

# Building Hope Brick by Brick

## ACTIVITY 1

### Who lives in a house like this?

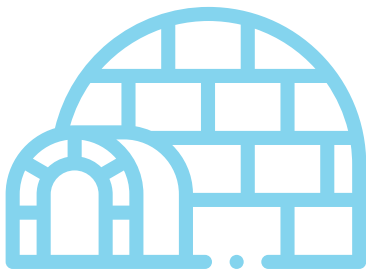
TIME:

**10-15 minutes**

PREPARATION/RESOURCES:

**Pictures of various types of houses  
from around the world either printed  
or on a screen**

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In this activity we will think about houses all around the world and what is needed to make a house that is safe and strong. Select at least 4 different types of houses (e.g. *an igloo, a castle, skyscraper, yurt, farmhouse etc*) and ask the young people to guess who might live in houses like these?

Think what would be needed to make a strong and safe house? (*Walls, roof (to keep out the rain), windows, water etc*)

Habitat helps families around the world have a decent place to live by building new houses, repairing houses and helping those that have lost their houses in natural disasters or have been forced to leave their homes due to unrest or war, and working alongside communities to help others have a place to call home.

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