

Activity 7: Chapter- The Open Window

Activity name	Twist the Tail
Grade	8
Skill	Critical Thinking, Developing, Deducing, Organizing
Time	60 minutes (1 class and a half)
Grouping of students	8 groups of 5 students each
Materials	Flash Cards

Learning Outcome: The students will be able to

- enhance effective functional communication
- develop critical thinking
- nurture collaborative learning

Teacher's Activity- The teacher will:

- divide the class into eight groups
- explain the activity
- instruct the students to replicate the template for comic given below on blank sheet
- supervise and assist wherever necessary
- provide feedback at the end of the session

Student's Activity- The student will:

- read the ending of the story intently
- analyse the ending and create a new ending to the story (in groups)
- illustrate the alternative ending on flash cards
- present their story in groups, using the flashcards
- select the best alternative ending presented in the class and present it in the form of a comic (in the format given below)

Stages:

- Setting up (giving instructions – guidelines, objectives, rules, time limit): 5 minutes
- Preparation time: 25 minutes
- Speaking time: 15 minutes (1-2 minutes per group)
- Presenting the comic (in groups): 10 minutes
- Discussion and feedback: 5 minutes

Template for Comic