _ t (a pet that says meow)	**a (cat)**
200	b _ d (you sleep in it)	**e (bed)**
300	p _ g (it says oink)	**i (pig)**
400	s _ n (hot and in the sky)	**u (sun)**
500	f _ x (an orange wild animal)	**o (fox)**

MAGIC E

100	Add magic e to "kit".	**kite**
200	Add magic e to "cap".	**cape**
300	Add magic e to "hop".	**hope**
400	Add magic e to "cub".	**cube**
500	Which word has a long "a": cat, cake or can?	**cake**

BLENDS

100	Which blend starts "frog" and "fruit"?	**fr**
200	Which blend starts "star" and "stop"?	**st**
300	Which blend starts "tree" and "train"?	**tr**
400	Which blend starts "black" and "blue"?	**bl**
500	Which three letters start "string", "street" and "strong"?	**str**

ODD ONE OUT

100	Which does NOT start with /s/: sun, sock, moon?	**moon**
200	Which does NOT rhyme: cat, hat, dog?	**dog**
300	Which does NOT have "sh": fish, shop, chip?	**chip**
400	Which has a silent letter: knee, nose, neck?	**knee (silent k)**
500	Which does NOT end with a /k/ sound: duck, cake, cup?	**cup**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Phonics**

Which two letters make the /f/ sound in "elephant"? **Answer: ph**

GRAMMAR STARTERS (A1)

Answer sheet · Board 6 of 20 · Am/is/are, a/an, plurals, this/these, have/has

AM, IS, ARE

100	I ___ a student.	**am**
200	She ___ my sister.	**is**
300	They ___ at school.	**are**
400	My cat ___ black.	**is**
500	Tom and I ___ friends.	**are**

A OR AN

100	___ apple	**an**
200	___ dog	**a**
300	___ elephant	**an**
400	___ umbrella	**an**
500	___ hour (careful: the h is silent!)	**an**

PLURALS

100	One cat, two ___.	**cats**
200	One box, two ___.	**boxes**
300	One baby, two ___.	**babies**
400	One child, two ___.	**children**
500	One mouse, two ___.	**mice**

THIS & THESE

100	___ is my pen. (one, near)	**This**
200	___ are my shoes. (many, near)	**These**
300	___ is a bird in the sky. (one, far)	**That**
400	___ are stars in the sky. (many, far)	**Those**
500	Is ___ your bag over there?	**that**

HAVE OR HAS

100	I ___ a brother.	**have**
200	He ___ a bike.	**has**
300	We ___ two dogs.	**have**
400	My mum ___ long hair.	**has**
500	___ you got a pencil?	**Have**

IN, ON, UNDER

100	The fish is ___ the water.	**in**
200	The book is ___ the table.	**on**
300	The cat is ___ the bed (below it).	**under**
400	The ball is ___ the box and the chair.	**between**
500	The school is ___ to the park (very near).	**next**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Grammar**

Correct the mistake: "She have a cat." **Answer: She has a cat.**

VERBS IN ACTION (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 7 of 20 · Action verbs, past tense, -ing, routines

ACTION VERBS

100	You do this with *a* book.	**read**
200	You do this in *a* swimming pool.	**swim**
300	You do this with *a* pencil to make *a* picture.	**draw**
400	You do this to music with your feet.	**dance**
500	You do this with *a* ball and your hand.	**throw (catch)**

PAST: REGULAR

100	play → ?	**played**
200	watch → ?	**watched**
300	study → ?	**studied**
400	stop → ?	**stopped**
500	travel → ?	**travelled (US: traveled)**

PAST: IRREGULAR

100	go → ?	**went**
200	eat → ?	**ate**
300	buy → ?	**bought**
400	swim → ?	**swam**
500	teach → ?	**taught**

-ING SPELLING

100	play → ?	**playing**
200	make → ?	**making**
300	run → ?	**running**
400	swim → ?	**swimming**
500	lie → ?	**lying**

DAILY ROUTINE

100	In the morning I ____ up at 6 o'clock.	**wake (get)**
200	I ____ my teeth.	**brush**
300	I ____ *a* shower.	**take (have)**
400	I ____ dressed for school.	**get**
500	At night I ____ to bed.	**go**

