WORKSHEET A.

'SIR PETER' – THE BACKGROUND STORY.

'Sir Peter's' real name is Dan Argalot. He is originally from Argonia, a small republic which used to be part of the Soviet Union. In June 2007, Dan decided to visit friends in New York. He flew from Argonia to London where he had to change planes. While he was in the airport toilet, someone stole the small bag containing all his documents, and he was stopped from boarding the plane to New York and was unable to continue his journey. The Argonian embassy in London have promised to try and help, but they say it could take some time to provide Dan with new documents as the central records agency in Argonia was destroyed five years ago by an earthquake. Meanwhile, Dan has been living at Heathrow airport. He sleeps on a bench near the off-duty shop in Terminal one. He gets money by giving interviews to TV and newspaper journalists. He is always very polite and he is well-known at the airport – hence his nickname: 'Sir Peter'...