Snap Survey

What do you and your pupils have in common?
How Snap Survey works

Snap Survey is an evidence-based activity to help tutors and pupils find out what they have in common. It’s designed to improve pupil-tutor relationships.

This is the offline version of the activity. To use it, follow these simple steps:

1. In an early tutoring session, discuss the questions in this document with your pupils.
2. If you spot any similarities between you and your pupils, tell them!
3. Use your new knowledge about your pupils to tailor and personalise future lesson content.
Section 1: Quick fire questions about you
1. Would you say your hobbies are mainly:

- Creative 🎨
- Sporty 🏊
- Social 🎉
2. Are you a pet person? 🐶

- 100% yes
- Absolutely not
- Maybe - it would depend on the pet!
3. Play an instrument?

- Yes 🎸
- No ✗
4. Have you volunteered in your community?

- Yes
- No
5. If you had a free afternoon, what would you choose to do? Pick up to 3.

- Play sports ⚽
- Watch films or TV 📽
- Read 📚
- Listen to music 🎵
- Play video games 🎮
- Go shopping 🛍
- Do something creative 🎨
- Do something outside 🌲
- Hang out with friends 😊
- Cook 🍲
6. Which of these TV shows have you watched?

- Great British Bake Off
- Star Wars: The Mandalorian
- The Masked Singer
- His Dark Materials
- Friends
- Friday Night Dinner
- The Vampire Diaries
- Queer Eye
- Doctor Who
- The Simpsons
- None of them - don’t watch much tv.
7. If you could go to any sporting event, it would be:

- The World Cup
- The Olympics
- The Wimbledon Tennis Championships
- The Cricket World Cup
- The Rugby Six Nations
- The World Diving Championships
- The World Darts Championship
- I'd give my tickets to someone who cared about sports
8. Which of the following languages do you speak (even just a little bit)? 🌍

- Welsh
- Polish
- Punjabi
- Urdu
- Bengali
- Gujarati
- Arabic
- Somali
- Mandarin
- French
- German
- Spanish
- Other
- None
9. Ever met a celebrity? 😎

- Yes
- No
10. Which of these jokes made you laugh the most? 😊

- Hedgehogs - why can't they just share the hedge?
- I quit my job at the donut factory. I was fed up with the hole business.
- Crime in multi-storey car parks. That's wrong on so many levels.
- None of them are funny.
Section 2: My Values

There are no wrong answers - pick the option you like best!
11. Most important for success?

- Trying hard
- Being organised
- Being able to work with others
12. Most important for friendship?

- Laughter
- Listening
- Loyalty
13. Most satisfying?

- Learning something new
- Getting really good at something I’ve done before
14. People describe me as:

- Funny
- Thoughtful
- Caring
- Outgoing
- Generous
- Trustworthy
- Energetic
- Creative
15. At school, what are your favourite subjects? Pick up to 3.

- Maths
- English
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology
- History
- Geography
- Languages
- PE
- Music
- IT / Computer Science
- Design & Technology
- Drama
- Art
- Religious Studies
Section 3: Would you rather...

Just a bit of fun and there are no wrong answers. Go with your first reaction!
16. If you could time travel, would you rather...

- Talk to your past self
- Talk to your future self
17. Would you rather turn into a...?

- Dog 🐶
- Cat 🐱
18. For the rest of your life, would you rather eat:

- Pizza for every breakfast 🍕
- Cereal for every dinner 🍷
19. Would you rather...

- Only ever see one friend at a time
- Only ever see all your friends at once
20. Would you rather… 🍲

- Only eat burnt food for the rest of your life
- Only eat undercooked food for the rest of your life
21. Would you rather... 😷

- Always feel like you’re about to sneeze
- Have hiccups for the rest of your life