



Connections Activity



Title/Skill:	Acronames
Connection Goal:	Personalization
Grade Level:	9-12
Month:	
Time Needed:	10-15minutes

Handouts/Materials Provided:
Pens/paper

Summary of Activity for the Advisor:

1. Use this as a check-in activity or with a new group.
2. Give students 5 minutes to think of interesting facts about themselves that correspond to the letters of their first name.
Example: My name is John. "J" is for junior, because I'm a junior. "O" is for Ohio, where I went this summer. "H" is for hockey, my favorite sport, and "N" is for nice, because I'm a nice guy.
3. Have each participant share his/her acronym.

Read/Review/Discuss/Do with students:

- Why is it important to know things like this about each other?
- How difficult (or easy) is it to share information with others?

