

Access English Centre Immigrant Centre Manitoba Multi-level: Warm-up Activity



Question Time

15 minutes

Objective/Goal:

This icebreaker activity is a fun way for participants to interact with each other. Participants can ask each other questions and have a discussion with partners.

Materials:

Facilitator needs:

Participants need:

- whiteboard
- Attachment #1:Question Strips (1 per person)
- whiteboard markers

Procedure:

Introduction-

Before you begin:

1. Pair the participants:

Option #1: Instruct the participants to find a partner.

Option #2- Partner the participants by instructing them to get into two's –male and female.

Option #3- Give each participant a partner.

2. **Explain** the activity to the whole group. Demonstrate.

Optional: You can ask the participants to come up with questions that they would like to find out from their peers. You can write their responses on the whiteboard.

- 3. **Give** each pair a question strip. Give them time to think of some answers. Each person takes a turn answering the questions.
- Activity:
- 4. **Instruct** the participants to take some time to think and decide how he/she asks and answers.

Afterwards, each pair will **choose** one person to share their findings with the whole group.



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Attachment #1: Question Strips

1. What is your dream job?
2. If you had a million dollars, how would you spend it?
3. Who is your favourite teacher? And why?
4. Who is your favourite relative? And why?
5. Who is your favourite person? And why?
What do you do at home?(your interests or hobbies) Describe them.
7. Describe the best vacation ever. Where would you go?
8. If you can live anywhere in the world, where would you live and why?
9. What is your favourite meal? And why?
10. What is your favourite restaurant? And why?
11. Describe your best birthday.
12. Describe your best holiday.
13. What do you enjoy cooking? Describe.
14. What do you like to study? And why?
15. What is your favourite TV show? And why?
16. What is your favourite movie? And why?
17. What is your favourite book? And why?



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18. What is your favourite song on the radio? And why?
19. Who is your favourite actor/actress? Describe.
20. Who is your favourite singer? Describe.
21. Describe your dream home.
22. Describe your dream car.
23. What is the funniest story you know?
24. What did you do today?
25. What will you be doing tomorrow?
26. What are your future goals?
27. Where are you from? Describe your home country.
28. Tell me about yourself.
29. Have you worked before? Describe your work experience.
30. Do you like living in Canada? And why?
31. Describe the best day you ever had.