

European Strategies of Implementing ICT in Teaching Foreign Languages (through games)

LESSON PLAN

Evaluation through game (an adaptation of the game *The country needs soldiers*)

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Time of lesson: from 8.30 to 9.20

Class: 6th grade

Level: intermediate

No. of students: 30

Lesson Objectives:

- 1. to consolidate and do further practice of the structure and use of Present Simple and Present Continuous**
- 2. to use ICT as a successful tool when evaluating (in the case of a foreign language)**
- 3. to recognize and form well-structured sentences, especially in the Present Simple and Present Continuous**
- 4. to encourage cooperation**

Assumptions:

Students are already familiar with the structure of both tenses in Affirmative, Interrogative and Negative and with the basic uses. They are also aware of the structure and the proper order of words inside a correct sentence or question in English. Also, spelling simple words and the behaviour of common adjectives and of pronouns should be familiar to them.

Anticipated problems:

Students may find difficult to deal with working on the computer. Also, some students may be too competitive, becoming frustrated at times, especially if the partner manages to win more times than he/she does.

Materials:

- Smart board
- Computer
- *The country need soldiers* software

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Activity 1- Checking homework

Aim:

- to consolidate and do further practice of the structure and use of Present Simple and Present Continuous

Procedures:

1. Students read their homework- a short composition on their daily routine and a short description of what is going on around them at the time of doing their homework.
2. The different uses and forms of both tenses are discussed in class. Students are encouraged to explain to each other why a certain tense is used and give a similar example.

Interaction Timing

S-T 15'

T-S

Activity 2

Aims:

- to use ICT as a successful tool when evaluating (in the case of a foreign language)
- to recognize and form well-structured sentences, especially in the Present Simple and Present Continuous
- to encourage cooperation

Procedures:

First, the teacher demonstrates the game at the interactive board together with another student. Students will play the game in pairs, against each other, on the same computer. There is a time limit to click on the right answer of 15 seconds. Each time a student gives a right answer, his/her team gets another soldier. Each time a student gives a wrong answer, his/her team loses a soldier. Whoever gets all the soldiers (the blue team or the red team), wins the game; whoever loses all the soldiers, loses the game. The teacher monitors closely what each pair does at each computer, and how well and quickly they deal with the questions. Depending on how well they are able to recognize and form well-structured sentences, especially in the Present Simple and Present Continuous, they win or lose the game. The number of times they win or lose and the duration of a game on average will tell the teacher how well the students do. If they are both very good, one game will last a very long time.

Here are the questions and the answers:

There are 100 questions with 3 options each and the right answer for each. The exercises concentrate on Present Simple, Present Continuous and common sense grammar- basically on correct sentences.

1. Complete the following sentence correctly:
They ...in a textile company these days.
A- works
B- work
C- are working
2. The plural of the sentence 'This child is having lunch.' is:
A- These children are having lunch.
B- This childrens are having lunch.
C- This children have lunch now.
3. Complete the following sentence correctly:
It ... a lot in Manchester.
A- rains
B- is raining

