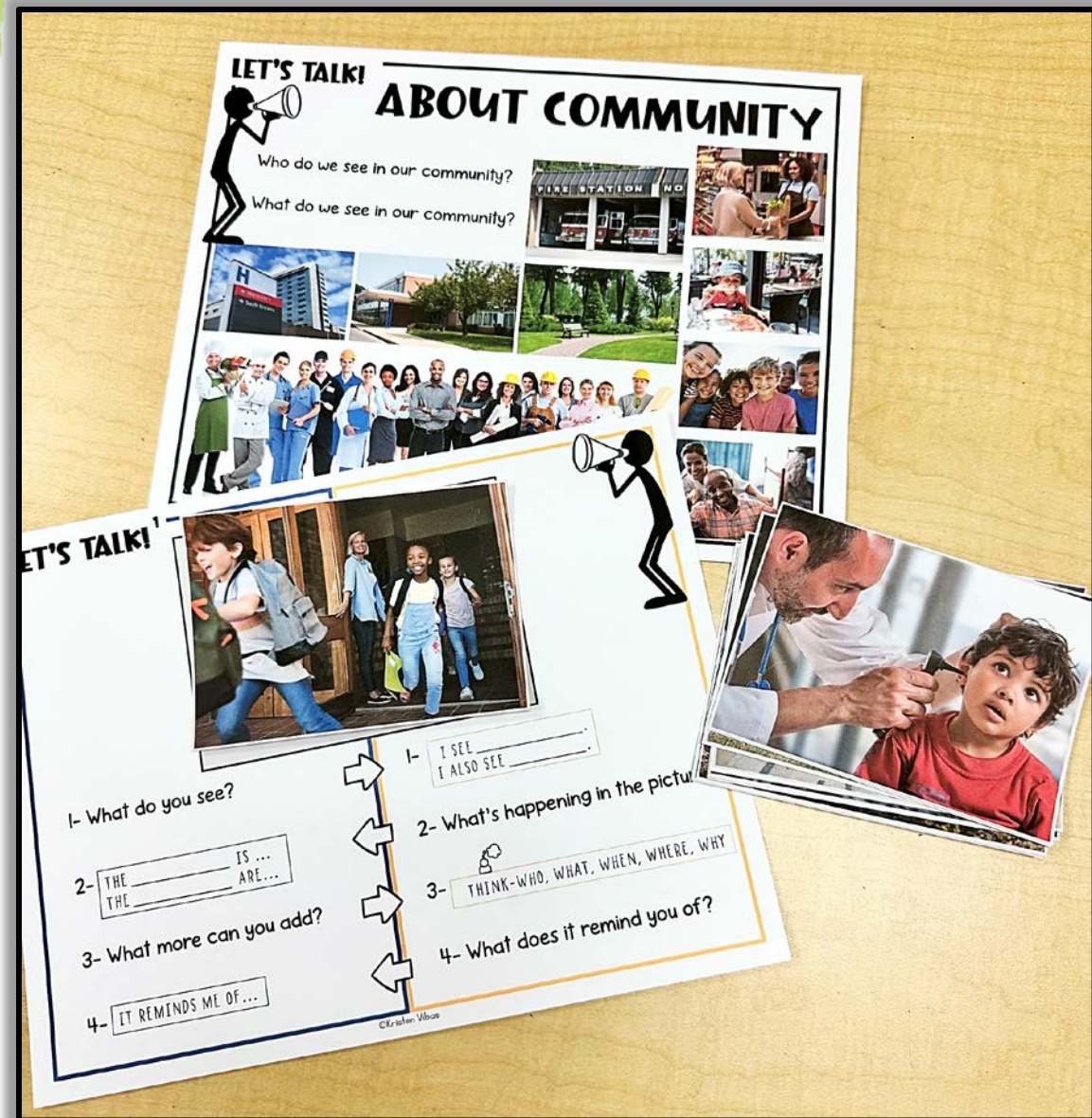


SPEAKING MATS

BUILDING ORAL LANGUAGE SKILLS
WITH ENGLISH LEARNERS

COMMUNITY

- FOR PARTNERS & SMALL GROUPS
- DIFFERENTIATED QUESTIONS & SENTENCE STEMS



PLUS- 4 "ROLL & TALK" MATS!



TOPIC POSTER

ACTIVATE BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE
& VOCABULARY

LET'S TALK!



ABOUT COMMUNITY

Who do we see in the community?

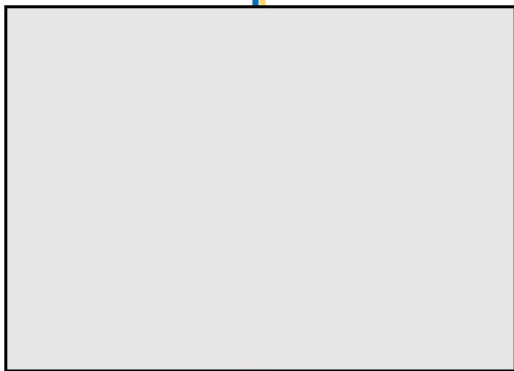
What do we see in the community?



SPEAKING MATS

PARTNERS OR SMALL GROUPS

LET'S TALK! ¹



1- What do you see?



1- I SEE _____
I ALSO SEE _____

2- THE _____ IS ...
THE _____ ARE ...



2- What's happening in the picture?



3- THINK-WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY

3- What more can you add?

