## Teacher Notes: "Please, Please, Please Let Me Get What I Want"

This is a good song to teach English language learners. The words are fairly simple and the song is short – the singing is done by about 1 minute and 20 seconds into the song!

Here's how I taught "Please Please":

- 1. Students listen to the song without writing anything or having the handouts (1-2 times)
- 2. Students listen and individually write down what they can (1-3 times)
- 3. Students compare their notes to try to piece together the lyrics to the song (~5 minutes)
- 4. Students listen again (1 time)
- 5. Students listen again and do the fill-in-the-blanks worksheet as a group (2-3 times)
- 6. Students read over the complete lyrics while listening to the song. Give each student a copy of the lyrics.

## Please, Please...

by The Smiths

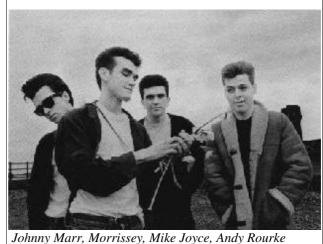
Good times for a	
See, the luck I've had	
Can make a good man	
So please please please  The Smiths, 1982 to 1983	
Let me, let me  Let me, let me	/
Let me	
Haven't had a in a long time	
See, the life I've had	
Can make a good man bad	
So for	
Let me	
Lord knows,	
Lord knows,	

## Please, Please, Please Let Me Get What I Want

by The Smiths

Good times for a change See, the luck I've had Can make a good man Turn bad

So please please Let me, let me, let me Let me get what I want This time



Haven't had a dream in a long time See, the life I've had Can make a good man bad

So for once in my life Let me get what I want Lord knows, it would be the first time Lord knows, it would be the first time