



Area: Be Inclusive

Title: Beach Ball Party

Objective: Student will be introduced to everyone and find an interesting fact about each person.

Materials: Color paneled beach ball with numbers written on each panel. Personal Questions List (Make it into an overhead or copy it on the board).

Activity: 1. Open by asking students to define “inclusive” in their own words.

2. In round 1, have student sit in a circle. Pass the ball around the circle with each student saying his/her name and answering one of the questions.

3. In round 2, have the students throw the each ball back and forth. When caught, the student is asked to say their name and answer the question that correlates with the number under their right thumb. Read the question for the students or display the questions on the overhead and have the student read their own questions. Then the ball is passed on.

4. If a student gets the ball twice, have the students who have not yet received the ball raise their hands and the person with the ball will throw it to a student with their hand raised. (Make sure to observe to ensure everyone gets the ball). Play as many rounds as time allows.

Closure: With 2-3 minutes left, stop the game. Ask student if this was a good game. What would they have changed to make it more inclusive?