

Unit 2

Right, let's write

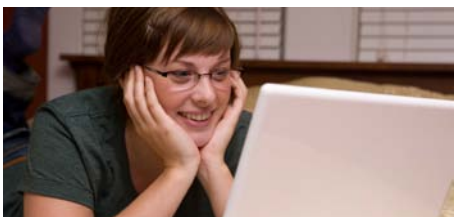
Trends

Student's sheet

With your partner, have a look at the pictures and write a few sentences on current trends.



More and more people are using the Internet for making phone calls.



Which of the trends are relevant in your own life? Discuss them with another partner.

Trends

Teacher's notes

*Preparation:*

The aim of this activity is to get students to practise talking and writing about current trends and using the present continuous correctly for that purpose. Have a copy of the student's sheet for every student in class.

*In class:*

Tell your students you are going to do an activity on current trends. Elicit a few ideas on what is trendy. Then put your students into pairs and give each student a copy of the student's sheet. In pairs, students discuss the pictures and write down their ideas. Walk around and help.

*Extension activity:*

Write the ten different categories on the board (e.g. picture one: online phone calls, picture two: health food shop, and so on) and encourage your students to choose three of their favourite sentences per pair and write them into the respective category. This way you visualize the results and make them available to everybody. In case there are mistakes, correct them on the board without referring to the person who wrote the sentence (anonymizing of mistakes).