

# Climate Action Bingo!



Ages: 8+



Time: 30 - 45 mins

## Purpose:

To gauge a group's feelings about and experiences of climate action.

## Youth work outcomes:

**Outcome 4:** Young people participate safely and effectively in groups

**Outcome 5:** Young people consider risk, make reasoned decisions and take control

**Outcome 6:** Young people express their voice and demonstrate social commitment

Sustainable development goals:



## Materials/functionality:

### In person:

Bingo sheets for each participant, pens.

### Online:

Using interactive whiteboard functions on various platforms, participants simultaneously make a mark against statements that apply to them. The sticker function on Zoom's in-built whiteboard would work well for small groups.

### Description:

Explain the aim of the activity is to find a person in the group that agrees with each statement. You should try to get as many different names as possible. When you have completed your sheet, shout 'bingo!'

Give participants time to move around and chat with each other. Once a participant shouts bingo, bring the group back together to discuss the activity.

### Discussion questions:

- Did you learn something new about other people in the group?
- Were there statements that a lot of people agreed/disagreed with?
- How do you find talking about climate change? Is it easy or difficult?
- What other actions have you taken on climate change?
- If you have taken action on climate change (e.g. use reusable bags, been on a protest, signed a petition etc), how did that action make you feel?
- What motivates you to take climate action?

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I took part in the school strikes for climate

I talk to my family and friends about climate change

I don't think my actions make a difference to climate change

I have changed my habits to help the environment (e.g. using reusable cups)

I believe everyone has a responsibility to take action on climate change

I'm really worried about the effects of climate change

I feel motivated to do something when I see others taking action on climate change

I don't think climate change will affect me

I don't know much about climate change

I don't care about climate change

I've signed a petition related to climate change or the environment

I understand how my personal behaviours impact the environment

I'm interested in climate change

It's up to adults to solve climate change

I try not to think about climate change too much

It's too late to make a difference about climate change

I walk or cycle where possible, instead of taking the car

I think climate change is already affecting my community

I spend time in nature regularly

I don't know where to start with climate action – it's overwhelming