

Activity: Meet Me in the Middle

Objective: To practice identifying ways to compromise.

When you compromise with someone, you "meet in the middle." Neither one of you may get exactly what you want; but, if you each give in a little, you will both get something.

The pictures below show several sets of friends who want to do something together, but they are disagreeing about what to do. As long as the friends disagree, they cannot do anything. Help them meet in the middle by thinking of ways for them to reach a compromise. Write your solutions halfway between both friends.

I want to play with dolls!

Compromise

I want to play with trucks!

I want to ride in the front seat when we go to the library!

Compromise

I want to ride in the front seat when we go to the library!

I want to go swimming!

Compromise

I want to ride bikes.