

Connections Activity

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| Topic: | Have You Ever... |
| Connection Goal: | Personalization |
| Grade Level: | 9-12 |
| Month: | September |
| Time Needed: | 25 minutes |

Handouts/Materials Provided:

Move the desks/chairs into a circle.

Summary of Activity for the Advisor:

1. Form a circle with the desks/chairs. Make sure there is one less chair than there are participants.
2. One student begins in the middle of the circle and has to ask the question: "Have you ever..." *done something that middle person has done.* (Examples: have you ever traveled to a foreign country? Met a famous person? Been in the band?)
3. Everyone who can answer yes to the question moves to a new seat (one that is not right next to their seat). The person who cannot get to a seat, is now the person in the middle and must ask a have you ever question.
4. With any question, you can pause the game to discuss people's answers.

Read/Review/Discuss/Do with students:

- What did you find interesting about your group members?
- What similarities did you find among your group?
- Did this help you get to know each other better? Do you have any questions for each other?