

CLASSROOM ENGLISH



Sorry but I have forgotten my copybook.



Can I clear the board ?



Can you write on the board ?



Sorry but I haven't learnt my lesson.



Can I close / open the blind ?



Can I collect the document ?



Do you have our tests Miss ?



Sorry, I'm late. I missed my bus ?



Can you speak up, please ?



I don't understand / I don't know / I don't remember.



Sorry, I'm late. I overslept.



Can I borrow some glue ?



I don't agree. You should say...



Can I put my paper in the bin ?



Can you spell... ?



What's the homework for next time ?



What's the English / French for... ?



Can I give out / pick up the slates ?



Can I give out the document ?



Could you step aside, please ?



Can you repeat, please ?



Can I have a tissue ?



Can I open / close the window ?



Can I switch on / off the light ?



Sorry, I have forgotten my pen.
Can I borrow one ?

More situations	What you can say?
J'ai oublié mes affaires / mon classeur	
Je me propose pour corriger un exercice	
Je demande à aller à l'infirmerie	
Je ne sais pas	
Je veux dire que c'est faux / juste	

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APOLOGIZING for being absent

Sorry, I was absent / I was sick / I had a headache, a stomach ache...

I had an appointment at the dentist's / at the doctor's

I broke my leg / I twisted my wrist, my ankle in PE

APOLOGIZING for being late

I missed my bus / I overslept / My car broke down / I forgot my room number

I was with the headteacher / I was with the nurse / I was at the toilets / I was at the monitors' office

APOLOGIZING for not doing homework

Sorry but I haven't learnt my lesson / I haven't done my exercise

APOLOGIZING for forgetting something

I'm sorry, I have forgotten my binder / worksheet. Can I share with somebody?

I have forgotten my pencil box at home. Can anybody lend me a pen?

I have left my book in my locker. Can I go and get it?

I have lost my ink eraser. Can I borrow one?

PROBLEMS OF UNDERSTANDING

I didn't get it. Could you play the CD again, please?

Can you slow down please?

Can you write it down please?

Can you repeat, please?

I don't understand. Can you explain, please?

I can't hear a thing. Could you speak up, please?

I don't know that word. What does it mean?

ASKING FOR HELP

I need some help please.

How do you pronounce ... ? / How do you spell ... ?

I haven't finished my exercise. I need more time.

CORRECTING AN EXERCISE

We have an exercise to correct.

Can I start correcting / reading?

Do we have to read the instructions?

Can I go to the board?

COMMENTING

I've made some mistakes / It was easy # difficult.

It's correct / right / true It's wrong / false

I've written something else.

Do we have to write?

GIVING ONE'S OPINION

I think = in my opinion = I suppose = I believe

I don't think so.

I agree with ... # I don't agree with ...

ASKING FOR PERMISSION DURING THE CLASS / ASKING FOR SOMETHING

Can I go out? Can I sit there? Can I change seats?

Can I collect the tests? Can I give / hand out the photocopies?

Can I go to the bin?

Does anybody have a tissue / a cartridge / an eraser?

It's too bright in here. Could you pull down the blinds, please?

Excuse me, I can't see. Could you step aside, please?

I can't see the board / it's too dark in here. Could you switch on the lights, please?

ON LEAVING THE CLASSROOM

Do we have homework?

When is the next test?

Good bye / See you on ... / Have a nice day / weekend / holiday!