


Шановні читачі! Пропонуємо вашій увазі добірку рольових ігор «Swapping Role Plays» («Карусель», від англ. to swap – мінятися місцями), яку ми знайшли у всесвітній мережі Інтернет. Вважаємо, що вони стануть вам у пригоді під час навчання діалогічного мовлення як школярів, так і дорослих. Методика проведення таких ігор нескладна. З нею ви можете ознайомитися нижче. Ви можете самостійно виготовити такі картки за поданими прикладами. Сподіваємось, що ви і ваші учні отримаєте задоволення від таких ігор. Бажаємо успіхів!

SWAPPY ROLE PLAYS

Procedure


1. Make enough copies of the cards and cut them out.
2. Unite students into pairs.
3. Give each pair a situation – 1 card per partner.
4. Let them read their role and situation. Help with the unknown words and understanding the situation.
5. When everybody is ready to start say “Action!”. While the students are role-playing monitor them closely, correct the mistakes if necessary or note them down to discuss later.
6. Just about when the dialogues reach their critical points (after 2-3 minutes of talking) suddenly say “Stop!”. Ask the students to swap the roles and continue the conversation but with the reversed roles. Say if the student was Mother, now s/he has to continue as Daughter.
7. You can swap the roles several more times if you want. It’s fun!
8. When you see that students are done with the situation, you can swap the situation between pairs, so that each pair has the opportunity of role-playing all of the situations.
9. After all the situations have been role-played you can have a feedback session. Students might also want to share how exactly they sorted out the problems.
10. Enjoy!!!

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Daughter. You are a 14-year-old girl. You have a boyfriend (he’s 19) and you love him. You want to move in with him. Persuade your mother to let you do this. Start the conversation with “Mom, I’ve got some news for you.”

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Mother. You are the mother of a 14-year-old girl. Your daughter has a 19-year-old boyfriend. They are in love, but you don’t like him. You think he’s irresponsible and your daughter is too young to date him. One day your daughter comes to you and tells you that...

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Husband. You are a man and you have a wife. You like partying but your wife prefers sitting at home and watching TV. That’s why you go to all the parties alone. One day you come home and your wife tells you that...

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Wife. You are a very decent woman. You have a husband, but he is light-headed. He likes partying, which you hate. One day you find a picture of another woman in his pocket (you decided to finally wash his jacket). You become very angry, so you wait for him late at night, you want a divorce. And here he finally returns from another party...

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Nurse. You are a nurse. You have a patient with a concussion (he had a car accident), who has just come in. You need to run some tests, but when you come up to him he tells you that...

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Patient. You are a businessman. Today is a big day! You are to hold a presentation. This presentation is very important for your career, so you cannot miss it. You suddenly realize that you are in hospital. Your presentation is in 2 hours. You see a nurse coming up to you. Persuade her/him to let you leave the hospital. Start with “Excuse me...”

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Father. You are the father of a 7-year-old child. Your child has a sweet tooth. But the doctors forbid the child to eat sweets. You are shopping in the supermarket. You are coming past the sweets and chocolate when your child...

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Young child. You are 7 years old. You adore sweets and chocolate, but somehow you haven't eaten them for several weeks. You and your father are in the supermarket and you see chocolate. Of course, you want it immediately. Persuade your father to buy some chocolate for you. Start with "Daddy, look!"

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Waiter. You are a waiter in a very expensive restaurant. You hear a customer complaining and your job is to go and find out what seems to be the problem. But when you come up to the customer, you recognize in him the person, who always invents complaints in order not to pay for food. You don't want to let him evade paying again.

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Customer. You and your friend are sitting in a very expensive restaurant and eating soup. Suddenly your friend finds a fly in his soup. You immediately start complaining, shouting and blaming the restaurant for poor service. You will never pay for the food in the restaurant, where flies can be found in the soup. Tell this to the waiter. Start with "This is intolerable!"

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Shop-assistant. You are a shop-assistant in a clothes-shop that works till the last client. It's already 9 p.m. and you are being late for the date you don't want to miss. But you cannot leave because one customer is still in the shop. You really want to leave so you come up to the customer and...

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Customer. You are a girl. Tomorrow your best friend has a wedding and you need to buy a dress for this occasion. The problem is that it's already 9 p.m. and you still haven't found the dress that suits you. You are lucky, though. You have found a shop that works till the last client. There are a lot of dresses and you want to try on all of them. Ask the shop-assistant to help you. Start with "Excuse me, could you help me?"

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Elder sister. You are an 18-year-old girl and you have a younger sister. She's 14. You are crazy about fashion so all of your clothes come from expensive boutiques. Your younger sister adores wearing your clothes and takes them without your knowing. But every time she takes your clothes she spoils them. One day you see her taking your favorite dress. You are furious. Persuade her not to take your things anymore.

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Younger sister. You are a 14-year-old girl, who is a girl of fashion. She doesn't allow you to take her clothes but you cannot help yourself, so you sneak them. The problem is that you aren't very neat, that's why from time to time you spoil her things. Today you are going to a disco, but you have nothing to wear. You know that your sister has a perfect dress for this occasion. So you go into her room, take that dress and ... whoops! she sees you!!!

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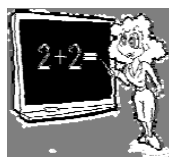
Manager. You are a manager of a well-known company. And tomorrow is a deadline for a very important project of yours. You need to complete all the reports but alone you won't be able to do this. You see one of your employees, who happens to be your friend. Although he wasn't on the team for this project, ask him to help you. He's your only hope, because it's already evening.

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Employee. Although you are working for a well-known company, your salary isn't high enough. You usually work long hours, but not today – your mother has a birthday. And you promised to come to her party. You're running late. At the exit you see your friend, who happens to be the manager. He approaches you and says...

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Teacher. You are teaching in a high school. One of your students cheated at the exam and you want to see his parents to talk to them about it. Talk to the student and arrange the time for this meeting.

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Student. You are a 16-year-old boy. You were a slacker during the semester, that's why you decided to cheat at the exam. And the teacher saw it. Now she wants to talk to your parents. If they find out, you will never get the bike you want. Persuade her not to talk to them.

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