

## Getting Acquainted

Month: Sept.

Week #: 2

Day: e. Fri. Time: 30 min.

# Who is It?

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### Objectives/Aims

The students will: find out just how well they know others; they will also learn more about their fellow classmates.

### Materials

lined paper

### Illustration

So who is the boy in the glasses describing? This person likes to play soccer, draw pictures and wears a jersey with the number '7' printed on it...



### Background

This is a great game to review just how well the students have gotten to know each other.

### Group Activity

1. Have the students write their names at the top of the page. Then list both simple facts (e.g.: age, sex, hair color, weight, etc.) and other more interesting facts (life goals, hobbies, favorite vacations, etc.) about themselves that they don't mind

sharing. Encourage younger students (6 and 7 year olds) to either use 'invented spelling' (words written phonetically) or draw simple pictures (e.g.: stick figures).

2. Collect the papers and randomly select a paper. Read one fact at a time starting with the most general, relatively unknown facts first.

3. After each fact is read, students can raise their hands if they think they know who wrote the paper. They only have one guess and then they can't make any further guesses for that person. The object of the game is to guess who it is with the least amount of facts. The teacher can also add facts that they either observe about the student (physical characteristics) or that they personally know about them.

4. When the student is discovered, have them stand and take a bow while the class applauds.

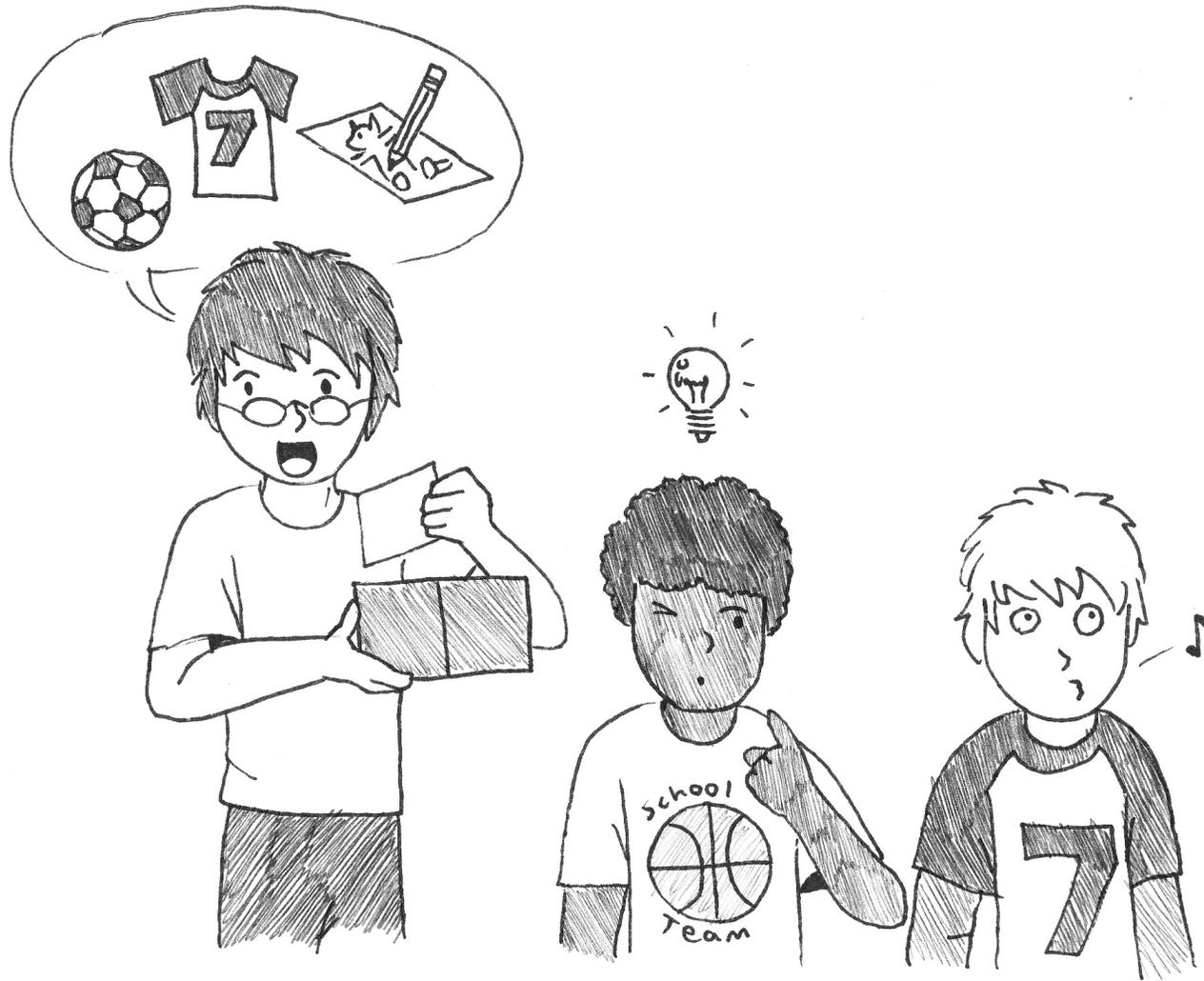
### Variations/Extensions

1. Students can take turns describing one person from memory while the other students guess who it is.

### Conclusion

Say, "Isn't it amazing how much (or how little) we know about each other!"

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