

Text me

(Differentiated)

This is a simple starter exercise where pupils are issued with a piece of text written in 'text speak'.

The aim is for pupils to decipher the text to identify what it is saying. This text could be a fact or an instruction related to the lesson.

A 60 second timer is available on the resource.

Once the time has elapsed ask pupils to randomly feedback their answers. The class could hold a vote as to which they agree with.

This activity could be led by a pupil to minimise teacher talk.

To differentiate using **GAP**:

The more complex the text message the more challenge it should require. As such to differentiate the task either use more complex keywords in the text message or extend the length and detail.

Green	To challenge yourself choose the 'Green' word to decode.
Amber	To further challenge yourself choose the 'Amber' word to decode.
Pink	To extend yourself choose the 'Pink' phrase to decode.



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