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Barrier games are an effective and motivating way of extending the language skills of children for whom English is an additional language (EAL) EAL Teaching Strategies Resources and guidance for teachers of pupils for whom English is an additional language (EAL)Great Idea: Barrier Games. Barrier games are a specific form of information gap activity. Information gap activities are communicative activities for two or more learners, where, for example, Learner A has information that Learner B needs, and vice versa. In a barrier game Learner A and Learner B sit with a barrier between them...EAL pupils are feeling the benefits of these classroom games. Games used to help break down language and cultural barriers for pupils who have recently moved to an English-speaking country are particularly interesting and provide a route for the children to get involved and avoid any awkward interactions with staff and students alike, helping them on their path to being fully integrated in the classroom. Barrier games are a fantastic language tool. They provide opportunities to progress receptive (understanding) and expressive (speaking) communication skills. During a barrier game, for example, 'do you see what I see?' two players sit across from each other with a barrier in between them - an easel, for example.