

A fun way for students to learn about each other at the start of school and throughout the year.

GREETING

Skills

identifying facts, making connections

Materials

none

A Little-Known Fact About Me

How to do it

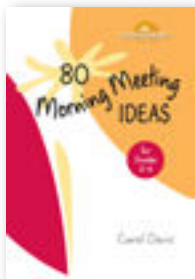
- 1 Have students think of a fact about themselves that many of their classmates may not know.
- 2 Choose a student to go first.
- 3 The first student says, "Good morning. My name is _____. A little-known fact about me is _____."
- 4 The group responds with a friendly "Good morning, [first student's name]."
- 5 Continue around the circle until everyone has been greeted.

Variation

- * Connect the greeting to academic curriculum by having students share a little-known fact about a book character, unit of study, and so on.

Tips for Success

- ✧ Model how to choose and say only one fact about yourself.
- ✧ Reinforce positive behaviors. For example: "You remembered to use our signal for 'turn up the volume' when you couldn't hear a classmate. This helped us all enjoy our greeting."



80 More Morning Meeting Ideas

For a complete list of Morning Meeting ideas, including tips and handouts, check out [*80 Morning Meeting Ideas for Grades 3–6*](#).