Teamwork
Learning outcomes

• To understand the importance of teamwork
• To understand the skills that are necessary for an effective team
• To understand what I can bring to the team
Teamwork

Teamwork is the ability to work together to achieve a common goal.

A team is made up of a group of individuals who offer a range of skills.
Important aspects of teamwork

- Listening to and respecting the opinions of others
- Communicating and working with team members who are different from you
- Co-operating with others
- Agreeing to and following rules, and understanding how you can help
- Taking responsibility for allocated tasks
- Supporting and encouraging other team members
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Roles and responsibilities

Effective teams have a blend of the following skills:
Roles and responsibilities

In 60 seconds, tell your team members what you can bring to the team.
Shipwrecked

You are now going to take part in a fun team exercise called ‘Shipwrecked’.
Shipwrecked

• Following a shipwreck, everyone has been stranded on a deserted island!

• Each person is allowed to bring one object to the island – ideally something that represents you or is something that you enjoy

• Take it in turns to describe to your team what object you would bring and why. Try to be creative with your choice

• If necessary, you can add more objects, but you must use all the objects that everyone mentioned
Three things

Write down the following three things:

1. What I’ve learned
2. What I’ve done well
3. What the team has done well