



RecipeCards

A Project of the Jeffco Student Health Advisory Council

WINNER/LOSER

An activity to demonstrate the impact of different peer perspectives and encourage different points of view.

Time
30-35 Minutes

Group Size
30 Students (Groups of 2)

Materials
None

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Teacher will divide class by pairing up students, with any extras being placed in a group of three. Try to ensure students who do not interact much are placed together.
2. Each student in a group will tell their partner(s) about a negative experience he/she has had. Group partners are encouraged to focus on these stories. Stories should be limited to about a minute in length (teachers should remind students of this).
3. Students will practice re-telling to one another in a group, and then retell to the entire classroom.
4. Once students have shared stories, teachers will tell listeners to retell the stories they heard, pointing out potentially positive aspects of the experience.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What did you learn about your situation from your partner that you did not see before?
- Why is another persons' perspective important?
- What did you discover about others today that you did not know about them before?
- Why should we value the life-experiences, positive or negative, of others?
- In what ways can we try to be more understanding?