PHRASAL VERBS

100	"Please sit ____."	**down**
200	"Put ____ your coat. It's cold."	**on**
300	"Turn ____ the light. I want to sleep."	**off**
400	"Look ____ the word in the dictionary."	**up**
500	"Please look ____ your little brother."	**after**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Irregular Verbs**

What is the past simple of "think"? **Answer: thought**

QUESTION TIME (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 8 of 20 · Wh- questions, do/does, was/were, short answers

WH- WORDS

100	___ is your name?	**What**
200	___ do you live?	**Where**
300	___ is your birthday? In May.	**When**
400	___ is that man? He's my uncle.	**Who**
500	___ are you sad? Because I lost my phone.	**Why**

HOW...?

100	How ___ are you? I'm ten.	**old**
200	How ___ is this shirt? 300 baht.	**much**
300	How ___ brothers have you got?	**many**
400	How ___ do you play football? Twice a week.	**often**
500	How ___ is it to Bangkok? About 50 km.	**far**

DO OR DOES

100	___ you like ice cream?	**Do**
200	___ she play the piano?	**Does**
300	___ they live in Chiang Mai?	**Do**
400	___ your dad drive to work?	**Does**
500	What time ___ the film start?	**does**

WAS OR WERE

100	___ you at home yesterday?	**Were**
200	I ___ tired last night.	**was**
300	___ it hot in Phuket?	**Was**
400	They ___ at the beach.	**were**
500	Where ___ you born?	**were**

MAKE THE QUESTION

100	Answer: "I'm fine, thanks."	**How are you?**
200	Answer: "It's 3 o'clock."	**What time is it?**
300	Answer: "I'm from Thailand."	**Where are you from?**
400	Answer: "My bag is blue."	**What colour is your bag?**
500	Answer: "Yesterday I went to the market."	**Where did you go yesterday?**

SHORT ANSWERS

100	Are you a student? Yes, I ___.	**am**
200	Is she Thai? No, she ___.	**isn't**
300	Do you like cats? Yes, I ___.	**do**
400	Can he swim? No, he ___.	**can't**
500	Did they win? Yes, they ___.	**did**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Questions**

Put the words in order: you / do / where / live ?

Answer: Where do you live?

AROUND THE WORLD (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 9 of 20 · Countries, capitals, nationalities, languages

COUNTRIES

100	Bangkok is in this country.	**Thailand**
200	The country of kangaroos.	**Australia**
300	A country famous for pizza and pasta.	**Italy**
400	The biggest country in the world.	**Russia**
500	Thailand's neighbour to the west. Its biggest city is Yangon.	**Myanmar**

CAPITAL CITIES

100	The capital of Japan.	**Tokyo**
200	The capital of the UK.	**London**
300	The capital of France.	**Paris**
400	The capital of Vietnam.	**Hanoi**
500	The capital of Australia (not Sydney!).	**Canberra**

NATIONALITIES

100	A person from Thailand is ___.	**Thai**
200	A person from Japan is ___.	**Japanese**
300	A person from China is ___.	**Chinese**
400	A person from France is ___.	**French**
500	A person from the Netherlands is ___.	**Dutch**

LANGUAGES

100	People in Spain speak ___.	**Spanish**
200	People in Korea speak ___.	**Korean**
300	People in Germany speak ___.	**German**
400	People in Brazil speak ___.	**Portuguese**
500	Most people in Egypt speak ___.	**Arabic**

FAMOUS PLACES

100	A very long wall in China.	**the Great Wall**
200	A tall iron tower in Paris.	**the Eiffel Tower**
300	A big clock tower in London.	**Big Ben**
400	A famous old temple in Cambodia.	**Angkor Wat**
500	Old stone triangles in Egypt.	**the Pyramids**

FLAGS

100	Japan's flag: a red circle on ___.	**white**
200	How many colours are on the Thai flag?	**three (red, white, blue)**
300	This country's flag has a red maple leaf.	**Canada**
400	This country's flag has 50 stars.	**the USA**
500	This flag is a red cross on white. It is part of the UK.	**England**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Geography**

The longest river in Africa. **Answer: the Nile**

SPELLING BEE (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 10 of 20 · Spelling, double and silent letters, unscramble

SPELL IT!

