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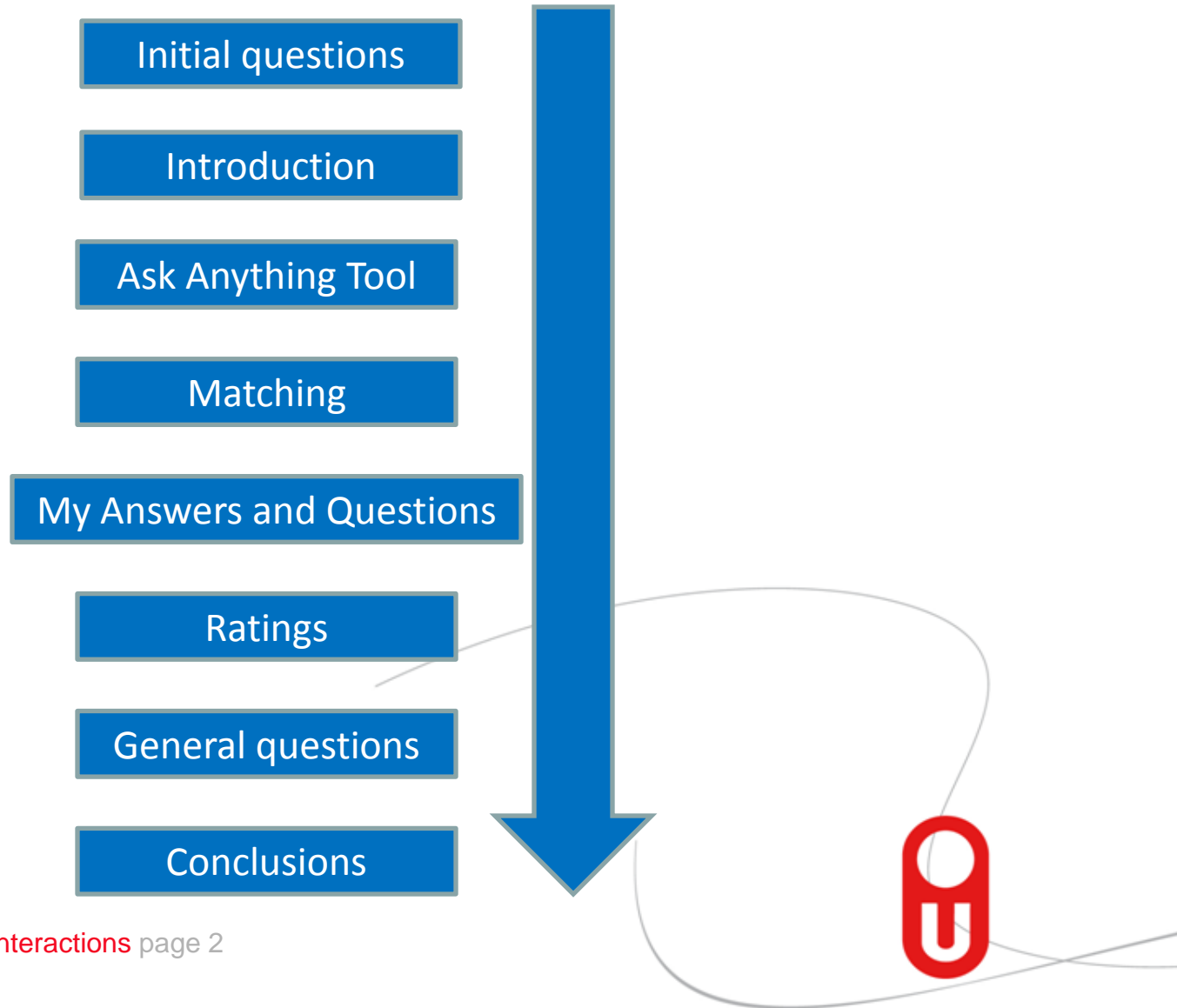
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Overview



Initial Questions

- Please fill in the initial questions on the paper in front of you
- Keep the answers short
- There are no right or wrong answers

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Introduction

- Question and Answer websites are very popular
- There is enormous potential in letting people help each other
- At the moment asking questions is not so easy in eTwinning

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YAHOO! ANSWERS

Web Search

ask.



Can't find it with search? **Ask**

Post Question

answer.



Share knowledge
Help others
Earn points

What people think of Answers
How does it work?

discover.



Search for questions:

Search

Advanced

My Profile



Hello **Sibren**
Total Points 102
Level 1

Categories

- Arts & Humanities
- Beauty & Style
- Business & Finance
- Cars & Transportation
- Computers & Internet
- Consumer Electronics
- Dining Out
- Education & Reference
- Entertainment & Media

Best of Answers



How do you save a waterlogged cell phone?

577 ☆ Asked by Mathew - Cell Phones & Plans



First, you must immediately take out the... [More >](#)

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✉ Send to a friend



Answers Network

Invite your friends to join your Network on Yahoo! Answers. ?

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Aardvark

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Hi Sibren!

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Ask

Answer

Busy at work? Try getting up and stretching to relieve stress. [Ask Aardvark for more tips...](#)

 Ask a question and I'll find someone to answer




Input field for asking a question

 [Example questions](#)

Send

Share Aardvark!

Invite friends to get answers from people you trust!

 **Tip:** Connect to Facebook to share Qs and As with friends-of-friends, classmates, and coworkers.

Watch live...