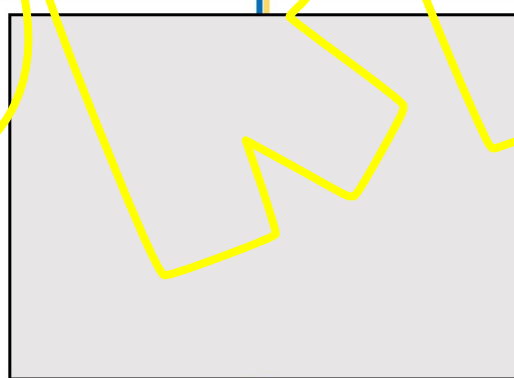


4- IT MAKES ME THINK ABOUT ...



4- what does it make you think about?

LET'S TALK! ²



1- What's happening in the picture?



1- _____ IS ...
_____ ARE ...
THERE ARE ...

2- _____ HAPPENED BECAUSE ...
(EVENT)



2- What caused this to happen?

3- What might happen next?



3- I THINK ...

4- THINK-WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY



4- What question can you ask about this picture?

LET'S TALK! ¹

3- What more can you add?
2- THE _____ IS ...
THE _____ ARE ...

2- What's happening in this picture?

4- What does it make you think about?
3- THINK-WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY

1- What do you see?

4- IT MAKES ME THINK ABOUT ...

LET'S TALK! ²

3- What might happen next?
(EVENT)
HAPPENED BECAUSE ...

2- What do you think caused this to happen?

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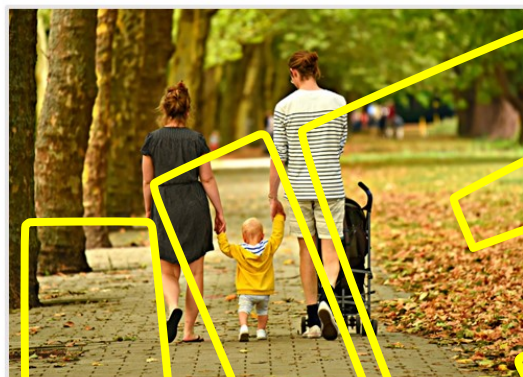
20 PHOTOS

OF PEOPLE & PLACES IN A COMMUNITY

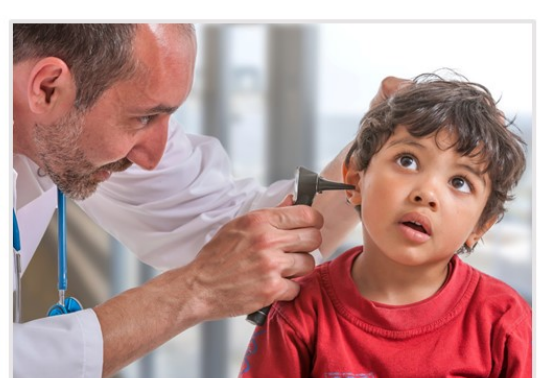
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PLUS

ROLL & TALK

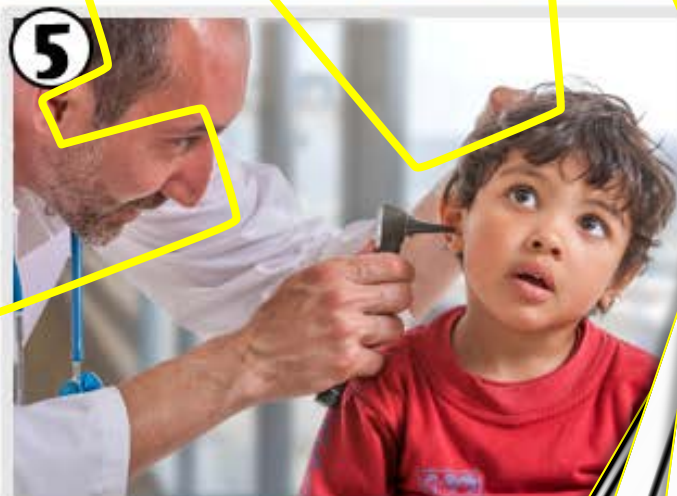
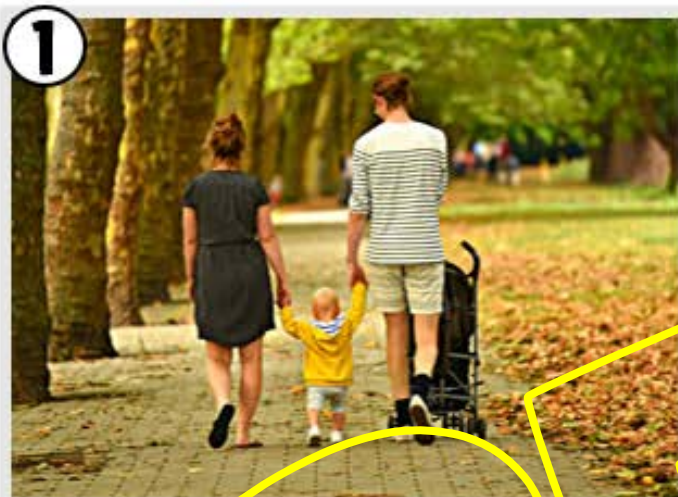
4 ACTIVITY MATS & 16 QUESTION PROMPTS



Roll & Talk



about Community



- Roll the die and find the picture that matches the
- Take a card.
- Respond to the card using the picture.
- Pass the die to your partner and start again.



What does this picture remind you of?

This picture reminds me of ...