



Answer. Question? Writing version

In this game, you say an answer. Students have to write a question that fits it perfectly.

Setting up the game:

1. Have the group brainstorm question words.
2. Write these question words in two columns, one on the left side of the board, the other on the right side of the board.

Who	Do
What	Does
When	Did
Where	Can
Why	Will
How	Is
	Isn't

3. For a smaller group, divide the whiteboard into 3-4 sections so the pairs can take turns writing at the front of the room.



For larger groups (8+), divide the group into pairs. Give each pair a small white board, a black dry erase marker and a sock to serve as an eraser.



Now to play!

4. Explain to the group that you're going to say an answer (from the list below) and they're going to write a question that fits it perfectly.



5. Give the examples:

If I say, "Fine, thanks!" You can write, "How are you?"

If I say, "To the store." You can write, "Where are you going?" but "Where are you?" doesn't work.

6. Explain to the group that in order to earn a point, the question has to have a Capital letter, spacing, correct spelling and punctuation.
7. Explain to them that once they've completed their sentence, they don't say anything. They just hold up their white board.



8. Look at the question.

If there is one mistake, I hold up 1 finger.

If there are 2 mistakes, 2 fingers, 3 mistakes, 3 fingers, 4 mistakes, 4 fingers.

If there are no mistakes, give them a thumbs up and they tally a point.

If they have a mistake they continue to correct the sentence until you give them a thumbs up.

9. Once each pair has correctly written the question, move onto the next turn.

NOTE: This game can address the following Common Core Standards: CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.D, L.K.1.F, L.K.2, L.K.2.A, L.K.2.B, L.1.2, L.1.2.B, L.2.2, L.3.2, L.4.2, L.4.2.A, L.5.2, RF.K.1.C, RF.1.1.A,



Fine, thanks.

No, thanks.

Yes, please.

Tuesday, Friday.

7 o'clock in the morning.

Tacos. Oatmeal.

Charles. Susan.

Inside. Green.

To the museum.

To the game.

Let me ask my mom.

I'm okay.

Last summer. Next spring.

Not really! Of course!

Under the basket.

Under the sink.

In the closet.

In my pocket.

Cookies. Yogurt.

Baseball. Tennis.

To the store.

In the mountains.

Absolutely.

In the drawer.

In the dryer.

20. 60. 100.

My notebook.

My toothbrush.

A pencil. A bowl.

Next week.

Pancakes.

My elbow.

At recess.

Candy.

Everyone.

Yes, I'm sure.

I don't know.

Not very well.

He did.

I did.

We won.

56 to 70

It tasted terrible.

I'd like to go swimming.

We went to New York.

10 years old.

I don't think so.

I think so.



M&M's

Every Monday.

The bank.

To the pool.

Harry Potter

In the refrigerator.

Eggs.

October.

New York.

Thanksgiving.

A ring-tailed lemur.

Last year.

The letter G.

My spoon.

My knee.

Tuesdays.

Sunny.

Sure.

We lost.

I don't know.

She's okay.

Great!

Tomorrow.

Now.

At the store.

I want to go swimming.

Hot.

A spider.

Spicy.

Green.

December.

At my house.

Water.

Next to the bathroom.

4

Fish.

Windy.

31

Blueberries

My spoon.

I went to the park.

2 brothers and 1 sister

It was fun.

Brown. Red.

Size 6

Harry Potter