Communication Methods Role Play Cards

MIMES: BODY LANGUAGE

SECRET MESSAGE

You are upset because you did not do well on a test. You are worried that your parents will be disappointed and / or upset.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Face your partner.
- Communicate the message to your partner with body language only.
- You must not talk.
- You must remain seated.

BIG TALKERS: FACE-TO-FACE VERBAL COMMUNICATION

SECRET MESSAGE

You are upset because you just found out that one of your parents got a new job, so your family has to move. This means that you have to leave your school, friends, and life behind.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Face your partner.
- Communicate the message to your partner verbally.
- You can talk and use body language.

TEXTERS: ONLINE COMMUNICATION

SECRET MESSAGE

You have heard others were spreading rumours about you, and you are really mad.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Move your chair so that you are back-to-back with your partner and you cannot see each other's faces.
- Communicate back and forth with your partner by using your cell phones to text each other or by writing "text messages" on a piece of paper and passing it over your shoulder.
- You may use text, and you may use emojis.
- You must not talk, make eye contact, or use body language.
- You must remain seated.

PSYCHICS: TELEPATHY

SECRET MESSAGE

You just found out you made the school basketball team, and you are so excited.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Face your partner again.
- Communicate the message to your partner using your mental or telepathic powers.
- You must not talk.
- You must not use body language.
- You must remain seated.