100	Spell the colour of the sky.	**B-L-U-E**
200	Spell the day after Wednesday.	**T-H-U-R-S-D-A-Y**
300	Spell the place where you learn.	**S-C-H-O-O-L**
400	Spell a person you like and play with.	**F-R-I-E-N-D**
500	Spell the place where you borrow books.	**L-I-B-R-A-R-Y**

DOUBLE LETTERS

100	ap _ le (a fruit)	**p (apple)**
200	co _ _ ee (a hot drink)	**ff (coffee)**
300	di _ _ er (the evening meal)	**nn (dinner)**
400	su _ _ er (the hot season)	**mm (summer)**
500	a _ _ ress (where you live)	**dd (address)**

SILENT LETTERS

100	Which letter is silent in "knife"?	**k**
200	Which letter is silent in "write"?	**w**
300	Which letter is silent in "hour"?	**h**
400	Which letter is silent in "lamb"?	**b**
500	Which letter is silent in "listen"?	**t**

WHICH IS RIGHT?

100	freind or friend?	**friend**
200	becuase or because?	**because**
300	beautiful or beatiful?	**beautiful**
400	Wednesday or Wensday?	**Wednesday**
500	necessary or neccessary?	**necessary**

UNSCRAMBLE

100	O - G - D (an animal)	**dog**
200	S - E - H - O - U (you live in it)	**house**
300	R - T - W - E - A (a drink)	**water**
400	T - E - N - A - L - P (Earth is one)	**planet**
500	E - T - E - L - H - A - P - N (a big grey animal)	**elephant**

SOUND-ALIKES

100	two, too or to: which is a number?	**two**
200	"I can ___ you." (see / sea)	**see**
300	"The ___ is full of fish." (see / sea)	**sea**
400	"___ is my bag?" (Where / Wear)	**Where**
500	"Put ___ bags over ___." (their / there)	**their … there**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Spelling**

Spell the month after November.

Answer: D-E-C-E-M-B-E-R

HOME & TOWN (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 11 of 20 · Rooms, places in town, jobs, transport

ROOMS

100	You sleep in this room.	**the bedroom**
200	You cook in this room.	**the kitchen**
300	You take a shower in this room.	**the bathroom**
400	You watch TV and relax in this room.	**the living room**
500	You park the car here.	**the garage**

IN THE HOUSE

100	You sit on it.	**a chair**
200	It keeps food cold.	**a fridge**
300	You keep your clothes in it.	**a wardrobe**
400	You look at yourself in it.	**a mirror**
500	You wash the dishes in it.	**a sink**

PLACES IN TOWN

100	You buy medicine here.	**a pharmacy (chemist's)**
200	You go here when you are very ill.	**a hospital**
300	You borrow books here.	**a library**
400	You send letters and parcels here.	**a post office**
500	You see old and important things here.	**a museum**

JOBS

100	This person teaches students.	**a teacher**
200	This person helps sick animals.	**a vet**
300	This person cooks in a restaurant.	**a chef (cook)**
400	This person flies a plane.	**a pilot**
500	This person fixes cars.	**a mechanic**

TRANSPORT

100	It has two wheels and pedals.	**a bike (bicycle)**
200	Bangkok's train in the sky.	**the Skytrain (BTS)**
300	A Thai taxi with three wheels.	**a tuk-tuk**
400	It carries people across the river.	**a boat (ferry)**
500	It takes people up and down in a tall building.	**a lift (elevator)**

DIRECTIONS

100	The opposite of "turn left".	**turn right**
200	Don't turn. Go ___ on.	**straight**
300	The bank is ___ the café (face to face).	**opposite**
400	The shop is ___ the corner.	**on**
500	Walk ___ the bridge to the other side.	**across (over)**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Town**

The place where you catch a plane. **Answer: the airport**

GRAMMAR BUILDER (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 12 of 20 · Comparatives, superlatives, can, some/any

COMPARATIVES

100	big → ?	**bigger**
200	happy → ?	**happier**
300	good → ?	**better**
400	bad → ?	**worse**
500	expensive → ?	**more expensive**

