Jazzy Jargon: Definition Activity

Activity Instructions

This activity will compare your preconceptions of the terms Internet and World Wide Web to an accurate definition. First, you will write the two definitions in your own words in the 'before presentation' boxes. Then there will be a presentation that will provide the definitions. At this time you will write down the definition of the terms in the 'after presentation' boxes. Then partner up and share your definitions. Focus on two ideas: 1-how the definition changed, and 2- compare/contrast the two terms (Internet and WWW).

Define the Internet

Before Presentation

After Presentation

A global network of computers that communicate and share information

Define the World Wide Web

Before Presentation

After Presentation

The WWW is one of several tools you can use to find information on the Internet. It allows you to view information on the Internet in a multimedia and easy-to-navigate format.

Notes for Trainers

The presentation delivers one definition to the teachers. Preconceptions might not be revealed unless they share and discuss their thoughts. They also need time to discuss the similarities of Internet and World Wide Web as well as the differences.