



# Ultimate VALENTINE'S ESL

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## LOVE LETTERS

Pre-teach vocabulary / collocations related to love  
Present the structure of the love letter  
Use famous love letters for clear reading tasks  
Learners write their own love letters from / to famous people

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## SPEED-DATING

Introduce the idea of speed-dating  
Elicit, present and practice question forms  
Learners can role-play 'speed-dating'  
If gender ratio is skewed or learners are too young, re-frame the topic as 'finding new friends'

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## VALENTINE CARDS

Introduce history of Valentine cards with visuals or reading tasks  
Check structure of Valentine card, present and practice language related to compliments  
Nominate students to make cards to each other  
Mail them in class postbox and deliver!

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## LOVE POEMS

Elicit and discuss love poems from learners' countries and features of language  
Focus on a particular feature of love poetry  
Present and practice it  
Learners write their own and display them in class

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## ALL ABOUT LOVE

Have learners create some discussion questions about love  
Put the questions on discussion cards or blank board game template for students to play with  
Get learners speaking together in small groups!

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## LOVE SONGS

Introduce love songs to the class  
Pre-teach any new vocabulary or grammar  
Do gist and detailed tasks  
As an extension, have learners write another song verse

