

How to Irritate People - Airline Pilots

1. Please Enter This But As One Word: Co Ckpit
2. Verb Present Ends In Ing
3. Adverb
4. Adjective
5. Size Eg Little
6. Part Of Body
7. Letter
8. Thing Beginning With That Letter
9. Size Eg Little
10. Part Of Body
11. Letter
12. Thing Beginning With That Letter
13. Adjective
14. Greeting
15. Adverb
16. Feeling Eg Alarm Happiness
17. Verb Present Ends In Ing
18. Verb Base Form
19. Same Adverb
20. Same Feeling
21. Part Of Aeroplane
22. Problem Eg On Fire
23. Same Part

24. Same Problem
25. Please Enter This But As One Word: Co Ckpit
26. Verb Present Ends In Ing
27. Verb Present Ends In Ing
28. Feeling Eg Worried Happy
29. Place In Aeroplane
30. Verb Base Form
31. Adverb
32. Verb Past Tense
33. Please Enter This But As One Word: Co Ckpit
34. Verb Base Form
35. Adverb
36. Verb Past Tense
37. Please Enter This But As One Word: Co Ckpit
38. Adjective
39. Adjective
40. Please Enter This But As One Word: Co Ckpit
41. Verb Base Form
42. Part Of Body - Plural
43. Adjective
44. Adjective
45. Adjective
46. Please Enter This But As One Word: Go Bbled Ygoo K
47. Made Up Noun - Plural
48. Part Of Body

49. Made Up Verb
50. Another Made Up Noun
51. Adjective
52. Verb Present Ends In Ing
53. Another Made Up Noun
54. Place In Aeroplane
55. Verb Base Form
56. Another Made Up Noun
57. Verb Past Tense
58. Verb Base Form
59. Noun Plural
60. Verb Past Tense
61. Verb Base Form
62. Verb Base Form
63. Noun Plural
64. Noun
65. Part Of Body - Plural
66. Type Of That Noun Eg Luggage - Hand Luggage
67. Verb Base Form

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(The sketch opens in an aeroplane Please enter this but as one word: cockpit. The Captain and the First Officer are Verb Present ends in ING Adverb. They are obviously very Adjective)

Captain: (John Cleese) I spy with my Size eg little Part of Body something beginning with Letter.

First Officer: (Graham Chapman) Thing beginning with that letter.

C: Mm-hmmm.

FO: I spy with my Size eg little Part of Body something beginning with Letter.

C: Thing beginning with that letter.

FO: Yeah. Oh God, I'm Adjective.

C: I'm fed up with that game. Let's play another game. I know what.

FO:

What?

(The Captain picks up a microphone.)

C: (over intercom) _____ Greeting _____, this is your Captain speaking. There is _____ Adverb _____ no cause for
_____ Feeling eg alarm happiness _____.' That will get them _____ Verb Present ends in ING _____.

(First Officer reaches for the microphone.)

C: No, no, no, no. Not yet, not yet. Let it _____ Verb Base Form _____ in. They will be thinking, er, 'What is there
_____ Same adverb _____ no cause for _____ Same feeling _____ about? Are the _____ Part of aeroplane _____ Problem eg on _____
fire _____ ? (over intercom) 'The _____ Same part _____ are not _____ Same problem _____.' Now they are thinking, er, 'Why
should he say that? So we say...

(Steward enters the _____ Please enter this but as one word: cockpit _____.)

FO: Oh, how are we _____ Verb Present ends in ING _____ ?

Steward: (Michael Palin) (looks down the aisle) They've stopped _____ Verb Present ends in ING _____; Looking a bit
_____ Feeling eg worried happy _____

C: Good.

S: Hang on, one of them is going to the Place in aeroplane.

C: Is he there yet ?

S: He's just closing the door... NOW !!!!

C: Right. One... two... three...

FO: (over intercom) 'Please Verb Base Form to your seats and fasten your safetybelts Adverb
please.'

S: Yes... here he comes, going up the aisle like the clappers. I'll do the Verb Past Tense walk now. (He
leaves the Please enter this but as one word: cockpit)

FO: Right. Safety regulations.

C: (agreeing) Safety regulations.

FO: (over intercom) 'Please _____ Verb Base Form _____ Adverb _____. I want you, I want to remind you of some of the safety regulations. In the case of emergency it is vitally important to...

(The Captain makes a radio-static type noise..)

FO: '...as the warning buzzer sounds. '

C: 'BZZZZZ'

(They both laugh.)

C: Oh, that's got them _____ Verb Past Tense _____.

S: (enters _____ Please enter this but as one word: co ckpit _____) _____ Adjective _____.!! _____ Adjective _____.!!! (exits _____ Please _____

_____ enter this but as one word: co ckpit _____)

C: Hey, I've got an idea!! 'Hello, you will find your life-jackets under your seats.'

FO: No they are on the racks.

C: Shhhh, let them _____ Verb Base Form a bit. 'I'm sorry, you will find them on the racks above your
_____ Part of Body - Plural. But do not unfasten your safety belts.'

FO: Aaahh !

S: (back again) _____ Adjective, _____ Adjective, that was _____ Adjective !

FO: Right. _____ Please enter this but as one word: go bbled yoo k.

C: Oh yes.

FO: 'The _____ Made up noun - plural above your _____ Part of Body are now ready to _____ Made up verb. Please
unfasten your safetybelts and press the emergency _____ Another made up noun on the back of the seats behind you.

S: (looks out) _____ Adjective, _____ Verb Present ends in ING about, climbing over the seats.

FO:

'Please find the emergency _____ in the _____ at the back and
_____ it.'

C: 'But do not unfasten your safety belts.'

S: That's got them back to their seats.

FO: 'The emergency _____ MUST be _____.'

C: 'But do not leave your seats.'

FO: 'Do not _____.'

C: _____ will now be _____.'

FO: _____ your life jackets.'

C: 'And _____ all _____.'

FO:

'Please remove the _____ Noun _____ from the racks above your _____ Part of Body - Plural _____ and place it on the racks on the other side of the aircraft.'

C: 'Except for _____ Type of that noun eg luggage - hand luggage _____...'

FO: '...which you should _____ Verb Base Form _____ on.'

(They are in fits of laughter.)

C: Now have a look.

S: (looks) Hang on! Hang on!

C: What?

FO: What?

S: They have all jumped out!

(They

laugh, pointing downwards and looking out of the window. After a while the laughter dies away. There is a long pause.)

C: You know, I wouldn't be surprised if there wasn't some trouble about this.

(They burst out laughing again. The sketch ends.)