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- C- rain
4. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
When?
A- does you work
B- do you work
C- you work
5. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
The information you have given me ...very useful.
A- are
B- is
C- is being
6. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
We ... for our tests. The next test is tomorrow.
A- study
B- are studying
C- are studing.
7. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
Grrr!!! He ...in my presence! I hate that!
A- is always smoking
B- always smokes
C- does always smoke
8. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
What time... eat?
A- do your baby usually eat?
B- does your baby usually eats?
C- does your baby usually eat?
9. Complete the following sentence correctly:
Lots of people ... the news at the moment.
A- listen to the news
B- are listening to the news
C- are listening at the news
10. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
...your money in the purse?
A- Does
B- Is
C- Are
11. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
His friends ... on the beach tomorrow; it is all set.
A- are picnicking
B- will picnic
C- picnic
12. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
He will see the results when he ... here.
A- come
B- will come
C- comes
13. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
They ...to gym as they are lazy.
A- do go
B- never goes
C- never go
14. Complete the following sentence correctly:
They will move house if they ...their old house.
A- sell
B- will sell
C- will sale
15. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
Who ...you with your kids when you are at work?
A- is helping
B- helps
C- does help
16. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
What ...you...next Friday?
A- are ...doing
B- do ... do
C- is...doing
17. What is the question whose answer is underlined in the sentence 'John hates football.'?
A- Who hates football?
B- What hates John?
C- What does John hate?
18. The plural of the sentence 'That leaf is green.' is :
A- Those leaves are green.
B- These leaves are greens.
C- Those leafs are green.
19. What is the question whose answer is underlined in the sentence 'Our children visit their grandparents twice a week.'?
A- How often does your children visit their grandparents?
B- When do your children visit there grandparents?
C- How often do your children visit their grandparents?
20. Tick the sentence whose spelling is entirely correct:
A- I am cuting bread in you're kitchen.

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B- I am cutting bread in you're kitchen.

C- I am cutting bread in your kitchen.

21. Choose the correct form of the verb in brackets in the following case:

a: What ... (you/do)? b: I'm an architect.

A- are you doing

B- you do

C- do you do

22. Choose the correct form of the verbs in brackets in the following case:

a: What language ... (she/speak)? b: It ...(sound) like Russian.

A- does she speaks/ sounds

B- is she speaking/ is sounding

C- is she speaking /sounds

23. Choose the correct form of the verb in brackets in the following case:

This is a great party. I (have) a lovely time.

A- am haveing

B- have

C- am having

24. Choose the sentence whose spelling is entirely correct:

A- The dog is brown and it's ears are long.

B- The dog is brown and its ears are long.

C- The dog is brown and it's years are long.

25. The plural of the sentence '**There is a snowman in the yard**' is :

A- There are snowmen in the yard.

B- There are snowmans in the yard.

C- There is snowmans in the yard.

26. Choose the correct sentence out of the following three sentences:

A- John has eleven years and live's in England.

B- John is eleven years old and leaves in England.

C- John is eleven and lives in England.

27. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I ... her every day and she never says hello to me.

A- see

B- am seeing

C- will see

28. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

What is the name of that picture which you on the wall?

A- look at

B- is looking at

C- are looking at

29. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

...to see that film that is on at the cinema next week?

A- Do you go

B- Is you going

C- Are you going

30. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

... every single thing which that man says?

A- Do you believe

B- Is you believing

C- Are you believing

31. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Sometimes I ...what the teacher says to me.

A- don't understand

B- am not understanding

C- understand not

32. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Later tonight I ...my uncle, who is ill in hospital.

A- visit

B- am visiting

C- are visiting

33. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Why ... late every time we arrange to meet?

A- is he

B- he is

C- is he being

34. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

... by air because the cost of flying is very high.

A- I don't often travel

B- I'll not often travelling

C- I'm not often travelling

35. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Next time you ...to my house, you must bring that book.

A- come

B- is coming

C- are coming

36. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I to remember your name but I'm afraid I can't remember it.

A- try

B- am trying

C- will trying

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37. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Will you come to dinner with us if we a babysitter for you?

- A- found
- B- will find
- C- find

38. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

This is the girl ... car hit that tree down last week.

- A- who
- B- which
- C- whose

39. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The flock of ...stayed together.

- A- sheep
- B- ships
- C- cows

40. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The colorful picture of the flowers is ...

- A- their
- B- your
- C- mine

41. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The fluffy brown puppy is ...

- A- its
- B- my
- C- theirs

42. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

They are very good friends and ...on well with each other.

- A- get
- B- make
- C- take

43. What is the question whose answer is underlined in the sentence 'My rabbit has a cage in the garden.'?

- A- What does your rabbit have in the garden?
- B- Where do your rabbit has a cage?
- C- What does your rabbit has in the garden?

