

A romantic meeting

Worksheet

6a

NOTE: This activity can be extended to Worksheet 6b or can be done on its own.

ACTIVITY

Groupwork: writing

AIM

To create a story by inventing answers to questions and writing them down.

GRAMMAR AND FUNCTIONS

Past simple regular and irregular verbs

VOCABULARY

Travel and holidays

PREPARATION

Make one copy of the worksheet for every three or four students in the class.

TIME

35 minutes

PROCEDURE

- 1 Ask the students to work in groups of three or four.
- 2 Tell them that they are going to write a story called 'A romantic meeting', by imagining answers to some questions.
- 3 Ask each group to appoint a secretary to do the writing.
- 4 Give a copy of the worksheet to each group and ask them to write their answers in the spaces, inventing details. Encourage the students to be as imaginative or as amusing as they like.
- 5 When they have finished writing their story, ask the students to give it to another group who read it and correct any mistakes they find, then give it back to the group who wrote it.
- 6 Ask one student from each group to read their own story aloud to the class or pin the stories up around the classroom for the other students to read. The class could then vote for the best story.
- 7 You can now continue the activity using Worksheet 6b, which tells the story corresponding to the questions in Worksheet 6a.