

Player Interviews

Player Interviews is a video series on the Premier Skills English website:

<http://premierskills.britishcouncil.org/en/on-the-pitch/player-interviews>

Part 1. Answer these general questions about the Player Interviews.

1. How many videos are there?
2. Which players are involved?
3. What activities connected to these videos can learners do on the site?
4. How do you know if the answers are correct?
5. What can teachers download with each video?
6. What level do you think this is good for?



Part 2. Your trainer will tell you which video(s) you are going to look at in detail. Watch the video and look at the teacher materials and exercises, then answer the following questions, thinking about the topic of the workshop today.

1. What is this video about?
2. Did you find any new vocabulary in this video?
3. Do you think your learners would like this kind of resource? Why? Why not?
4. Did you find any of the learner activities on the website or in the worksheets difficult?
5. What areas or aspects of vocabulary could you focus on from this video? (Refer to the transcript to read what the players say.) Think about 'word families'.
6. Referring to these areas of vocabulary, suggest some activities to exploit them. Remember to think about cognitive depth, retrieval, association and multiple encounters.

Now change partners and talk about the video you watched and your plans.

Part 3. How could you use the Player Interviews series with your classes? Write some notes here and share your ideas.
