Football Kit

Level: Beginners – Intermediate

Preparation: Print in colour, display on your interactive whiteboard or make sure students have access to the following sites, so they can refer to the design of the kits in the tournament:

- [www.historicalkits.co.uk/international/tournaments/euro-2012/euro-2012](http://www.historicalkits.co.uk/international/tournaments/euro-2012/euro-2012)

In Class: Give your students descriptions of the shirts – they must read and then guess the name of the country/team. Remember to tell your students which kit they are looking for – for example, is it a ‘home’ or ‘away’ kit? The descriptions can be adapted for your level:

**Beginner levels:**

1. *This shirt is orange and black.* = ___________
   - [The Netherlands]

2. *This shirt is white and red.* = ____________ and _______ and _______
   - [England, Poland, Czech Republic]

3. *This shirt is white and red checks.* = ___________
   - [Croatia]

4. *This shirt is green with gold stripes.* = ___________
   - [Ireland]

5. *This shirt is red and green.* = ____________
   - [Portugal]

6. *This shirt is red, yellow and blue.* = ____________
   - [Spain]

7. *This shirt is dark blue.* = ____________ [France]
Intermediate levels:
1. This shirt has a black trim on the arms. It’s bright orange. [The Netherlands]
2. This shirt has white shoulders, two black stripes on the shoulders and a white and black collar. The shirt is red. [Denmark]
3. This is a v-necked shirt. It has three yellow stripes on the shoulders and a blue stripe on the sleeves. It is red. [Spain]
4. This shirt is white with three stripes on the shoulders. It has a light-blue cross on it. [Greece]
5. This shirt is white with a thick red stripe across the chest. [Poland]
6. This is a v-necked shirt with vertical blue stripes. It is yellow. [Sweden]

Extension: Students design a new kit for their team and write a description. There is an outline of a kit on page 142 of *English Though Football*. 