**Children’s Friendships**

* Friends are very important to us all.
* Sarah, Humera and Carol work for a university. We would like to hear more about you and your friends because we are interested in finding out about how children and grown-ups make friends and who they are friends with.
* We would like to talk to you in 2s and 3s about making friends and ask you do some drawing or writing (you choose!) about your friends. We would like to record our conversation, if that’s alright with you, to help us remember what was said.
* You do not have to join in if you don’t want to.
* There are no right or wrong answers! We just want to listen to you.
* You can stop at any time. That’s fine.
* We are going to talk to children in other schools too, but we won’t use any one’s real names when we talk or write about what we have found out. You can choose a pretend name!
* We will talk about lots of things, and if you say there are things in your life that you are worried about, we might need to tell another adult who could help. We will talk to you about this first. Otherwise, our conversation will stay private.



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* Have you read the information sheet?
* If you are happy to draw and speak about your friends, could you please write your name in the big box below and we shall begin!

My name: