

**Drama production, language and culture: Play 1: Introductory level****Scenario**

Pick a language of your choice and a country where the language is spoken. What would happen if you had arranged to meet a work colleague from that country in your lunch break? Imagine that you will be meeting in your work canteen.

Task notes

Prepare a short sketch based on your knowledge and personal experience of working lunches.

Guidance

- What normally happens in your lunch break? Think about situations, people, food, routine, behaviours, etc.
- How do you think your colleague might react in your office canteen? Why? What do you think she/he would find surprising, and why?
- Find out about what the food in the country you've chosen – popular foods and meal times. Also find out about their working environments.
- Choose characters for your play (think about the situation) and prepare a short sketch based on the scenario above. Work on dialogues for the chosen characters.

Try to include at least 5 sentences in the language of your choice in your dialogue. Try to use language about

- Food
- School
- Friends

Your dialogue could start with introductions, or you may decide that the characters already know each other.