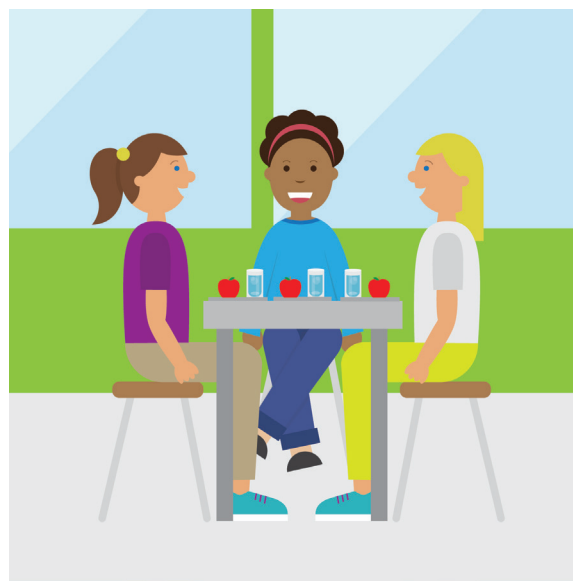


Socializing in a Small Group - Social Script



Friends like to talk to each other. It is fun to talk in a group of friends. Friends talk to each other about what they are doing that day or they talk about favorite sports, movies, TV shows, or video games.



Sometimes friends will talk to each other in the hallway between classes or in the cafeteria during lunch.

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When I walk up to a group of people talking, I first listen to what they are saying so I know what they are talking about. When my friends take a break from talking, then it is my turn to talk. I can say something about the topic or ask a question. When talking in a group of friends, I need to talk about the same topic in order to be a part of the conversation.



After I make a comment or ask a question, I wait for someone to respond. When someone else is talking, I am quiet and listen to what they are saying. Then, I can make another comment about the topic or ask another question. Other friends may have something to say about the topic, so I can listen to what they are saying, too.

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After a little while, people may start to leave the group and say “goodbye” or head off to their next class. When this happens, I will say “goodbye” and go to the next activity or class on my schedule.



I can talk with my friends by listening to the conversation, making comments, asking questions that are on topic, and listening quietly while my friends talk. When I do these things, my friends will like talking with me.