

## Honey, I'm here!

Stepping Stones : Teambuilding & Empowerment; Body, Movement and Senses

Materials : incl. materials

Type of exercise : oral

Duration exercise : 15 min.

### Objectives

The learner can build up trust in her/ his learning partner.

### Materials

- A big room
- A blindfold for each learner

### Preparation

Make the room safe. Move chairs and tables to the side.

### Instructions

- Divide the group into duos.
- Of each duo, one learner shouts *Where are you?* The other learner answers *Honey, I'm here!*
- Let each duo repeat this several times, especially if they don't know each other well and consequently don't recognize each other's voice easily.
- Hand out the blindfolds.
- When everyone is blindfolded, help the learners to carefully move away as much as possible from their duo buddy.
- The purpose is to find your duo buddy by calling the sentence you practiced.

### Tips for the instructor

The less the learners know each other, the greater the impact of this exercise.

## **Closing up**

Evaluate the exercise: *What was it like to do this exercise?*  
*What happened?*  
*What do you learn from this?*

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### *Language skills / Linguistic performance*

- Listening
- Speaking

### *Linguistic competence/knowledge*

- Sentence construction
- Oral language skills

### *Social-emotional skills and competences*

- Communication skills
- Empowerment
- Fun