

## Activity Sheet

# Football is Everyone's Game

Objective: To consider stereotypes that people might experience in football and in everyday life.

Task 1 – Below are some examples of barriers people might face in football. Can you link the term to the correct definition?

Disability

Being treated differently because of their race or colour of their skin.

Gender

Having a negative attitude to someone who identifies as gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.

Racism

Men and Women receiving different treatment for playing the same game.

Homophobia

A player being excluded from a team because they are not as good or because they have a physical or mental disability.

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Can you think of an example of where any of these barriers have happened in football/sport?

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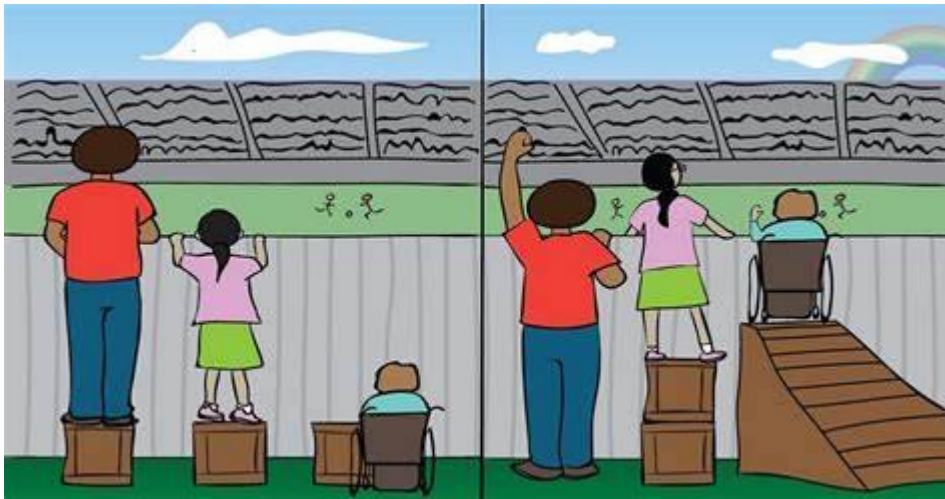
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Key Term	Definition
Discrimination	Unfair treatment of different categories of people based on characteristics – e.g., race, gender, disability etc.
Equality	People being treated the same.
Equity	People are treated fairly to have access to equal opportunities.
Inclusion	Behaviours that make everyone feel welcome and that they belong.
Diversity	Characteristics that make each person unique and includes backgrounds, personality, life experiences and beliefs.

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Which of the key terms is the image below showing? Can you explain your answer?



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Using one of the key terms of your choice, can you give an example of how this might occur in everyday life?

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What can you do to make everyone feel included? Think of some positive statements that you can do to make your classmates feel welcome:

