

## RECIPROCALITY:

The social aspects of learning; 'relating'

The capacities that make up this disposition are:

Interdependence Collaboration Empathy Listening Imitation

## Collaboration

Knowing how to manage yourself in the give and take of a collaborative venture, respecting and recognising other viewpoints; adding to and drawing from the strength of teams.



## A Stretching Activity

### TAKE FIVE

#### Organisation

Small groups of 5 or 6 children.

#### Resources

Print the Take Five pictures and laminate them. (see resources).

Then cut each one into 5 pieces along the dotted lines.

#### Activity

- The aim of this activity is for the children to complete 5 picture jigsaws.
- Share the cards out between the children and make sure they each have a piece from the different pictures.
- Ask them to try to make a picture, by themselves, of a flower/fish/dog etc. and see what happens.
- None of the children will be able to make a picture on their own.
- Now ask the children how they might solve the problem and make the pictures properly. Encourage them to share their pictures and work together to solve the problem.
- It may be possible to help them see that doing different aspects of the task will help them to complete the puzzles more easily.
- When they have completed their 5 pictures, talk and reflect with them about how this was achieved.
- Reward the collaborative behaviours rather than the successful completion of the task.