

Pink and Blue



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Aim

- I understand that we are all different and different people like different things.

Success Criteria

- I understand what a stereotype is.
- I know that you need to find out about a person to really know them.
- I respect others' likes and dislikes, even if they are not the same as mine.

The Big Questions



Can we tell what someone is like depending on if they are a boy or a girl?

What is a stereotyped?



Stereotypes



What does the word **stereotype** mean?

A stereotype is an idea or a view held by lots of people about a particular person or group of people.

The idea or view that one person has about another person may not be true. They might have just heard other people say it, so they believe it too.

Stereotypes that people have can be based on the way people look, where they come from, the way they speak, the clothes they wear or their gender (whether they are a girl or a boy).



Stereotypes



It is easy to think that everyone from the same place, or everyone of the same gender is the same, or likes the same thing.

For example, do all boys like football?

Does everyone who lives in Scotland wear a kilt?

Do all girls like to dress up as fairies?

Do all Irish people do Irish dancing?

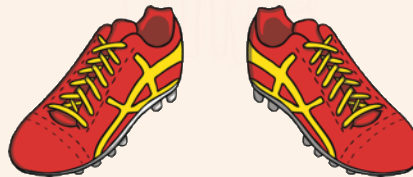
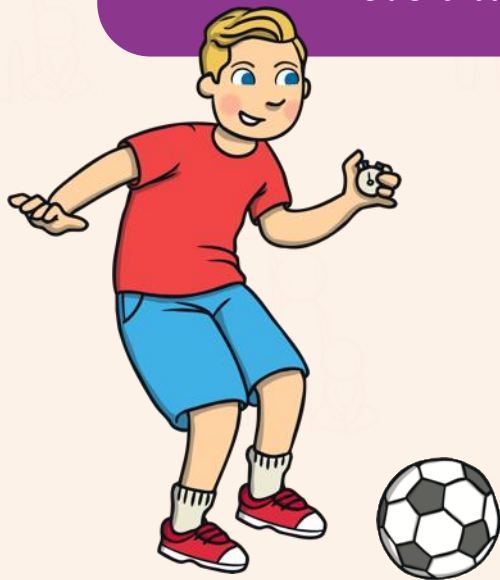


Celebrating Differences

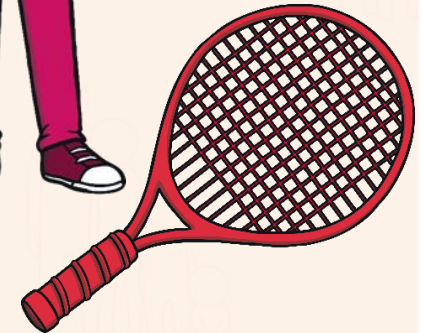


What do boys and girls have in common? Can you think of any things that boys and girls both like?

Remember: this doesn't mean that all boys and girls will like these things, but they can both like these things. We are all different and we can respect other people's likes and dislikes, even when they are different from our own.



Celebrating Differences



It's great to celebrate all the ways in which people are unique!

Girls and Boys



Do you agree with the following statements? Thumbs up if you agree, thumbs down if you disagree...

- Only girls can like pink.
- It is OK to like different things from your friends.
 - Only boys wear football boots.
 - Boys and girls can be fast runners.
 - All girls play with dolls.
- Mums do all the cooking and cleaning at home.
 - Girls and boys can climb trees.
 - All boys like to play with cars.



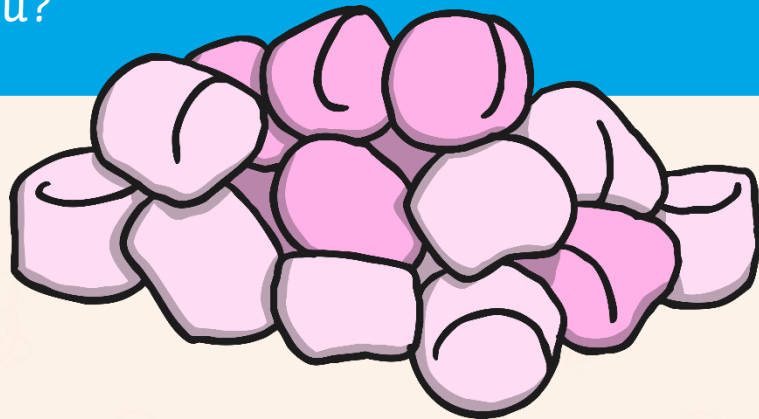
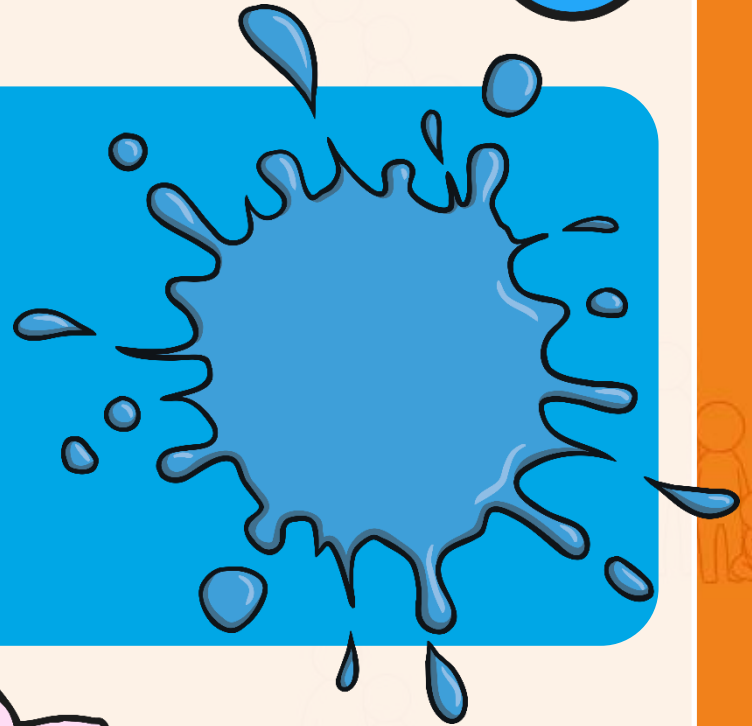
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Talk to your partner about why this lesson is called **Pink and Blue**.

What have you learnt today about girls and boys?

Was there anything in today's lesson that surprised you?



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