SUPERLATIVES

100	tall → the ?	**the tallest**
200	hot → the ?	**the hottest**
300	good → the ?	**the best**
400	far → the ?	**the furthest (farthest)**
500	"Railay is the ___ (beautiful) beach."	**most beautiful**

CAN OR CAN'T

100	Fish ___ swim.	**can**
200	Cats ___ fly.	**can't**
300	Babies ___ drive a car.	**can't**
400	___ you play chess?	**Can**
500	"___ I go to the toilet, please?"	**Can (May)**

SOME, ANY, MUCH

100	There are ___ apples on the table.	**some**
200	Are there ___ eggs?	**any**
300	There isn't ___ milk.	**any**
400	How ___ sugar do you want?	**much**
500	Would you like ___ tea?	**some**

HOW OFTEN?

100	100% of the time = ?	**always**
200	0% of the time = ?	**never**
300	Put in order: late / never / I / am	**I am never late.**
400	Put in order: usually / walks / she / to school	**She usually walks to school.**
500	"Not often" = r_____	**rarely**

MY, HER, OUR

100	This is ___ book. (I)	**my**
200	That is ___ bag. (she)	**her**
300	This is ___ house. (we)	**our**
400	The dog is wagging ___ tail. (it)	**its**
500	This is Tom___ bike.	**'s (Tom's)**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Grammar**

Correct the mistake: "He is more taller than me." **Answer: He is taller than me.**

SPORTS & FREE TIME (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 13 of 20 · Sports, play/go/do, music, hobbies, health

SPORTS

100	You kick a ball into a goal.	**football**
200	You hit a ball over a net with a racket. It's played at Wimbledon.	**tennis**
300	Thai boxing.	**Muay Thai**
400	You hit a shuttlecock over a net.	**badminton**
500	A Thai sport: kick a rattan ball over a net.	**sepak takraw (takraw)**

PLAY, GO OR DO

100	___ football	**play**
200	___ swimming	**go**
300	___ karate	**do**
400	___ shopping	**go**
500	___ yoga	**do**

EQUIPMENT

100	You wear these to see under water.	**goggles**
200	You hit a baseball with a ___.	**bat**
300	You hit a tennis ball with a ___.	**racket**
400	You wear it on your head on a bike.	**a helmet**
500	Footballers wear these on their feet.	**boots**

MUSIC

100	It has black and white keys.	**a piano**
200	It usually has six strings.	**a guitar**
300	You hit it with sticks.	**a drum**
400	You play it with a bow under your chin.	**a violin**
500	A long instrument you blow, held to the side.	**a flute**

HOBBIES

100	You do this with a camera.	**take photos (photography)**
200	You do this with seeds and flowers.	**gardening**
300	You do this in the kitchen with a recipe.	**cooking (baking)**
400	People collect these from old letters.	**stamps**
500	Walking a long way in the mountains.	**hiking**

HEALTHY LIFE

100	Drink lots of ___ every day.	**water**
200	Eat fruit and ___.	**vegetables**
300	Go to bed early and get enough ___.	**sleep**
400	___ your hands before you eat.	**Wash**
500	Running and swimming are good ___.	**exercise**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Sport**

How many players are on a football team on the pitch? **Answer: eleven (11)**

FOOD & SHOPPING (A2)

Answer sheet · Board 14 of 20 · Containers, cooking, restaurant, much/many

CONTAINERS

100	a ___ of water (plastic)	**bottle**
200	a ___ of cola (metal)	**can**
300	a ___ of bread	**loaf**
400	a ___ of chocolate	**bar**
500	a ___ of jam (glass)	**jar**

COOKING VERBS

100	Cook in hot oil.	**fry**
200	Cook in very hot water.	**boil**
300	Cook bread or a cake in an oven.	**bake**
400	Cut into small pieces.	**chop**
500	Mix eggs very fast with a fork.	**whisk (beat)**

RESTAURANT

100	The list of food in a restaurant.	**the menu**
200	The person who brings your food.	**a waiter (waitress)**
300	At the end, you ask for the ___.	**bill (check)**
400	"I'd ___ an orange juice, please."	**like**
500	Extra money for good service.	**a tip**

