

Activities: Past Perfect Simple active

<p>Fairy tale Dominos</p> <p>Tefl.net</p>	<p>Use ideas from fairytales to make sentences.</p> <p><i>By the time the dwarfs came home, Snow White had eaten the apple</i></p>
<p>Guessing the sequence of events.</p>	<p>S/S put their 'day' e.g. last Saturday on cards. Could be imagined or true and write down the order in which this happened. The partner has to get the order correct e.g. <i>When you ate breakfast you had had a shower.</i></p>
<p>Yesterday</p> <p>J. Potts ETP May 2006</p> <p>Ideas related to the Beatles. By 1970, they had topped the UK singles chart s 17 times.</p>	<p>Make a 6x6 grid and write different times of a day. Can be done as a board game. S/S ask e.g. they 'land' on 6.30am- <i>had you already had coffee by 6.30?</i></p>
<p>Get back</p> <p>J. Potts</p>	<p>Write different years / historical eras on cards e.g. ancient Greece, Shakespeare, the 1960's. S/S then talk about what life was like at a certain time. <i>In the 1910, they had planes but they didn't have large passenger jets.</i></p>
<p>Ob la di, ob la da</p> <p>J. Potts</p>	<p>Key word prompts. read the instructions book in advance; back up computer. For each prompt, s/s make 2 sentences using the past perfect for the real past and the other for counterfactual past. e.g. <i>After I had read the instructions, I installed the software. I wish I had read the instructions before I tried to install the software</i></p>
<p>Sentence completion guessing game</p> <p>Tefl.net</p>	<p>Give S/s 10 sentence stems that you know they can complete eg. <i>Before I joined the class or when I started in my present job.</i> S/S then complete the second half of the sentence on a different card. Pair work follows- one student reads out their first half of the sentence, the partner guesses and then they compare this with the 'real' answer.</p>
<p>Your partner's day backwards (The Memento Game)</p> <p>Tefl.net</p>	<p>Start when the partner went to bed and form sentences e.g. <i>when you went to bed you had already put your teeth into a glass</i></p>

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<p>Who had the busier day competition Tefl.net</p>	<p>Choose a time of day and prove you have done more than your partner. <i>By 9am, I had already done 3 loads of washing</i></p>
<p>Past Perfect pronunciation SNAP/pellmanism</p>	<p>Match up past participles with the same sound e.g. <i>bought and caught</i></p>
<p>I'dis it would or is it had! Auditory discrimination activity Tefl.net</p>	<p>Another difficulty is hearing and knowing if the contraction is had or would. S/S listen to sentences including had and have to vote with a show of hands. _could be a team game and have a competitive element</p>
<p>Past Diary Penny Ur page 206</p>	<p>Worksheet has a diary with events written in. <i>By Tuesday 9.am, Mickey had seen the dentist.</i></p>
<p>Changes: before and after Penny Ur page 206</p>	<p>I had never (or always xyz) before....<i>I had always washed my clothes with Persil before I discovered Ariel!</i></p>
<p>A-Z</p>	<p>Write an alphabetical list of past participles</p>