

VIDEO "MORE THAN WORDS"



Brief Description

Recording a video is another tool to visualize what the learners have learnt. The different steps about how a topic is developed or studied are recorded with the students. They can record the video themselves. In this way they become the authentic protagonists. The video may consist of either all or part of which has been done, for example, if they have worked on the Internet or in small groups, if they have made some special activities or simply recording the learners when they were speaking or expressing themselves. Finally, they see the film and speak about it, commenting on the positive and negative aspects.

Materials

Video camera, desktop or laptop computer and data projector.

Links :

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ByeDl1SpDAY>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=151PhcRQAHS&feature=related>

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r3T9f_SLZ3g&feature=related

Steps

- Choose a topic and work on it as you like.
- Tell the learners that the activities done in class are going to be recorded.
- Explain them that recording a video is another tool to practice English and it may be an exciting experience.
- Invite learners to participate in the recording of the film.
- Show the video and invite learners to say something about it: if they like it or not, the positive and negative aspects and how they have felt before and after the recording.
- Keep the video as a material to use in class.