

Web Unit

First names

Blue Line 1, nach Unit 2

Ihr seid schon einigen Namen in eurem Englischbuch begegnet. Außerdem kennt ihr bestimmt andere englische und amerikanische Namen: von Musikern, von Fußballspielern und anderen Sportlerinnen und Sportlern sowie von Schauspielerinnen und Schauspielern. Welche Namen sind besonders beliebt? Welchen Namen hättest *du* gerne? Mit dieser Webrecherche werdet ihr damit beginnen, das Internet auf Englisch kennen zu lernen. Viel Spaß dabei!



Wie Sand am Meer: Namen gibt es unendlich viele

Pre-net activities

(Bevor du ins Internet gehst)

- 1 Find the English first names in Unit 2 of your English book. Write one list of the girls' names and one list of the boys' names.

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

- 2 'Tim' is the short form of the name 'Timothy'. Look at the names on the right and write their short forms. You can find all the short forms in the list on page 184 of your English book.


_____	is short for ...	Benjamin
_____		Robert
_____		Philip
Tim ✓		Timothy
_____		Susan
_____		Samuel
_____		Thomas

Net-use activities

(Webrecherche)

1  www.neighbourhood.statistics.gov.uk/HTMLDocs/dvc11/babyname.html

- 1. Look at the list of English boys' names. Which names from page 184 of your English book are in the first ten names? _____
- 2. What number is Sam? (It isn't in the first ten names.) _____

2  'girls'


Look at the list of English girls' names. Which name from the book is in the first ten names?

3  www.ssa.gov/OACT/babynames/

Look at the 'Top 10' names for children in the USA. Then look at the 'Top 10' of the British lists for the same year. Which girls' and boys' names are in both lists?

Girls: _____

Boys: _____

4  'Popular names by birth year'

Put in the year you were born (*dein Geburtsjahr*). Look at the lists of names and write your three favourite girls' and boys' names.

Girls

Boys

1. _____

1. _____

2. _____

2. _____

3. _____

3. _____

Post-net activities

(Nachdem du im Internet warst)

1 Group activity: Find English names for all the pupils in your group.

2 Class activity:

- On a small piece of paper, write your favourite English name for a boy and for a girl.
- Give all the papers to your teacher.
- Your teacher then reads the names to the class.
- Make a grid on the board with all the names.

Which are your class's favourite names?

Now you can ...

(Du kannst jetzt ...)

- ✓ ... find the different parts of a website.
(... sich auf einer Website zurechtfinden.)
- ✓ ... compare two lists and find what's the same and what's different.
(... zwei Listen vergleichen.)
- ✓ ... talk about English names and choose favourite names.
(... über englische Namen sprechen und Lieblingsnamen auswählen.)

I want to know more about:

(Ich will mehr über ... wissen.)
