Skills and language practised

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Follow-up activity

Play *Give a word* with the children to practise gerunds. Organise the class into small groups. Children take turns to give one word each to make a sentence containing a gerund: e.g. *We enjoyed flying to the moon*. Encourage students to create amusing sentences. You may wish to get groups to write down their sentences and share their funniest gerund sentence with the class.

Answers

1. **Underline the gerunds.**

   1. swimming [1 mark]
   2. shopping [1 mark]
   3. telling [1 mark]
   4. answering [1 mark]
   5. fishing [1 mark]
   6. leaving [1 mark]
   7. writing [1 mark]
   8. cooking [1 mark]
   9. doing [1 mark]
   10. using [1 mark]

2. **Write the next word. Use the -al words in the box.**

   1. several [1 mark]
   2. final [1 mark]
   3. total [1 mark]
   4. animal [1 mark]
   5. global [1 mark]
   6. central [1 mark]
   7. sandal [1 mark]
   8. hospital [1 mark]
   9. normal [1 mark]
   10. musical [1 mark]