

# You Like That Animal? Me, Too!

A simple way for children to make connections with one another.

## Around-the-Circle **SHARING**

### **Skills**

communicating  
a personal  
connection

### **Materials**

none

## How to do it

- 1** Tell children that they will each share about an animal they like. They may use two sentences at most. Share your own example: "I like dogs. My family has a dog named Sylvie."
- 2** Give think time. When children are ready, they show the thumbs-up sign.
- 3** Be the first sharer. Repeat your sharing. Then invite children who also like dogs to show a "Me, too!" signal.
- 4** Go around the circle. Each child shares and classmates make the "Me, too!" signal if they like the same animal.



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