



Get to Know a Peer

Have children take turns asking and answering questions about themselves to learn more about each other. Model how to ask a question, then repeat the information you gathered and elaborate or add onto it. Help children rephrase statements into questions. You can have everyone take a turn to ask one question, or just a set amount (e.g., 3 children ask one question each). Extend this activity over days or weeks so each child has a turn to answer questions.

Repeat and Elaborate on What Children Say

Child: "I have a dog."

Educator: "Yes, you do have a dog. I remember you shared a picture with us. Your dog was large and speckled!"