Think, Pair, Share

‘Think, Pair, Share’ is a very powerful technique that allows learners to talk about their ideas, providing a safe space for them to test their thinking and get feedback. As a teacher, if you move around the room while the learners are discussing their answers, you will find out who needs more support and who understands the work.

THINK
Teachers complete the activity on their own. Encourage them to try to answer as quickly as they can to avoid over-thinking their responses.

PAIR
Teachers talk over their responses with a colleague. Which of their answers were the same? Which were different? Each pair shares their agreed answers with another pair.

SHARE
As they talked through the reason for their answers and listened to their colleague(s), did they change their mind about any of the statements?