MUCH OR MANY

100	How ___ apples?	**many**
200	How ___ rice?	**much**
300	How ___ is it? 50 baht.	**much**
400	How ___ bananas do you need?	**many**
500	How ___ bread is there?	**much**

TASTES

100	Chocolate is ___.	**sweet**
200	Chilli is ___.	**spicy (hot)**
300	Lemons are ___.	**sour**
400	Chips with lots of salt are ___.	**salty**
500	Coffee with no sugar is ___.	**bitter**

SHOPPING

100	You pay here in a supermarket.	**the checkout (till)**
200	It's cheaper than normal. It's on ___.	**sale**
300	You carry your shopping in a ___.	**bag (basket)**
400	"Can I ___ it on?" (clothes)	**try**
500	The paper the shop gives you after you pay.	**a receipt**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Thai Food**

Pad Thai is made with these long, thin things. **Answer: noodles (rice noodles)**

GRAMMAR CHALLENGE (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 15 of 20 · Present perfect, conditionals, passive, modals

PRESENT PERFECT

100	I have ___ (see) that film.	**seen**
200	Have you ever ___ (be) to Japan?	**been**
300	She has lived here ___ 2020.	**since**
400	We've known each other ___ five years.	**for**
500	I haven't finished my homework ___.	**yet**

PAST CONTINUOUS

100	I ___ watching TV when you called.	**was**
200	They ___ playing football at 5 pm.	**were**
300	What ___ you doing at 8 o'clock?	**were**
400	While she was cooking, the phone ___ (ring).	**rang**
500	I was walking home ___ it started to rain.	**when**

THE FUTURE

100	Look at those clouds! It's ___ to rain.	**going**
200	I'm hungry. I think I ___ have a sandwich.	**will ('ll)**
300	The train ___ (leave) at 6 am tomorrow. (timetable)	**leaves**
400	I ___ meeting Joe tonight. (a fixed plan)	**am ('m)**
500	This time tomorrow I ___ be flying to London.	**will**

IF…

100	If it rains, we ___ stay at home.	**will**
200	If you heat ice, it ___.	**melts**
300	If I ___ (be) rich, I would buy an island.	**were (was)**
400	If I had wings, I ___ fly.	**would (could)**
500	If I had studied, I would have ___ (pass).	**passed**

PASSIVE

100	English ___ spoken all over the world.	**is**
200	This house was ___ (build) in 1990.	**built**
300	The letters ___ delivered every morning.	**are**
400	Make it passive: "Someone stole my bike."	**My bike was stolen.**
500	Make it passive: "They will finish the bridge next year."	**The bridge will be finished next year.**

MODALS

100	You ___ wear a seatbelt. It's the law.	**must (have to)**
200	You ___ smoke here. It isn't allowed.	**mustn't**
300	You look ill. You ___ see a doctor. (advice)	**should**
400	You ___ bring food. It's free! (not necessary)	**don't have to (needn't)**
500	The lights are on. She ___ be at home. (I'm sure)	**must**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Grammar**

Correct the mistake: "I have seen him yesterday." **Answer: I saw him yesterday.**

WORD POWER (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 16 of 20 · Synonyms, antonyms, make/do, prefixes

SYNONYMS

100	big = ?	**large (huge)**
200	begin = ?	**start**
300	intelligent = ?	**clever (smart)**
400	enormous = ?	**huge (very big)**
500	furious = ?	**very angry**

ANTONYMS

100	The opposite of cheap.	**expensive**
200	The opposite of polite.	**rude (impolite)**
300	The opposite of generous.	**mean (selfish)**
400	The opposite of brave.	**cowardly (scared)**
500	The opposite of increase.	**decrease**

MAKE OR DO

100	___ homework	**do**
200	___ a mistake	**make**
300	___ the washing-up	**do**
400	___ a decision	**make**
500	___ your best	**do**

PREFIXES

100	Not happy = ___happy	**un (unhappy)**
200	Not possible = ___possible	**im (impossible)**
300	Not honest = ___honest	**dis (dishonest)**
400	Not legal = ___legal	**il (illegal)**
500	Not regular = ___regular	**ir (irregular)**

