



Alike and Different!

– with LEGO® DUPLO® figures

Learning values

- Exploring similarities/differences by one attribute
- Comparing
- Developing distinctive language

Recommended materials

- 9222 World People Set
- 9071 Large LEGO® DUPLO® Building Plates

Vocabulary

Encourage the use of these words during the activity:

- The same as
- Alike
- Different to
- Equal number

Activity

Divide up the DUPLO figures from the set so that each child has an equal number. Ask the first child to place a figure in the middle of a building plate. A second child then looks at his or her figures and finds one that looks like the figure on the building plate in one way or another, e.g. colour of hair, type of clothing, size, gender, etc. Continue until all the figures are used.

Play again, and this time the figures have to be *different* in at least one way.