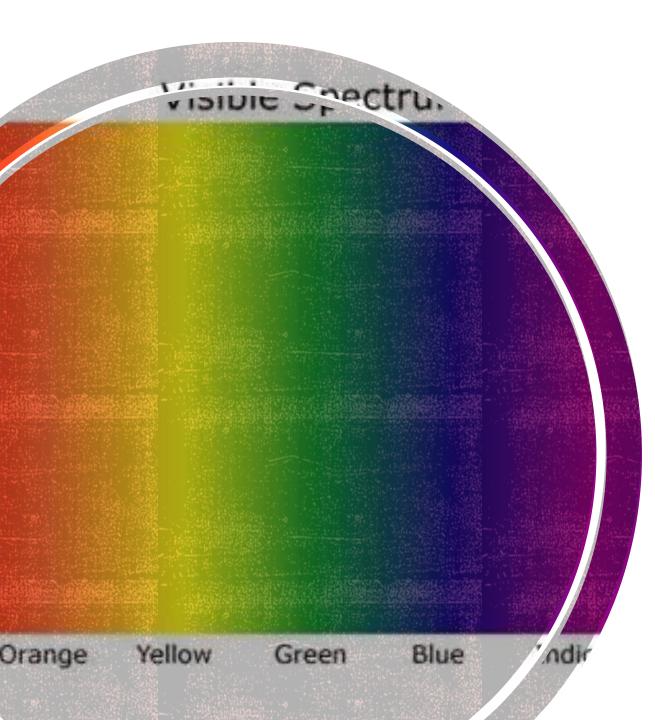




#### **STARTER:**

- List your favourite ice cream flavour(s). Discuss at your table what about that flavour makes it the best.
- Do you have one favourite or several?
- What makes your choice change?
  - Mood
  - Surroundings
  - Company

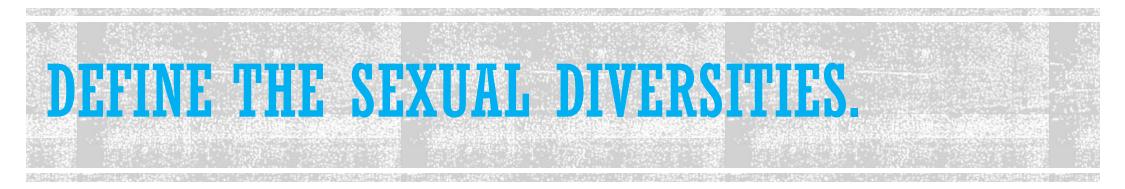




#### TO UNDERSTAND AND BE AWARE OF SOCIAL CONCEPTS SURROUNDING SEXUAL DIVERSITY

- What is Sexual Diversity?
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LvJET ydN8Vc





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- Heterosexual
- Homosexual
- Asexual
- Bisexual
- Bicurious
- Fluid
- Pansexual



### WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO BE AWARE OF SEXUAL DIVERSITY?

- Why does having this knowledge help us understand and navigate a world of increasing diversity?
- Have ideas about sexual diversity changed in the last 20, 50 or 100 years?
  - How?
  - Why?
  - When?







# SEXUAL DIVERSITY AND YOU

- At your table discuss each of these time periods (1920s, 1980s (aids), 2000s) and how the attitudes and perspectives about sexual diversity may have been different from now.
- What do you think may have contributed to the way people thought about or discussed sexual diversity? Consider:
  - Technology
  - Communication
  - Fields of study (psychology, anatomy, medicine)
  - The Impact and role of religion
  - Societal roles linked to gender, sexuality and taboos



# SEXUAL DIVERSITY AND YOU

- At your table, have a discussion about sexual diversity and how this topic plays a role in <u>your</u> life.
- At your table discuss each of these time periods and how the attitudes and perspectives about sexual diversity may have been different from now.
- What do you think may have contributed to the way people thought about or discussed sexual diversity?



## THE SCOPE AND SCALE OF SEXUAL DIVERSITY — A DISCUSSION POINT

- What examples can you think of where sexual diversity has been a point of discussion in today's world?
- What are the main points of view on sexual diversity today?
- Where do these points of view come from?
- Why is it important to understand where and how ideas come about when discussing or challenging those ideas with the people who have them?



# **REVISITING ICE CREAM**

- When we think back to the ice cream activity. Would you consider it a fair analogy or metaphor for the topic of sexual diversity?
- Why or why not?
- Can you think of a different metaphor or analogy that would also represent the topic of sexual diversity as you now understand it?
- Create a comic, poster or cartoon which depicts a part of the lesson and discussion today which stood out to <u>you</u>. That could be the metaphor, a part of the discussion around societal opinions on sexual diversity, anything!



#### Yr 9 Discrimination & Prejudice: Sexuality

For each of the situations, discuss with your partner the following

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	Yes / No	Why
	This should be allowed under <u>16?</u> Only over 16	
Holding hands in town		
Kissing in public		
Hugging		
Going to each others family gatherings		
Cheering on the partner in football netball		
Going to the prom		
Having a romantic meal out		
Going to the cinema		
Plan to get married		

In what ways can a young LGBT person suffer prejudice?

Think about these different scenarios. In what ways can discrimination occur?

By family members?

In the work place?



At school?