44. In the following situation choose the underlined expression/word that is incorrect:

They A- are enjoying the festival as everybody B- has come here to C- have fun.

45. In the following situation choose the underlined expression/word that is incorrect:

The people working here enjoy A- picnicing very much; consequently, any B- sunny Sunday is dedicated to this C- activity.

46. In the following situation choose the underlined expression/word that is incorrect:

Grandma and grandpa A- are coming over every B- Friday. We love them C- very much.

47. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The school festivitytomorrow at 10.30 A.M.

- A- is going to begin
- B- begins
- C- is beginning

48. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I ...sleepy.

- A- am
- B- is
- C- are

49. The plural of the sentence 'A **sheep eats a lot of grass.**' is:

- A- Sheeps eat a lot of grass.
- B- Sheeps eats a lot of grass.
- C- Sheep eat a lot of grass.

50. The plural of the sentence 'A **TV presenter presents news.**' is:

- A- TV presenters present news.
- B- TV presenters present newses.
- C- TV presenters presents news.

51. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

Normal lessons (start)...at 9.00.

- A- start
- B- starts
- C- are starting

52. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

John ...usually(not wake up)... so early.

- A- does not ...wake up
- B- not ...wakes up
- C- is ...not waking up

53. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

I (want)... to speak to you.

- A- am wanting
- B- wanting
- C- want

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54. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

He always(have)...dinner at 7 p.m.

- A- have
- B- has
- C- is ...having

55. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

At the weekends they(walk) ... in the park.

- A- walk
- B- are walking
- C- walk

56. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

Michael(watch)... a football match now.

- A- is watching
- B- watches
- C- watch

57. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

Who(make)... this noise?

- A- is makeing
- B- is making
- C- does make

58. Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous):

I(not like)... coffee.

- A- don't like
- B- not like
- C- doesn't like

59. Choose the sentence whose spelling is entirely correct:

- A- My best friend's names Dan.
- B- My grandparents' house is big.
- C- It's fur is black.

60. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The plants ...(be, normally) watered by John.

- A-are normally
- B-normally are
- C-normally is

61. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

You must not drink and then a car.

- A- lead
- B- drive
- C- take

62. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Please be ... when you cross this road.

- A- careless
- B- caring
- C- careful

63. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Do what you like, I really don't ...

- A- interested
- B- dislike
- C- mind

64. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

If you want to ... that book remember to bring it back.

- A- borrow
- B- lend
- C- owe

65. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

When your train arrives, I'll ... you from the station.

- A- take
- B- bring
- C- fetch

66. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I always get ... early in the summer.

- A- up
- B- over
- C- on

67. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

When you first meet someone, you usually shake them ... the hand.

- A- on
- B- in
- C- by

68. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I only want ... little sugar in my tea, please.

- A- a
- B- the
- C- such

69. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

In ... end we decided not to go to the cinema but to watch television.

- A- the
- B- this
- C- an

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70. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
It is important sometimes to stop and look around you at all the wonderful things ...

- A- nature
- B- in nature
- C- in the nature

71. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

It is ...book that I have ever read.

- A- funniest
- B- a funniest
- C- the funniest

72. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I want to go to the cinema to see a film about and the French.

- A- France
- B- a France
- C- the France

73. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Can anyone give me ... please because I have just fallen over?

- A- hand
- B- a hand
- C- the hand

74. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The interesting thing about ... is all the roads that they built in Britain.

- A- Romans
- B- a Romans
- C- the Romans

75. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

She always said that when she grew up she wanted to be

- A- doctor
- B- a doctor
- C- the doctor

76. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Are you studying foreign languages at school, like ...?

- A- French
- B- a French
- C-the French

77. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

... is that sitting over there in the corner?

- A- Who
- B-Whom
- C-Which

78. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I don't understand a word ... you are talking about.

- A- what
- B- that
- C-who

79. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

They have a very large house round ... there are some lovely gardens.

- A- that
- B- which
- C-Whose

80. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I'm looking at the photograph ... you sent me with your letter.

