

Icebreakers

Word Links

Group size: Any size group

Resources needed: None

Instructions:

- Ask everyone to sit in a circle facing inwards. The first person starts with any word they wish i.e. “red”.
- The next person repeats the first word and adds another word which links to the first i.e. “red tomato”.
- The next person repeats the previous word and adds another word i.e. “tomato soup” and so on.
- To keep it moving only allow a maximum of five seconds for each word link. Anyone who takes too long is out and the winner is the last person in the game.
- You can set a time limit for the activity if you want to ensure it doesn't take too long.

Alternatives: If you want to make it a real memory challenge, you can ask people to repeat the whole list of words rather than just the last one. Someone will have to be nominated as checker and write down the words as they are added or there will be arguments!