

Word guessing / Woord raden / Wurd riede

Category	Choices
Title	Word guessing / Woord raden / Wurd riede
Goal(s)	Discover words with the same form and meaning (cognates).
Grade(s)	Middle grades
Subject	Language in general English, Dutch, Frisian
Duration	15 minutes
Link with curriculum	Linguistics Knowledge about multilingualism in general
Languages	English, Dutch, Frisian
Link with FREPA	Knowledge about languages in Fryslân, Europe and the world Knowledge language differences language strategies
Skills	Listening, speaking, writing, reading
Theoretical underpinning	Language awareness, language comparison
Description activity	<p>Step 1 - explanation (2 minutes) With this assignment, a word must be guessed in three languages (Frisian, Dutch and English) on hints from the teacher.</p> <p>Step 2 - divide the class (2 minutes) The class can be divided into a Frisian, Dutch and English group or in groups of a few students.</p> <p>Step 3 - the game is played (10 minutes) The teacher gives hints and the groups write their answers on a sheet. After the last hint, the answers are discussed in class. The similarities and differences between the different languages are discussed: what is the same, what is similar, what is more similar (Frisian-English or Frisian-Dutch or Dutch-English), etc.</p>
Materials	[links, video's, etc.]
Experiences from schools	[Photos, films and products of the pupils after implementation such as a summary of observations]

Material

1 - Hint: a fruit that's mostly green, but sometimes red. It's round and grows from a tree

Frisian: apel of appel

Dutch: appel

English: apple

2 - Hint: the opposite of sour is

Frisian: swiet

Dutch: zoet

English: sweet

3 - Hint: trough this you enter your house

Frisian: doar

Dutch: deur

English: door

4 - Hint: it's on your hands and feet, you can polish them

Frisian: neil/nagel

Dutch: nagel

English: neil

5 - Hint: it's on your face, you smell with it

Frisian: noas

Dutch: neus

English: nose

6 - Hint: if you plant it, it will grow something

Frisian: sied

Dutch: zaad

English: seed

7 - Hint: monkeys love this fruit

Frisian: banaan

Dutch: banana

English: banana

8 - Hint: this animal has a soft woolly fur

Frisian: skiep

Dutch: schaap

English: sheep

9 - Hint: the opposite of hard is

Frisian: sêft/sacht

Dutch: zacht

English: soft

10 - Hint: this yellow product is made out of milk. Dutchies love to eat it on a sandwich.

Frisian: tsiis

Dutch: kaas

English: cheese