

# Bingo

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**Aim:** Help Ss improve listening and vocabulary in a fun way.

**Levels:** All

**Preparation:** Prepare a list of at least 15 words you want to review.

**Comment:** Use to practice listening and vocabulary.

- Tell Ss to draw a bingo card with nine squares on a piece of paper:


- Read and spell each word on your list. Then make a sentence with it. For example, say: “Family. F-A-M-I-L-Y. There are three people in my family.”
- Ss listen and write each word in a different square on their bingo cards. Point out that they can write the words in any order.
- Play the game. Read out the words from your list in a different order. As you read each word aloud, spell it and use it in a sentence. Ss circle the words on their cards. (Note: Cross the words off your list, so you can check Ss’ cards later.) The first S to circle all the words in one row shouts “Bingo!” If the words are correct, the student wins.

**Variation 1:** Use this game to review vocabulary, the alphabet, sounds, numbers, or grammar (e.g., verb forms).

**Variation 2:** Instead of reading out the word, read out a definition. For example, when you say “This is the opposite of *hot*,” Ss circle *cold*.