

Title: **Picture Sentence Match**  
Level: **1 (easy)**  
Number of students: **Any**  
Organization: **Pairs or Groups**  
Length: **5 - 10 minutes**  
Materials: **1 set of Picture & Sentence Cards per group.**  
Procedure:

This activity is based on Unit 1 of the Cambridge Latin Course. The story should have been read once before. (Although it may be interesting to use this activity as prereading work) The basic game is Concentration.

1. Make groups or pairs of students.
2. Hand out the card sets (have students cut them for you if necessary)
3. Students shuffle each set and lay them out. Picture Cards on one side, Sentence Cards on the other. Face down.
4. Play begins. A student turns over one card and tries to find its match on the other side.
5. If a student finds a match the student may go again.  
If not, then the next student / group takes a turn.
6. Play continues until all the cards are matched up.

### **Ideas:**

To reduce competition, matched cards should be set aside in a neutral location. To easily organize the cards, copy them onto different colored paper. Groups that finish early can try to put the sentences in order. Groups that finish early can try one of the variations below.

### Variations:

**Caruta** (A Japanese game--can't think of the English name): Groups place the pictures face up on their desks. The teacher reads one of the sentence cards. Students look for the matching picture and slam their hand on it. (Fly-swatters would be good). The first student to touch it gets a point.

**Caruta 2:** Same as above, but the Teacher shows the picture and students look for the sentence.

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**Caecilius in  
hortô  
sedet.**

**servus in  
âtriô  
labôrat.**

**Metella est in  
âtriô.  
Metella in  
âtriô sedet.**

**Quîntus in  
tablînô  
scrîbit.**

**coquus  
est in  
culînâ.  
coquus in  
culînâ  
dormit**

**Cerberus  
intrat**

**Cerberus  
circum-  
spectat**

**cibus est in  
mênsâ**

**canis  
salit**

**canis in  
mênsâ stat**

**Grumiô  
stertit**

**canis  
lâtrat**

**Grumiô  
surgit**

**coquus est  
îrâtus**

**"pestis!  
furcifer!"  
coquus clâmat**

**Cerberus  
exit**

