



Welcome to this session:

# Q&A Session

*Peer Introductions &  
Buddy System Intro*

**The session will start shortly...**

Any Questions?

Drop them in the questions section.



A decorative 'Welcome' sign with a leafy branch, a mug, and a potted plant on a shelf. The sign is made of dark metal and features the word 'Welcome' in a cursive font, with a leafy branch extending from the top of the 'e'. Below the sign, on a light-colored wooden shelf, sits a white ceramic mug with a small 'mt' logo, a small potted plant with dark green foliage, and a small stack of papers or a notebook. The background is a light-colored, textured wall.

# Welcome

# WELCOME

# Safeguarding & Welfare

We are committed to all our students and staff feeling safe and happy; we want to make sure there is always someone you can turn to if you are worried about anything.

If you are feeling upset or unsafe, are worried about a friend, student or family member, or you feel like something isn't right, speak to our safeguarding team:



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Designated Safeguarding  
Lead



Simone Botes



Nurhaan Snyman



Rafiq Manan



Ronald Munodawafa



Tevin Pitts

Scan to report a  
safeguarding concern



or email the Designated  
Safeguarding Lead:  
Ian Wyles

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## Democracy

*Every person's opinions matter.*

## Respect

*We look after each other.*

## Tolerance

*We accept each other's differences.*

# British Values

## Rule of Law

*We keep to the rules.*

## Liberty

*We are free to make choices.*

A group of diverse people, including men and women of various ethnicities, are shown from the chest up, giving thumbs up. They are smiling and looking towards the camera. The image has a teal overlay.

# HOUSEKEEPING

# Leadership & Management Live Lectures – Housekeeping

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- The use of disrespectful language is prohibited in the questions, this is a supportive, learning environment for all - please engage accordingly.
  - ***(Fundamental British Values: Mutual Respect and Tolerance)***
- No question is daft or silly - **ask them!**
- Should you have a question during the lecture, please feel free to **post in the Questions section** and I will respond throughout.



# Leadership & Management Live Lectures – Housekeeping

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- Activating **live captions** in your browser's accessibility settings is a helpful option for better understanding, especially for those with hearing impairments or challenges with accents.
- For all **non-academic questions**, please submit a query: [www.hyperiondev.com/support](https://www.hyperiondev.com/support)
- Report a safeguarding incident: [www.hyperiondev.com/safeguardreporting](https://www.hyperiondev.com/safeguardreporting)
- Should you have any further questions or want to provide us with feedback, please feel free to post them [here](#).
- [GitHub Link to access L&M Presentation Slides](#).



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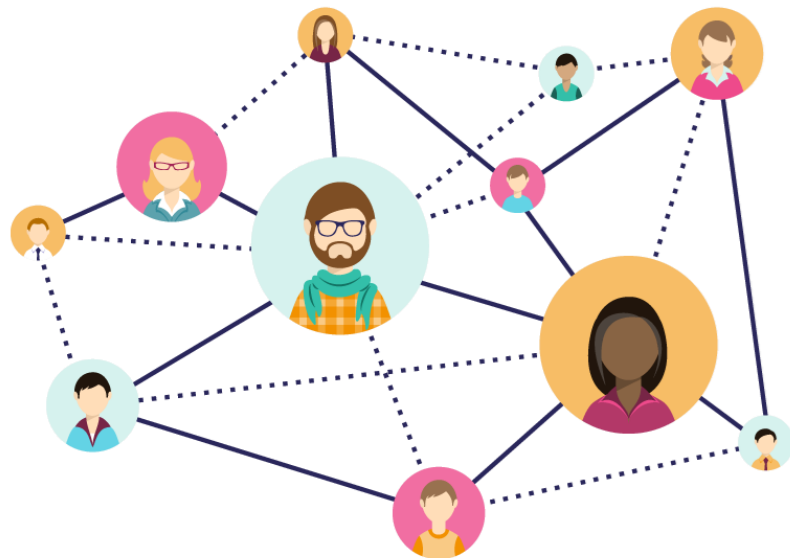
# LEARNING OUTCOMES



## Learning Outcomes



- To foster **a sense of community and connection** among students, encouraging confidence in public speaking and self-expression while promoting mutual support through an **optional buddy system**.





# WELCOME & WARM-UP

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This session is about **getting to know each other in a fun, relaxed way**. Whether you've been part of online learning before or this is your first time, I promise today will feel like **a big step toward building our class community**.

These introductions aren't just about sharing names; they're **about showing up as yourself**. Think of this as a chance to shine, connect, and even surprise yourself with how much fun it can be.

## WELCOME & WARM-UP

There's **no pressure to be perfect.** This is your space to be real and have fun.

Plus, **I'll keep us on track** so we can hear from everyone within our time together.





