

“Deir Ó Grádaigh”/“Simon Says”

Play the game “Deir Ó Grádaigh”- “Simon Says” using our vocabulary about the house. E.g.

“Deir Ó Grádaigh **bí** _____:

-sa chistin

-sa seomra folctha

-sa seomra codlata srl.”

“Simon Says **be** _____:

-in the kitchen

-in the bathroom

-in the bedroom etc.”

You could also add some action words if the children were finding this easy. E.g. “Deir Ó Grádaigh...”

Léim sa chistin (**Jump** in the kitchen)

Suí sa seomra codlata (**Sit** in the bedroom)

Rith sa ghairdín (**run** in the garden)

Bí ciúin sa seomra suite (**Be quiet** in the sitting room- phew!)

Make sure you say a few without the “Deir Ó Grádaigh” to try to catch the children out as, just like Simon Says, if you don't say “Deir Ó Grádaigh” and they do the action then Mummy/Daddy is the winner.

Gaeilge	Phonetic spelling
Deir Ó Grádaigh	<i>der oh graw-dee</i>
bí	<i>bee</i>
léim	<i>lame</i>
suí	<i>see</i>
rith	<i>rih</i>
bí ciúin	<i>bee cue-in</i>