

**SOCIAL THINKING**

**Part 5 - Session 13**

**Theme: Perspective Taking**

Personal Memories of Others:

"The last time you saw a person is the first memory that you have of them the next time you see them."

Dr Carol Prutting (Winner pg. 57)

**Aims:**

- For students to be able to share an interest or something that they like with a peer.
- For students to be able to recall three things about a peer.
- For students to be able to ask a peer a question about the other person's interests/ preferences.

Activity	Procedure	Equipment
<p>Bean Bag Game</p>	<p>Sit in a circle. Explain that you want each member of the group to think of three activities or things that they like. This can include weekend activities/hobbies, food, clothing – anything that the student wants to include. Go around the circle three times, so that each person has listed three things.</p> <p>As the group name their interests, write each one on an individual card.</p> <p>Next encourage the group to throw the bean bag randomly between group members. Students must say the name of the person and 1 thing that the person likes.</p> <p>At the end of the activity emphasise the importance of remembering the interests/likes of another person and how this can form the basis of a friendship. Emphasise the importance of remembering things about other people to maintain friendships. Encourage the group to remember the interests/likes of the group for your next session.</p>	<p>Bean bag (or something to pass about group)</p> <p>Pen</p> <p>Cards</p> <p>Paper (for list)</p>

	You may want to keep a list of each student's interests/likes so that you can support recall during the next session.	
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Cut out and write out interests/likes of students. DO NOT add their names.



