

What am I? Revision cards

Contributor's Notes

This resource was used to consolidate types of text. The cards also cover other topics (such as formal letters – which we had covered in a previous session) but these can be removed to suit your own learning group.

Print on pastel paper, laminate and cut into cards.

Each student takes a card and has to give a clue (or several) to the group, first person to guess is next to go.

In the same lesson I printed pictures off the internet (or cut from magazines) and stuck onto card. Some were famous people e.g. Jennifer Lopez, some were well known objects e.g. London bus.

In pairs, I asked the students to write a description of the picture and read it to the group to see if they can guess what's on the card. As an adaptation, some students like to draw the picture from the description.

Persuasive text	Instructive text	A memo
Descriptive text	Informative text	Imperative verb
Rhetorical question	An adjective	A paragraph
Recipe	A novel	Yours sincerely
An advertisement	A formal letter	Proper noun
An informal letter	An email	Yours faithfully
A holiday brochure	A lonely heart ad.	A sentence