

Listening to Directions Activity

When taking some tests, students must listen to directions. The following activity is designed to help improve listening skills. Read the directions to the students. Repeat them only once. Each student will need a pencil and a sheet of paper. Use the boxes to keep track of the instructions you've read.

1. Fold your paper in half.
2. Fold your paper in half again. You now have fourths.
3. Fold your paper in half two more times. When you open your paper, there should be sixteen squares.
4. In square #1, write your whole name.
5. In square #2, to the right of #1, draw a rectangle.
6. In the third square, write your favorite color.
7. In square #4, write the name of your school.
8. In the fifth square, write your phone number.
9. In the next square, write your grade level.
10. In the seventh square, write the name of your best friend.
11. In square #8, write the punctuation mark that comes at the end of this sentence:
"Where are you going?"
12. In the next square, write the name of your favorite TV show.
13. In box #10, write the punctuation mark that goes at the end of this sentence:
"Walk, don't run!"
14. Write the sum of 8 plus 6 in square #11
15. Another word for "unhappy" is _____. Write it in square #12.
16. The opposite of white is _____. Put the answer in square #13.
17. Write the name of your state in square #14.
18. Write the name of this month in square #15.
19. In square #16, write one word that describes you.