

## WHAT A TANGLE! - a tense investigation

Test your partner, and make a note of the questions you and/or he/she find difficult!

How do you do?

How are you?

What do you do?

What are you doing?

What are you always doing?

What have you always done?

What are you about to do?

What have you just done?

What have you been doing recently?

What have you had to do recently?

What have you had done in the last year?

What were you doing ten minutes ago?

What was I doing when you first saw me today?

What time did you come into the classroom today?

What were you doing just before you came into the room?

How long had you been waiting to come into the room?

What time did you get up this morning?

How long did you spend getting ready for school?

How long does it usually take you to get to school?

How long did it take you this morning?

What are you doing this evening?

Are you doing anything special for Christmas?

Where will you be at 8 o'clock tonight?

How old will you be by the time you finish your course?

How long will you have been studying engineering by then?

What are you going to do when you finish your course?

What do you think you will be doing in ten years time?

How much would you like to be earning by then?

How much do you expect to be earning?

Where would you be if you weren't at school today?

What would you be doing if today had been a holiday?

What would you rather be doing than answering these questions?

What would you do if the rest of your lessons today were cancelled?

What will you do if you get below 8 at the end of this block?

What won't you do unless you really can't get out of doing it?

What had you better do if you want to avoid trouble?

How long have you been at your current job/school?

How long will you have been here by the end of 2012?

What would you have done if you hadn't gone there?

Would you rather have gone somewhere else than here?

Have you ever been to a museum?

Have you been to a museum in the last week?

When did you last go to a museum?

How long is it since you last visited a museum?

How many museums have you visited in the last 5 years?

Have you passed your driving test?

How long have you had your driving-licence?

How long have you been driving?

How many different sorts of cars have you driven?

How many times did it take you to pass your test?

How long did it take you to pass your test?

How long had you been driving before you passed your test?

Is there anything you should have done by today?

Is there anything you should do every day?

Is there anything you should be doing at the moment?

Is there something important you would've done by today if you'd had time?

Is there anything you'd never have done if it hadn't been for your parents?

Is there anything you could've done if it hadn't been for your parents?

Is there anything you should've had done recently, but haven't?

Tell me something you:

... object to doing.

... are interested in doing.

... can't stand doing.

... used to do.

... are used to doing.

... can't get used to doing.

... don't mind doing.

... don't mind me doing.

... would rather I didn't do.

... wouldn't dream of doing.

... have been prevented from doing.

... might have done in different circumstances.

... would do if you could get away with it.