

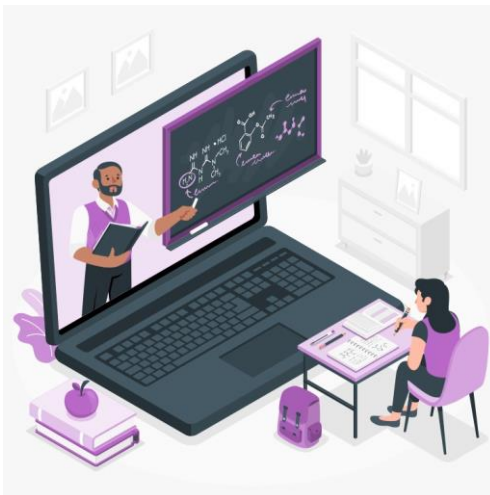
First session questions



These are some of the questions the volunteer could ask their buddy during their first session to get to know each other. Please note that these are only some example questions to help initiate conversation. Note these sessions should be enjoyed where both parties share their stories, ideas and opinions. If you are using these questions, adjust them to suit the situation.

Start off by greeting each other and giving an introduction about yourselves.

- Are you in or out of school? What do you study? How is/was your school life? What are some clubs/sports you participated in? What are your favorite subjects? How many languages can you speak? Do you like learning new languages?



- Ask about their family. Are you very close with all the family members? Who do you think you are closest / most attached to? What do your parents do? Can you describe each of your family members separately? What are their most striking features or characteristics?
- Do you have many friends? Do you have a best friend? What are they like?
- What are you most passionate about? What is your ultimate ambition? What do you want to do in the near future? Do you have a bucket/wish list? Can you share some of them? What have you ticked off from the list so far?



- What are some of the favorite dishes you like to eat? Are they relatively cheap or expensive? What's your favorite ice cream flavor? Do prefer salty food items or sweet food items or sour food items?
- Do you like to watch movies? What's your favorite movies? What are the movie genres that you like the most?
- Do you like reading books? What's your favorite book? What's the last book you read?
- Do you like traveling? What are some places that you like to visit? Can you tell about some memorable places that you have visited?
- What are your hobbies? What do you do during your free time? What do you normally do on weekends?
- Do you have any role models? Are any of your family members/ friends your role models?

- Why did you join ENG@sl? Why do you want to improve your English? (To study/ live abroad/ for self-development / needed for school).
- Is there any specific way you prefer to conduct the sessions?



Activities to try out

Here are some [would you rather questions](#) for you to try out with your buddy.

Discuss with your partner how many sessions/hours they want to do per week. The minimum requirement is 1 hour per week. If you are not able to do more than one session please contact engslteam@gmail.com we are will see to it. Thank you.

