World Food Programme INNOVATION ACCELERATOR

Getting to know each other

An icebreaker exercise to familiarise the team

Description

This is a simple ice-breaker exercise to help your innovator group to get to know each other.

Suggested time 20 minutes

Level of difficulty Low

Materials needed 1/ Each participant to bring a picture

(or digital picture) of themselves

2/ Mural Board or Flipchart Space

Steps

Introduce yourself and break the ice

Personalise your digital space

Get ready for what's ahead

Check how we used this in WFP-X:

https://app.mural.co/t/wfpx20daressalaam8404/m/wfpx20daressalaam8404/1597433984041/9442cd6cb4de8b0a910560bfb08df80d3817226e

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Your task in this step



Tell us a bit about yourself, find your name below, and answer some questions.

Fill out the steps below

1 Add your name

2 Three icons to describe you

Drag and drop a photo of yourselve here

What is your personal goal for being involved in WFPx?

What is your favourite dish?

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STEP 1
Introduce yourself and break the ice

STEP 2

Personalise your digital space

STEP 3

Get ready for what's ahead

Make it personal



Suggested time

10 minutes



Set your Zoom "virtual background" to something fun, funny, or delightful, than tells us something about you, such as:

Your favorite place in the world Your favorite scent A still from a movie or cartoon you love Your favorite food/dessert A childhood photo of yourself Something that makes you happy



Rename your zoom name to match your background



Share back to the team for a few seconds about what you chose and why



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Breakout room practice

Your task in this step

We will create breakout rooms and randomly assign 2 people in each. You will have 3 minutes to complete the task assigned to the round.





Round 1

Tell each other one of your earliest childhood memories; then together create nicknames for each other, inspired by that information.



Round 2

Tell each other about one recent failure (big or small); than together create a life motto, inspired by that information.



Round 3

Tell each other about one recent sucess (big or small); then together create a "touchdown dance", inspired by that information.

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STEP -

A basic ice-breaker to introduce yourself to the group and get to know the rest

STEP 2

A fun ice-breaker suitable for digital meetings

STEP 3

A breakout room practice in pairs to get to know others more closely



Crew debrief

Your task in this step

You made it! To end the session, fill in the feedback grid to check what worked best or needs to change, and if there's any unanswered questions or new ideas.



Feedback Grid Fill out this grid in your feedback session.

What worked well	Needs to change New ideas to try