Teacher notes

Interested or interesting?

Language point
Adjectives with -ed and -ing

Aim
To practise adjectives with -ed and -ing endings.

Activity
Students complete sentences with adjectives ending in -ed and -ing.

Organization
Individual or pair work.

Preparation
Make enough copies of the worksheet for the number of students in your class.

What do I do?
1  Hand out worksheets.
2  Students complete the sentences by choosing either an adjective ending in -ed or -ing from the list at the top of the worksheet.

Answers
1  excited
2  tired
3  interesting
4  bored
5  surprised
6  tiring
7  boring
8  embarrassed
9  interested
10 embarrassed

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interested or interesting?

EXCITED / EXCITING  INTERESTED / INTERESTING

BORED / BORING  SURPRISED / SURPRISING  TIRED / TIRING

EMBARRASSED / EMBARRASSING

1. I’m __________________ about my new apartment.

2. I’m feeling really ________________ . I didn’t sleep well.

3. The museum was very ________________ . You should go!

4. I’m __________________ with my hairstyle. I want to change it.

5. She was ________________ to hear that they were getting married.

6. The flight was ________________ so I think I’ll go to bed.

7. The film was ________________ . I didn’t like it.

8. He didn’t know the answer to the question and felt ________________ .

9. I’m __________________ in art. Are you?

10. I was singing a song to many people at the concert and I couldn’t remember the words. It was really ________________ !