

Teaching notes

This is a template for playing a popular TV quiz show of the 1980s! You decide on some key aspects of the topic that you want students to remember, or key terminology. As long as these can be expressed by single words or short phrases, it'll work. Type these into the hexagons on this template.

Example – *Hexagon quiz* for the Norman Conquest

H for Hastings

DB for Domesday Book, etc.

‘What H was the site of the decisive battle between Harold Godwinson and William of Normandy?’

‘What DB was the name of the survey conducted by the Normans to find out how much land and money belonged to the people of England and Wales?’

Once you've prepared your template and questions, project it onto your IWB. Then students play against each other, with one individual, pair or team trying to get a line left to right, and one trying to get a line top to bottom. If they get the answer right, drag and drop a coloured hexagon over the letter clue. Blue for team A, orange for team B.

Further suggestion

Give the students the template and get them to make up their own *Hexagon* quizzes to test each other, or even you, with!