SUFFIXES

100	A person who teaches = teach___	**er (teacher)**
200	The noun from "kind" = kind___	**ness (kindness)**
300	The adjective from "beauty" = beauti___	**ful (beautiful)**
400	The noun from "educate" = educa___	**tion (education)**
500	Without hope = hope___	**less (hopeless)**

WORD FAMILIES

100	The noun from "decide".	**decision**
200	The adjective from "danger".	**dangerous**
300	The noun from "happy".	**happiness**
400	The adverb from "careful".	**carefully**
500	The noun from "strong".	**strength**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Words**

A person who writes books. **Answer: an author (a writer)**

PHRASAL VERBS & IDIOMS (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 17 of 20 · Phrasal verbs, idioms, prepositions

PHRASAL VERBS

100	Stop doing something (like smoking): give ___	**up**
200	Search for: look ___	**for**
300	Have a good relationship: get ___ with	**on**
400	Continue: carry ___	**on**
500	Cancel: call ___	**off**

IDIOMS

100	"It's raining cats and ___!"	**dogs**
200	"It's a piece of ___." = very easy	**cake**
300	"Break a ___!" = good luck	**leg**
400	"Under the ___" = a bit ill	**weather**
500	"Hit the ___" = go to bed	**sack (hay)**

WORD + PREPOSITION

100	good ___ maths	**at**
200	afraid ___ spiders	**of**
300	interested ___ art	**in**
400	different ___ his brother	**from**
500	proud ___ your work	**of**

TRICKY WORDS

100	"I ___ my keys." (lost / loose)	**lost**
200	"Can you ___ me your pen?" (borrow / lend)	**lend**
300	"He ___ me a story." (said / told)	**told**
400	"This film is long. I'm ___." (bored / boring)	**bored**
500	"I'm not used to ___ up early." (get / getting)	**getting**

BODY IDIOMS

100	"Keep an ___ on" = watch carefully	**eye**
200	"Give me a ___" = help me	**hand**
300	"Cost an arm and a ___" = very expensive	**leg**
400	"Butterflies in my ___" = nervous	**stomach**
500	"Get cold ___" = too nervous to do it	**feet**

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

100	"Turn up the music" = make it ___.	**louder**
200	"We've run out of milk" = there is ___ milk.	**no (none left)**
300	"I look forward to it" = I feel ___ about it.	**excited (happy)**
400	"Put off the meeting" = ___ it.	**postpone (delay)**
500	"Bring up a child" = ___ a child.	**raise (look after)**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Idioms**

"Once in a blue ___" = very rarely. **Answer: moon**

WORLD & SCIENCE (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 18 of 20 · Space, science, geography, inventions

SPACE

100	The star at the centre of our solar system.	**the Sun**
200	The red planet.	**Mars**
300	The biggest planet.	**Jupiter**
400	The planet with famous rings.	**Saturn**
500	The first person to walk on the Moon (1969).	**Neil Armstrong**

SCIENCE

100	Water freezes at ____ °C.	**0 (zero)**
200	H_2O is the scientific name for ____.	**water**
300	Plants make food from sunlight. This is ____.	**photosynthesis**
400	The gas we need to breathe.	**oxygen**
500	The force that makes things fall to the ground.	**gravity**

GEOGRAPHY

100	The biggest ocean.	**the Pacific**
200	The highest mountain in the world.	**Everest**
300	The biggest hot desert in the world.	**the Sahara**
400	How many continents are there?	**seven (7)**
500	The coldest continent.	**Antarctica**

INVENTIONS

100	Alexander Graham Bell invented the ____.	**telephone**
200	The Wright brothers flew the first ____.	**plane (aeroplane)**
300	Paper was first made in this country.	**China**
400	"www" means World Wide ____.	**Web**
500	Thomas Edison made a famous electric ____.	**light bulb**

ENVIRONMENT

100	Use something again = ____	**reuse**
200	Turn old bottles into new things = ____	**recycle**
300	Cutting down forests = ____	**deforestation**
400	Energy from the sun = ____ energy	**solar**
500	The Earth is getting hotter = global ____	**warming**

HUMAN BODY

100	It pumps blood around the body.	**the heart**
200	You breathe with them.	**the lungs**
300	It controls your body and your thoughts.	**the brain**
400	How many bones are in an adult's body?	**206**
500	The biggest organ of the body.	**the skin**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Science**

