GRAMMAR SENTENCE RACE SUPERLATIVES

Fun Team Competition



cats dogs rabbits McDonald's KFC Starbucks

the moon the sun the stars television YouTube video games

Africa Asia Europe coffee milk water

January August November

bears sharks tigers

math English history bicycles cars trains



ACTIVITY NOTES

- 1. Divide the class into two teams.
- 2. Have one student from each team come to the front of the class and randomly choose one card each.
- 3. The first student to write a grammatically correct sentence (using a superlative *adjective*) without spelling mistakes is awarded one point for their team.
- 4. The game continues as the remaining students take turns to come to the board.

CONSIDER

Consider allowing the seated classmates shouting aloud help to their teammates at the board.

Consider setting a minimum number of words per sentence (at least five; more words for a more challenging game).

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ants bees spiders taxis buses planes

airplanes boats trains

India
Spain
Thailand

baseball golf football Mondays Wednesdays Saturdays

parents students teachers breakfast lunch dinner

grass flowers trees books iPads magazines



CONSIDER cont'd

Consider allowing only question sentences.

For example:

"Is India the biggest country?"

Consider leading into the activity by writing some examples on the board – noting the difference between singular and plural sentences.

For example:

"Dogs <u>are</u> the smartest."

VS

"Football is the most exciting."

Consider NOT allowing any repeat use of adjectives. For example: "Airplanes are the fastest."

"Dogs are the fastest."