

Prepositions with Reporting Verbs Activities

Put the words that you are given into columns by the preposition that they take. Some columns should be longer than the others. If the same word is given twice, it can go in more than one column.

Use the preposition heading cards to help check your columns, then check with an un-cut-up copy of the worksheet or as a class.

Prepositions with reporting verbs pelmanism

Turn all the verb cards face down and take turns trying to find pairs of cards which go with the same preposition. Stop when only the six cards without matches are left.

Prepositions with reporting verbs snap

Deal out the cards and take turns putting the top card from your pack face up on the table, without looking at it beforehand. If the last two cards take the same preposition, race to shout "Snap!" If you are right, you can take all the cards on the table. If you are wrong, the cards stay there and you need to give a card to the other player(s) as punishment.

Prepositions with reporting verbs storytelling 1

Use the verb cards as you take turns continuing a story, making sure that you use the correct preposition each time.

Prepositions with reporting verbs storytelling 2

Use the prepositions cards as you take turns continuing a story, making sure that they fit correctly in the sentences that you say.

Verb cards to cut up/ Suggested answers

for	on	about	to	with
apologise	agree	argue	admit	agree
argue	congratulate someone	ask	alert someone	concur
beg (someone)	go	boast	confess	threaten someone
blame	insist	complain	make reference	of
criticise someone	remark	speculate	object	accuse someone

praise someone	speculate	warn someone	refer	boast
pray	touch	against	subscribe	
thank someone	out	advise	from	
wish	point	warn (someone)	discourage someone	

Preposition cards

for	on	about	to	with
for	on	about	to	with
for	on	about	to	with
for	on	about	to	with
for	on	about	to	of
for	on	about	to	of
for	on	about	to	of
for	on	against	to	
for	out	against	from	
for	out	against	from	