Questions that just got answered:

printers storytelling

haircuts in SF manners Aardvark

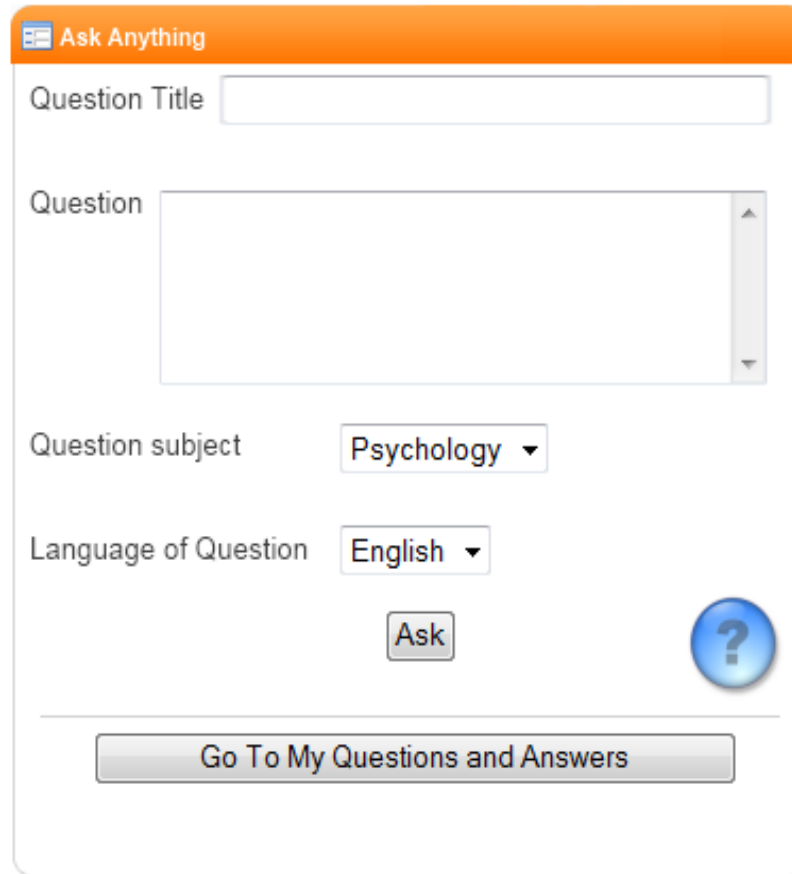
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Make Groups

- Before we continue
- Groups of 5 people
- Form groups with people you do NOT know
- Work together on the next questions, but keep in mind that time is limited



Ask Anything Tool



The screenshot shows the 'Ask Anything' tool interface. It features an orange header with the text 'Ask Anything'. Below the header, there is a 'Question Title' input field, a larger 'Question' text area, and two dropdown menus for 'Question subject' (set to 'Psychology') and 'Language of Question' (set to 'English'). An 'Ask' button is positioned below the dropdowns, and a blue circular help icon with a question mark is to its right. At the bottom of the form is a 'Go To My Questions and Answers' button.

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Matching









My Current Question and Answer Space

Question Title [How do I start a project?](#)

Question

Finding the right people to answer my question

Or select people from the list below:

People	Matching Score
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  Person X ★★★★★	82
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person C ★★★	79
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  Person N ★★★★★	78
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person J ★★★★	71
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person Z ★★	65
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person M ★★★	65
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person D ★★★★★	55
<input type="checkbox"/>  Person K ★★★★	54

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Ask Anything Tool

The screenshot displays the 'Ask Anything Tool' interface. At the top, there is a header for 'eTwinning Groups' with the tagline '... CREATIVITY'. Below the header is a navigation bar with 'My Questions and Answers' selected. The main content area is divided into several panels:

- My Current Question and Answer Space:** Shows a question titled 'How do I start a project?' with a text input field containing the question text. Below it, there is a section for 'Answers and Communication Space' with a list of messages: 'Question posted on 07-11-2009', 'Invitation sent to Person X', and 'Invitation sent to Person N'. At the bottom, there is a 'Post Comment' button and a feedback section asking 'Has the Question been answered satisfactory?' with three buttons: 'Yes - Close the Question', 'No - Resubmit the Question', and 'No - Close the Question'.
- Questions I Asked:** Lists questions asked by the user, including 'How do I start a project?' with details like 'Posted 07-11-2009' and 'Closed 27-10-2009'. It also shows where to start with ratings for 'Person A' and 'Person B'.
- People I Worked With:** Displays a list of people the user has interacted with, including 'Person A', 'Person B', 'Person F', and 'Person G', each with a profile picture and a star rating.
- My Preferences:** Allows setting the 'Maximum questions per month' to 5.
- Answers I Have Given:** Lists answers given by the user, such as 'What to put in the Profile?' with details like 'Posted 03-11-2009' and 'Closed 04-11-2009'.
- Ask Anything:** A form for asking new questions, including fields for 'Question Title', 'Question', 'Question subject' (set to 'Psychology'), and 'Language of Question' (set to 'English'). It features an 'Ask' button and a 'Go To My Questions and Answers' button.

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Question
I have a question concerning the eTwinning Projects. I am still rather new here and I do not know where to begin to find partners and/or a project. Could you please give me some hints and tips how to start?

Ratings

You have indicated that you want to close the question.
If you closed the question by accident, please click the button to cancel.

Please provide a rating of the quality of the answer as well as the people invited.

Quality of the answer ★★★★★

Person X ★★★★★

Person N ★★★★★

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Conclusions

- So what did we learn?
- What seems to be the general vision?
- Contact details
 - Future research
 - Results
- Thank you very much for your help!

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