



# HOT POTATO

Food & Drink - Beginner (KS-1/2)

**Learning outcomes:** To be able to list as much vocabulary items as possible in an allotted time

## Instructions



- Use a foam or inflatable ball, start up a fast-paced round of hot potato.
- Ask pupils to stand up in a circle. Pass the ball around as quickly as possible to the next pupil, the pupil holding the ball must show off their English skills.
- When a pupil catches the ball, they must quickly think up a word that fits your given criteria (e.g. name an item of fruit). They must say it and pass the ball to their neighbour before the allotted time runs out. They can't repeat words already given.
- The pupil sits down if they don't know or provide a wrong answer.

## Tip!

For an easier version of the game, give each pupil 6-8 seconds to answer. To make it more challenging, give pupils 2-3 seconds.

You can also start slowly and gradually increase the pace of the game as it progresses.



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