

GETTING TO KNOW YOU ACTIVITIES

First Session

Spend some time during your first session (or the first few) getting to know your student and sharing a little about yourself. The suggestions below might help facilitate that time.

- **Favorite Things** – ice cream flavor, subject in school, book, person, season, food, activity to do when not in school, game, place, etc.
- **20 Questions** (more of an ice breaker) – the game where someone has 20 yes/no questions to figure out what you're thinking.
- **True or False** – take turns telling each other something that could be true or not. Each person decides if the other person is saying something true. (Ex. I have 7 dogs and 2 cats.)
- **In Common** – try to find things you may have in common with your student by asking each other questions.
- **Bucket List** - share things you want to do with your life. Include goals for the tutoring year.
- **Draw Together** – draw a picture of your families and share them.
- **Share what you do for a living** and ask what the student wants to do for a job, or what their dream job would look like.