

## Funny Sentences

### ***A group activity making sentences with passive forms.***

- Cut out the cards, keeping the cards in each column together (1, 2, 3, 4).
- Put the class into groups of four.
- Give each group a set of the cards. They should be kept in separate piles 1, 2, 3, 4.
- The students put the cards out on the table, but should keep the piles together.
- Pick one student from each group to start.
- The first student must choose a card from pile 1. He must say the word with an article if necessary.

e.g. *A leprechaun ...*

- Then the second person must choose a verb card from the second pile. She must repeat what the first person said then continue, using a passive form.

e.g. *A leprechaun was taken ...*

- Now the third person repeats and takes a card from the third pile to continue (and will probably need to add a preposition and article).

e.g. *A leprechaun was taken to a pub ...*

- The fourth person must finish the sentence with a card (and additional words) from Pile 4.

e.g. *A leprechaun was taken to a pub on a lovely island in the Irish sea.*

- The groups see how many sentences they can make in five minutes.
- At the end, ask some of the groups to tell the class some interesting or funny sentences.

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1	2	3	4
<i>leprechaun</i>	kiss	<i>man</i>	1902
<i>shamrock</i>	eat	<i>woman</i>	weekend
<i>harp</i>	discover	<i>hotel</i>	an island
<i>rainbow</i>	see	<i>house</i>	bar
<i>Celtic Cross</i>	visit	<i>mountains</i>	boy
<i>mountains</i>	take	<i>pub</i>	2006
<i>folk story</i>	tell	<i>café</i>	Ireland
<i>rainbow</i>	play	<i>city</i>	girl
<i>pint of Guinness</i>	drink	<i>river</i>	the sea
<i>Irish coffee</i>	give	<i>child</i>	Dublin