## WELCOME & WARM-UP

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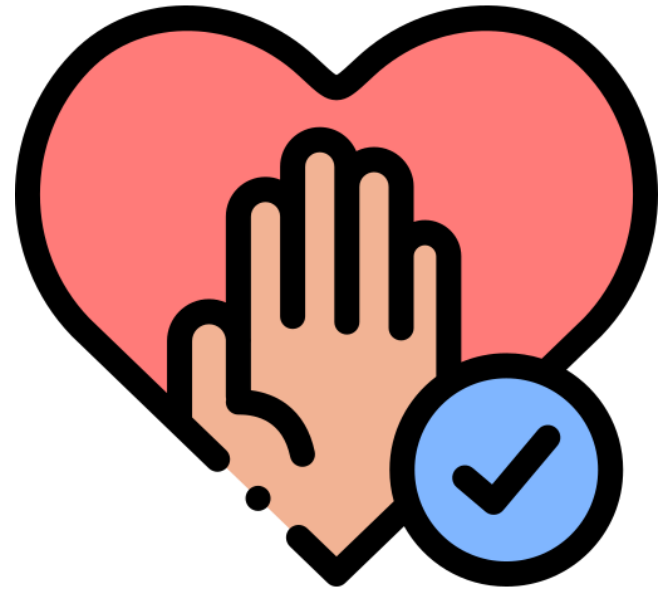
If my life were a movie,  
the genre would be a  
**mix of comedy and  
drama.**


I'd want **Meryl Streep**  
**to play me**; because  
who wouldn't, right?

## TOLERANCE

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Our goal is to create a  
safe and inclusive  
environment where all  
voices are heard and  
valued, regardless of  
background or beliefs.





# STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS

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Remember, **you'll share your name or nickname, where you were born**, and then choose any five of the ten optional questions.

Feel free to get creative;  
**there are no wrong answers.**



## STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS

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1. If you could instantly master any skill or talent, what would it be and why?
2. Favourite guilty pleasure song to belt out when no one's listening.
3. What's the weirdest or coolest thing you've ever eaten?
4. If your life was a movie, what genre would it be, and who's playing you?
5. A random fun fact about you that no one would guess.
6. What's your go-to comfort activity on a bad day?
7. Which fictional character do you wish was your best friend and why?
8. If you could live anywhere in the world for a year, where would it be and why?
9. What's the most adventurous thing you've ever done?
10. Describe your dream weekend in 5 words.

## LIBERTY

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Feel free to share what  
feels comfortable and  
reflects who you are.

This is your moment  
to shine.



A stage with red curtains on the left and right. A spotlight shines from the top right, creating a bright starburst effect and illuminating a patch of smoke or fog on the stage floor. The background is dark with some smoke or fog.

# Welcome To The Stage



# BUDDY SYSTEM

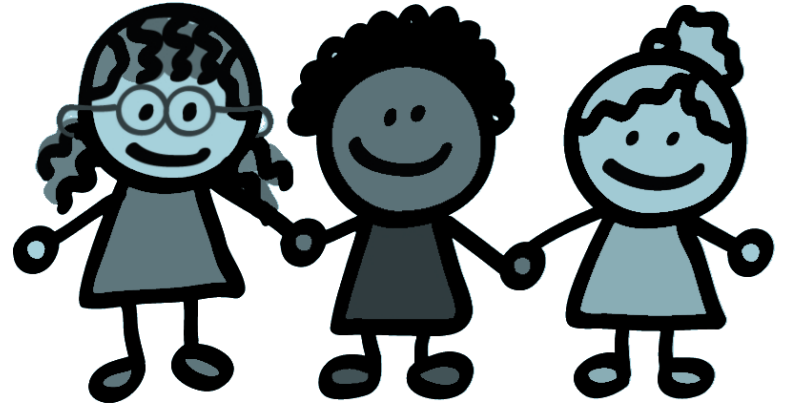


## BUDDY SYSTEM

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Having a study **buddy or accountability partner** can make a huge difference.

Whether it's **discussing classwork, sharing ideas, or just cheering each other on**, a buddy system can really add value.



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If you're interested, just send me a private message or email after the session. **I'll match you with someone who's also interested**, and you can decide how you'd like to work together.

Don't worry; your contact details will **only be shared if you give explicit consent.**

## MUTUAL RESPECT

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This partnership is built on mutual respect; set **clear expectations with each other from the start.**



# CONCLUSION





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What a fantastic session. We've learnt about adventurous food choices, hidden talents, and even some dream movie roles. **Thank you all for your openness and creativity; it's been inspiring.**

These little glimpses into each other's lives remind us we're part of something bigger; **a group of unique individuals who are all here to grow and learn together.**

## CONCLUSION

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Today, **you showed up** for yourself and for this group. That's no small thing.

**Keep being brave, bold, and beautifully you.**



# Thank you for attending



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