



Listening

1 Listen to four people talking about their favorite games. Match the speakers with the pictures. Write 1-4 in the gaps.



a)



b)



c)



d)

Speaking

Talk in pairs. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of board games.

excitement	learning
social skills	patience
ability to focus	memory
improvement	stress relief

risk of addiction	waste of time
competitive behavior	
focus on winning	
lack of physical exercise	

- ★ I think/believe that...
- ★ A major advantage/disadvantage is...
- ★ The downside is...
- ★ Your turn now.
- ★ What do you think about...?
- ★ Don't you agree?

2 Listen again and fill in the gaps with 1-4.

- a) The game that Speaker ... prefers requires both skill and luck.
- b) Speaker ... has played his/her favorite game since childhood.
- c) The game mentioned by Speaker ... has been bought by millions of people.
- d) The game chosen by Speaker ... is good for the mind.
- e) Speaker ... plays his/her favorite games through the Internet.
- f) The game Speaker ... likes has helped improve his/her English.

