

MEET THE BROOKS PRESENT SIMPLE PRACTICE TEACHER'S NOTES

level - A2/A2+

How to use the set

The aim of these activities is to revise Present Simple in as many ways as possible and activate ss' knowledge. The activities are designed as to give ss maximum speaking, listening and reading practice. They focus on the correct use of the grammar but most importantly on developing the practical skills. The ss have many activities in which they need to speak, read or listen to different texts about the family's every day activities.

Instructions for students are in the titles of the activities

ACTIVITIES

MEET THE BROOKS - This is a simple introductory activity which introduces the characters to the students. Ss listen to a short intro and match the names to the people. T can use it also as a way to imagine their jobs, their age and other basic information.

THEIR HOBBIES - The activity gives ss freedom to decide what the members of the family do, like or what their jobs are. There are no good or bad answers because the aim of this activity is to talk about each of them based on the ideas presented.

EVERY DAY - Listening and speaking activity - There are two slides containing the descriptions of 4 family members. Ss listen and match the activities to the correct person. When they have finished they have to talk about each person. **EVERY WEEKEND** - Listening and speaking - the ss listen to a description of the weekend of two family members and need to put the activities in the correct order. All the activities are in a basic form. When ss have finished they talk about each person's weekend.

EVERY HOLIDAY - Reading - The ss have 2 texts about the holidays - dad and Sophie's perspective. At the top of the text they see the verbs. They must write the correct form of the verbs and put them in the correct gap.

WHAT DO THEY DO? - The ss have a slide with all family members and many prompts to talk about their daily activities. Ss need to talk about each person using all the info provided. T can turn this into a written activity based of the same prompts.

The symbols may be represented by different icons but they have the same function

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