

## PSW: Lesson 2 MEMO

- 2) Can you identify the types of discrimination taking place? In your work book, write about the discrimination in each picture.

*For example: Picture 1 is a stereotype declaring that girls cannot play soccer.*

*Picture 2: is a stereotype declaring that a specific group of people (people from Durban) are lazy.*

*Picture 3: is a stereotype and can also be gender discrimination. The girl believes that girls are better than boys because boys are always naughty.*

*Picture 4: is also an example of stereotyping and gender discrimination against men because it is a mistaken belief that it's only a woman's job to cook and clean.*

*Picture 5: is discrimination against people who are disabled. Just because their physical features are different from other people doesn't mean there is something wrong with their brain.*

- 3) How do you think you could lessen discrimination in your own community? In your work book, write a paragraph (4 to 5 sentences) on how you think you could lessen discrimination in your own community.

**There are different correct answers to this question. You could've written something like:**

*In my community I can help lessen discrimination by making posters which I could put up around the community:*

*On my poster I can add the following important ways of lessening discrimination:*

- *Treat ALL people equal,*
- *Involve EVERYONE in community activities,*
- *Encourage ALL people to work together, and*
- *Respect ALL people*

*\*Regardless of their age, gender, race and whether they are disabled or not!*

- 4) Read through activity 4: My feelings (on page 57 in your text book).

In your work book, answer the following questions:

- a) Do you sometimes feel discriminated against? When is this, and how does it make you feel?

**There are different correct answers to this question, since it is a personal question. If you have never felt discriminated against then I'm very happy! If you have, however, experienced discrimination in your life then I do feel sad... But please know that there are many ways to deal with being discriminated against and we'll still learn about these.**

- b) Do you sometimes discriminate against others? How do you think we can all discriminate less?

**We are all human and it's possible that we've discriminated against someone without really thinking that we acted in the wrong way.**

*We can discriminate less by showing respect towards ALL people regardless of where they are from, where they live, their culture, race, gender and whether they are disabled or not. We should never think that we're better than the person next to us. All people are equal and should be treated equally.*

- c) Draw a mind map showing what discrimination is and the different types of discrimination.



Never think that you are better than another person. All human beings are should be treated **EQUALLY**



RESPECT  
DIFFERENCES



**DISCRIMINATION**

Discrimination: treating a person or a particular group of people unequally because of DIFFERENCES such as:

Age    Race    Gender    Religion  
Disability    Education

