

CHOOSE, a better activity
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No materials required.

Background:

This activity has developed out of conversations I have been having with patients, their families and staff at Great Ormond Street Hospital since the day after the last General Election. After very little sleep I decided talking about paper would be hard so reverted to a long time favourite conversation starter: What's your favourite vegetable?

In keeping with my thinking about how and why we rank things the conversation now has a number of different starting points which you will find below. They are designed to be a prompt for you to have conversations with visitors and staff or for you to think about on your own. They may sound trite, or odd, but try them out and see what you think. I have had some of the most joyful and surprising conversations with people at GOSH just by asking these questions.

As always there are no right or wrong answers. I would love to hear your thoughts
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Activity:

Think about or discuss with another patient, a visitor or a member of staff.

What is the best vegetable?

What is the worst vegetable?

What is the luckiest vegetable?

What is the unluckiest vegetable?

What is the most underappreciated vegetable?