

ESL Icebreaker: Human Bingo

Human Bingo is a fun icebreaker activity that is a great class introduction activity for young learners, teens and even adults. In this activity, students are given a bingo card with random statements. Students must go around the room questioning the other students in class to complete their bingo card.

Activity time: 10 - 15 minutes

Materials required: Pre-prepared bingo cards, a small prize (optional)

Skills Practiced: Speaking, question forming, listening

Level: All levels young learners 10+

Method

1. First print out a bingo card for each student.
2. Next, the teacher instructs the students that they need to go around the room and find someone who matches the statement on their bingo card.
3. The student must get the person to sign their name to the statement that matches them. With larger groups, players cannot sign more than one box on a card.
4. The first student to complete their card needs to shout "Bingo!"
5. After, the teacher should ask follow up questions about the person who signed each box.
6. Enjoy and have fun.

Human Bingo Cards

Has green eyes	Is not from a different city	Plays football
FREE SPACE	Likes cake	Has brown hair
Has two brothers	Likes swimming	Has a pet

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Has blonde hair	FREE SPACE	Plays the guitar
Has a sister	Is older than me	Likes to read books
Is taller than me	Likes to cook	Can speak three languages

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Has brothers and sisters	Is like their father	Was born in a different city
Likes football	Can play an instrument	Doesn't like sport
Would like to be famous	Has been abroad	FREE SPACE

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Has never been to England	Wouldn't like to be famous	Would like to visit Ireland
Has brothers and sisters	FREE SPACE	Is like their mother
Has won a competition	Likes reading	Can't play an instrument

Blank Cards

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