

Reading Skill: Understanding visual clues



Learn together!

Some questions test your ability to get hints from a picture. There are two steps to answering such questions:

- 1 Circle the keywords in the question and options. Look for them in the text.
- 2 Refer to the related picture in the text. Look at the details of it. For example, if the question asks about the feeling of the girl on the right, pay attention to the look on her face, how she covers her ears etc., in the picture to know that she does not feel happy.



Give it a try!

e.g.1 From the poster, students have to _____ their classmates.

- A. sit with B. shout at
 C. listen to D. be friendly to

In rule no. 5, you may not know the meaning of the words 'Get along with', but you can get a hint from the picture of four happy girls near the rule. They are **holding hands and smiling**. You can know that they are **nice to one another**.

e.g.2 In the poster, the word '**cheat**' means '_____'.
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- A. to fall asleep B. to use a pen
 C. to be dishonest D. to write fast

You can get a hint from the picture of a person doing a test near rule no.10. The person is **copying the answers** from a small piece of paper. You can know that he / she **is dishonest**.