



GAME/ICEBREAKER

IF YOU ONLY KNEW | WEEK 3 | BEYOND THESE WALLS



IF YOU ONLY KNEW THIS COUNTRY

Where: Inside

Supplies Needed: 25 printouts, large poster board, 25 pins

Number of Participants: 4 Students

Game Length: 5-7 minutes

Grossness Level: None

Risk Level: None

INSTRUCTIONS

Play this game as an icebreaker to Week 3.

To prepare for this game, print out the 25 countries (one on each piece of paper) found in your series download. (These images could also be arranged in a slideshow to reveal the "answers" in this game.) Pin the 25 images onto the large poster board and set it up on stage for everyone to see.

To start the game, invite four students (one from each grade) up on stage. Using the attached questions, ask the first student the first question. Tell them the answer to the question is one of the countries on the board.

If the student answers correctly, take the image off the board and hand it to the student. If they guess incorrectly, leave the image on the board and ask the next student to answer the same question. Continue with the first question until someone guesses correctly. After the first country is finally off the board (and out of play), ask the second student the second question.

Continue the game until you run out of time or run out of countries. At the end of the game the student with the most countries in-hand wins.

QUESTIONS

- 1) Which country is so good at recycling, that it now runs out of garbage to recycle and imports trash from other countries to fuel energy programs? **Sweden.**
 - 2) Which country knighted a penguin in 2008? **Norway.**
 - 3) Which country's citizens commonly put ketchup on their pizza? **Poland.**
 - 4) Which country is about the same size as California? **Morocco.**
 - 5) In what country was basketball invented? **Canada.**
 - 6) Which country's national symbol is the Holland Tulip? **Kazakhstan.**
 - 7) Which country has the largest concentration of animals per square mile in the world? **Tanzania.**
 - 8) Which country produces 45% of all olive oil worldwide? **Spain.**
 - 9) Which country has replaced many police dogs in the country with police geese? **China.**
 - 10) Which country is the only place where Venus Fly Traps can be found growing in the wild? **United States.**
 - 11) Which country is home to the world's largest K-12 school, with more than 45,000 students enrolled? **India.**
 - 12) In which country might you be served "Chicken Pudding" for dessert? **Turkey.**
 - 13) Which country spread rumors about the "drop bear" (a fake animal that supposedly dropped out of trees to attack) just to scare tourists? **Australia.**
 - 14) Which country is the largest Spanish speaking country in the world? **Argentina.**
 - 15) Which country is known for growing yellow, purple, white and black colored corn? **Peru.**
 - 16) Which country's name means "Land of People"? **Greenland.**
 - 17) In which country do sheep outnumber humans 35 to 1? **Mongolia.**
 - 18) Which country made indoor tanning illegal nationwide in 2003? **Brazil.**
 - 19) Which country has only one stop sign in its entire capitol city [Capitol is Paris]? **France.**
 - 20) Which country is actually bigger than the (former) planet, Pluto? **Russia.**
 - 21) Which country banned Coke Zero in 2009 because of its artificial sweeteners? **Venezuela.**
 - 22) Which country on this board starts with the letter "L"? **Libya.**
 - 23) In which country was hot chocolate invented? **Mexico.**
 - 24) In which country do mosquitoes NOT exist? (That's right, no mosquitoes. At all.) **Iceland.**
 - 25) What is the name of the last country left on the board? **Madagascar.**
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