



*“Individually, we are one drop. Together, we are an ocean.”  
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## Getting to Know You (Group Activity)

### Aim

Being able to strike up conversations and network with others is an important life skill and will help develop your communication skills. This session is designed to introduce girls to networking in an informal way.

### Instructions

Get the girls in the group to buddy up with another girl in the room and chat about one of the talking topics for two minutes. Once the time is up, each girl moves on to a new partner until everyone has got chance to speak to each other. This activity could be done in small groups rather than partners.

### Talking Topics (Secondary Schools)

Who is your role model? Who Inspires you?	If you could be any famous woman from history, who would you be and why?	What are your future goals and aspirations?
Do you have a dream career?	What are your hobbies?	If you could be a fictional character, who would you be? Why?
What is it like to be a young woman living in Teesside?	What is your favourite subject at school?	This year's theme for International Women's Day is 'Choose to Challenge.' What does this mean to you?
What does International Women's Day mean to you?	If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go?	What taboos related to women do you wish were broken?
What does it mean to be a good friend?	Are there any women within your community or local area that inspire you?	How can we support each other as women?
What do you like best about yourself?	What do you like about you're the person/people you are talking to?	Do you think women are fairly represented in the media?
Tell an interesting fact about yourself.	What would you say are your key skills?	What does feminism mean to you?



### Talking Topics (Primary School, Key Stage 2)

What would your dream job be?	Do you have any hobbies outside of school?	Who is your role model or someone who inspires you?
What is International Women's Day?	Is there a character from a movie or book that you would like to be like?	Do you have a favourite subject at school?
Tell an interesting fact about yourself.	What do you like best about yourself? What do you like about your partner?	What are you good at? Solving problems? Helping a friend?
Where do you see yourself in 20 years' time?	Is there somewhere that you have never been before that you would like to visit?	What is your favourite place in the whole world?
What does it mean to be a good friend?	Can you think of any inspirational women throughout history?	Is there someone from Teesside that you admire? Maybe someone in your family, within the community, a teacher or another grown up from one of your clubs or afterschool activities.

### Next Steps

As the session comes to a conclusion, discuss the activity in your group. A few talking points could include:

- How did you feel before the activity started?
- Did you learn anything new about your group today?
- Why do you think you did this activity today?
- What have you learned today, and will it make you think differently?
- Most importantly, did you have fun?