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  2. Give all the As 4 sentences about you, 3 which are true and 1 which is false.
  3. Give all the Bs 4 different sentences about you, 3 which are true and 1 which is false.
  4. Have all the As sitting in a row, facing the Bs.
  5. When students are ready, get them to dictate the sentences to each other, across the room.
  6. When each pair has finished dictating the sentences to each other, they can get together and check their sentences.
  7. Each pair then decides which 6 sentences are true and which 2 are false. They need to give reasons for their answers.
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