

Pantomime- Students should act out the described action on the pantomime sheet. You could also invite your drama club to come in and do some pantomimes. Discuss with the class how our bodies communicate much more than our language in given situations.

PANTOMIME

Ask a student to portray each of the following situations and have the class guess what they are doing:

You are sleepy and trying to stay awake during class. (rub eyes)

You do not know the answer to the question you have been asked. (shrug shoulders)

"I am thinking about it" (rub chin)

You have just been reprimanded by the principal. (position of humility)

"I do not care!"

Sit on a bench as if you want someone to sit by you.

Sit on a bench as if you want to be alone.

You do not believe what the teacher is saying and you want to leave.

Have students make up additional pantomimes.