

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will have a better understanding of what makes a good friend and how to cultivate strong friendships.

Materials and Prep

Materials needed: paper, pen, colored markers

No prior knowledge required, just an open mind and willingness to participate.

Activities

- **Create a Friendship Tree:** Draw a tree on a piece of paper and write the names of your friends on the branches. Discuss why each friend is special to you.
- **Write a Friendship Poem:** Use your creativity to write a poem about friendship. Include what qualities you value in a friend.
- **Role-play Scenarios:** Act out different scenarios with a family member or friend where friendship is tested. Discuss how you would handle these situations.

Talking Points

- "Friendship is like a plant, it needs care and attention to grow strong."
- "Being a good listener is an important part of being a good friend. It shows that you care about the other person's feelings."
- "Trust and honesty are the foundation of any lasting friendship. Always be truthful with your friends."