- A-which
- B- who
- C- whom

81. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

There is a new television programme called: '... wants to be a millionaire?'

- A- Which
- B- What
- C- Who

82. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

I think you will see that this is the best museum ... you can find in the town.

- A- that
- B- which
- C- who

83. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

The police want to find out ... drove the red car into the shop window.

- A- who
- B- who's
- C- whose

84. Choose the correct option to complete the following:

Did you meet the lady ... uncle works in the library?

- A- who

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B- whose
C- who's

85. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
The person in the house next to mine knows someone ... met the Queen.
A- who
B- whom
C- which

86. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
The grass, ... I cut every week, seems to grow very quickly.
A- who
B- who's
C- which

87. Which of these is an adverb? It is ...
A- quickly
B- sly
C- quicker

88. Which of these tenses is Present Simple? It is ...
A- He is speaking
B- He speaks
C- He will speak

89. Choose the most suitable response:
John: 'Thank you so much.'
Sue: '...'
A- No problem.
B- Any problem.
C- Some problem.

90. Choose the most suitable response:
John: 'I am most grateful.'
Sue: '...'
A- You welcome.
B- You're welcome.
C- You are welcomed.

91. Choose the most suitable response:
John: 'Thank you very much for helping me.'
Sue: '...'
A- You don't mention it.
B- No mention of it.
C- Don't mention it.

92. Choose the most suitable response:
John: 'That was very thoughtful of you to do that.'
Sue: '...'
A- Forgetful.
B- Forget it.
C- I've forgotten.

93. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
My sister is ... home today.
A- at
B- in
C- on

94. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
Driving to work in a car is much ... than riding a bicycle.
A- faster
B- fastest
C- more faster

95. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
I like pencils ... than pens.
A- best
B- better
C- more good

96. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
It is a good idea ... every day.
A- to exercise
B- exercise
C- exercising

97. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
I live in the big house ... the corner.
A- on
B- in
C- of

98. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
Does your ... have a dishwasher?
A- living room
B- dining room
C- kitchen

99. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
He's not talking today because he's got a ... throat.
A- sick
B- sore
C- ill

100. Choose the correct option to complete the following:
Maria is married ... my cousin.
A- with
B- for
C- to

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Answers:

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| 1. C | 37. C | 73. B |
| 2. A | 38. C | 74. C |
| 3. A | 39. A | 75. B |
| 4. B | 40. C | 76. A |
| 5. B | 41. C | 77. A |
| 6. B | 42. A | 78. B |
| 7. A | 43. A | 79. B |
| 8. C | 44. A | 80. A |
| 9. B | 45. A | 81. C |
| 10. B | 46. A | 82. A |
| 11. A | 47. B | 83. A |
| 12. C | 48. A | 84. B |
| 13. C | 49. C | 85. A |
| 14. A | 50. A | 86. C |
| 15. B | 51. A | 87. A |
| 16. A | 52. A | 88. B |
| 17. C | 53. C | 89. A |
| 18. A | 54. B | 90. B |
| 19. C | 55. C | 91. C |
| 20. C | 56. A | 92. B |
| 21. C | 57. B | 93. A |
| 22. C | 58. A | 94. A |
| 23. C | 59. B | 95. B |
| 24. B | 60. A | 96. A |
| 25. A | 61. B | 97. A |
| 26. C | 62. C | 98. C |
| 27. A | 63. C | 99. B |
| 28. C | 64. A | 100. C |
| 29. C | 65. A | |
| 30. A | 66. A | |
| 31. A | 67. C | |
| 32. B | 68. A | |
| 33. A | 69. A | |
| 34. A | 70. B | |
| 35. A | 71. C | |
| 36. B | 72. A | |

Interaction:

T-S-T

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Timing:

35'

Homework assignment: Make a similar quiz with 10 questions and 3 choices for each, one of which is correct. Write it in a Word Document and send it via e-mail to your teacher and colleagues. Do not send the answers yet.



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