

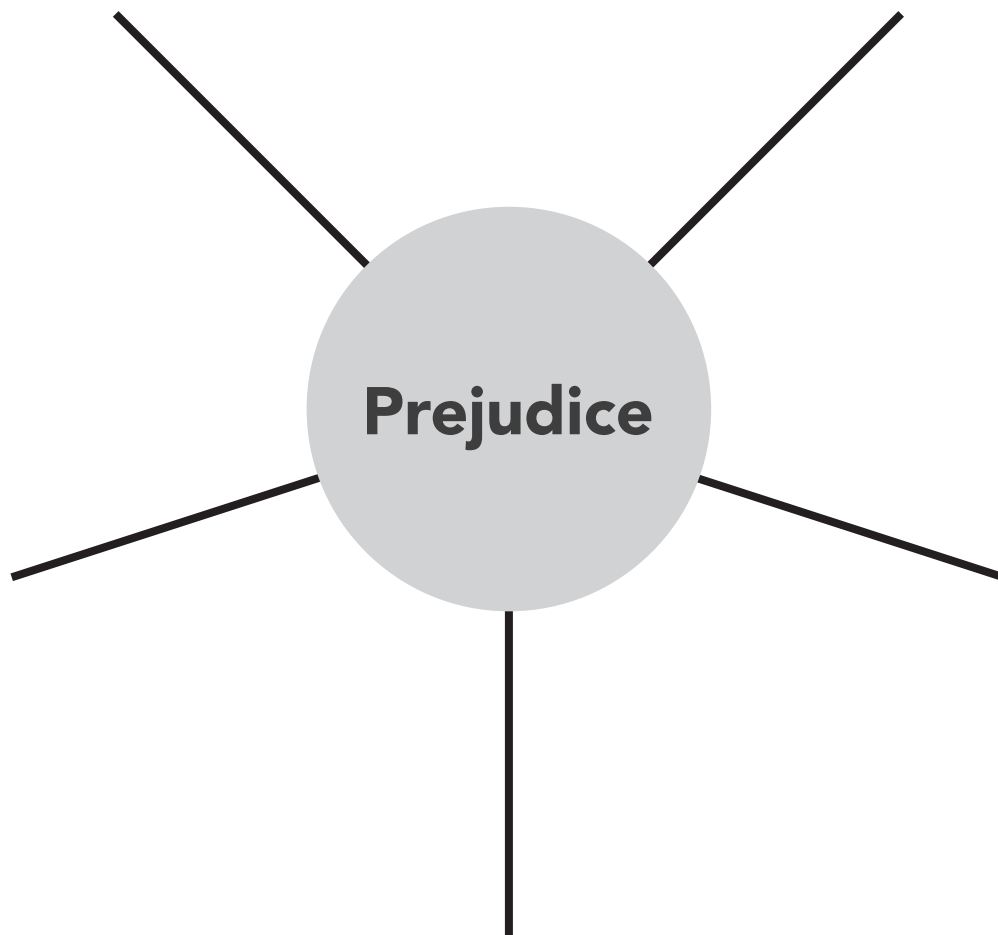
Session 1.4: Prejudice

Activity sheet 1.4.1: Different kinds of prejudice

Sometimes people don't like other people because they are different. This is called prejudice.

Talk about different ways people can be prejudiced. Complete the spider diagram.

colour of skin



Activity sheet 1.4.2: What is prejudice?

Talk about the following stories.

Say whether the people in them are prejudiced.

1. Mark is having a party. He says he will not invite anyone who is white. Is he being prejudiced?

2. Brian says he does not want Sally to sit next to him. Sally says he is being prejudiced as she is in a wheelchair. Brian says, 'No, it is because you are always swearing at me and sometimes you hit me'.

Is Brian being prejudiced?

Activity sheet 1.4.3: What do you think about prejudice?

Talk in your group about times you have seen people being prejudiced. It may be on the television or in real life.

■ Do you think people should be prejudiced?

■ Why?

Activity sheet 1.4.4: Why are people prejudiced?

Talk about why someone could be prejudiced.

■ Do you think some people might just copy their parents?

■ Do you think some people do not understand?

■ Do you think some people may be frightened or insecure?

■ Do you think that some people may be jealous?

Talk about any television programmes or films where someone is prejudiced.

■ Can you see why they are prejudiced?

Activity sheet 1.4.5: A poster about prejudice

- Make a poster about prejudice. It could be called 'Do not be prejudiced'.
- Cut out pictures of different types of people and stick them on a large piece of paper.
- You could have pictures of old people, young people, a wheelchair user, people wearing different religious clothing, people with different colour skin, different heights or shapes.