



Partner Talk

Invite children to turn to a peer and ask them something about their life. Allow time for each child to share. If social problems arise as children are talking, take the time to narrate the problem and reflect possible solutions. If needed, provide question prompts to get them started.

Questions:

- ◆ “What is your favorite food?”
- ◆ “What do you like to do on the weekend?”
- ◆ “What do you like to play with most at school?”

For children with limited speech and language, provide additional support during conversation. Offer visuals, model a phrase for children to repeat, or use yes/no question prompts.

Narrate Problems and Solutions

“I heard you say you like broccoli and they said it was yucky! It looks like that made you frustrated. What can we do? That’s right, we can talk about how some people like different things, and that is okay!”