The fastest thing in the universe. **Answer: light**

MIXED CHALLENGE (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 19 of 20 · Riddles, mistakes, questions, Thailand

RIDDLES

100	What has keys but can't open locks?	**a piano (keyboard)**
200	What has hands but can't clap?	**a clock**
300	What gets wetter the more it dries?	**a towel**
400	What has a neck but no head?	**a bottle**
500	What can you catch but not throw?	**a cold**

DEFINITIONS

100	A person who travels into space.	**an astronaut**
200	A book about someone's life, by another writer.	**a biography**
300	A person who sees a crime happen.	**a witness**
400	Money you pay every month to live in a home you don't own.	**rent**
500	A big fire burning out of control in a forest.	**a wildfire**

FIND THE MISTAKE

100	"She don't like coffee."	**She doesn't like coffee.**
200	"I am agree with you."	**I agree with you.**
300	"He go to school yesterday."	**He went to school yesterday.**
400	"I am living here since 2019."	**I have lived (have been living) here since 2019.**
500	"If I will see him, I'll tell him."	**If I see him, I'll tell him.**

MAKE THE QUESTION

100	Answer: "I'm reading a book about space."	**What are you reading?**
200	Answer: "She was born in 2012."	**When was she born?**
300	Answer: "I've been to Japan twice."	**How many times have you been to Japan?**
400	Answer: "It takes two hours to get there."	**How long does it take to get there?**
500	Answer: "I'd like to be a doctor."	**What would you like to be?**

WHO AM I?

100	I look after people's teeth.	**a dentist**
200	I help people with the law in court.	**a lawyer**
300	I write news stories.	**a journalist**
400	I design buildings.	**an architect**
500	I study the stars and planets.	**an astronomer**

THAILAND

100	The capital city of Thailand.	**Bangkok**
200	Thai money.	**the baht**
300	Thailand's national animal.	**the elephant**
400	The Thai New Year water festival.	**Songkran**
500	People float krathongs on the water at this festival.	**Loy Krathong**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Riddles**

The more you take, the more you leave behind. What are they? **Answer: footsteps**

ANIMALS & NATURE (B1)

Answer sheet · Board 20 of 20 · Animal groups, habitats, life cycles, plants

ANIMAL GROUPS

100	A group of fish swimming together.	**a school (shoal)**
200	A group of cows.	**a herd**
300	A group of lions.	**a pride**
400	A group of wolves.	**a pack**
500	A group of bees.	**a swarm (hive)**

HABITATS

100	Camels live here.	**the desert**
200	Polar bears live here.	**the Arctic**
300	Monkeys and parrots live here.	**the rainforest (jungle)**
400	Coral and clownfish live here.	**a coral reef (the sea)**
500	Birds build these to lay eggs in.	**nests**

LIFE CYCLES

100	A caterpillar becomes a ___.	**butterfly**
200	A tadpole becomes a ___.	**frog**
300	A seed grows into a ___.	**plant**
400	A chick becomes a ___.	**chicken (hen)**
500	The stage between caterpillar and butterfly.	**a chrysalis (pupa)**

ANIMAL FACTS

100	This animal can change colour.	**a chameleon**
200	The fastest land animal.	**a cheetah**
300	This bird cannot fly but runs very fast.	**an ostrich**
400	This sea animal has no bones and can sting.	**a jellyfish**
500	This mammal can fly.	**a bat**

PLANTS & TREES

100	Plants drink water through their ___.	**roots**
200	Leaves are usually this colour.	**green**
300	A tree that gives us coconuts.	**a palm (coconut palm)**
400	Bees collect this from flowers.	**nectar (pollen)**
500	The tall grass that pandas eat.	**bamboo**

WEATHER & SEASONS

100	The rainy season in Thailand starts around this month.	**May (May–June)**
200	A very strong wind storm with rain.	**a storm (typhoon)**
300	When there is no rain for a long time.	**a drought**
400	Water covers the streets after heavy rain.	**a flood**
500	The colours in the sky after rain.	**a rainbow**

FINAL ROUND **Category: Nature**

The animal with the longest neck. **Answer: the giraffe**