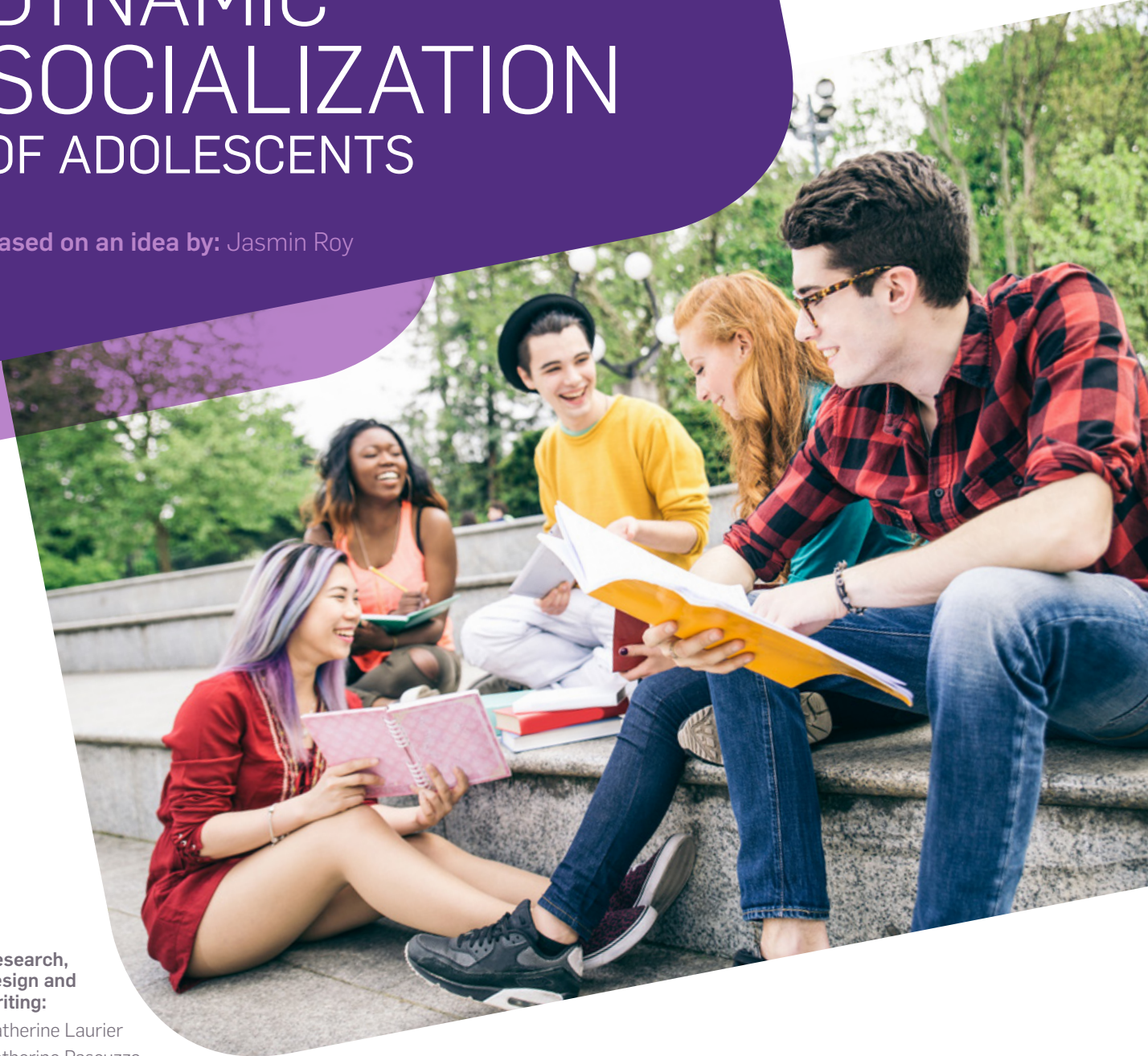


# A GUIDE TO PROMOTE THE DYNAMIC SOCIALIZATION OF ADOLESCENTS

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## TALK ABOUT YOURSELF USING AN EMOJI OR GIF

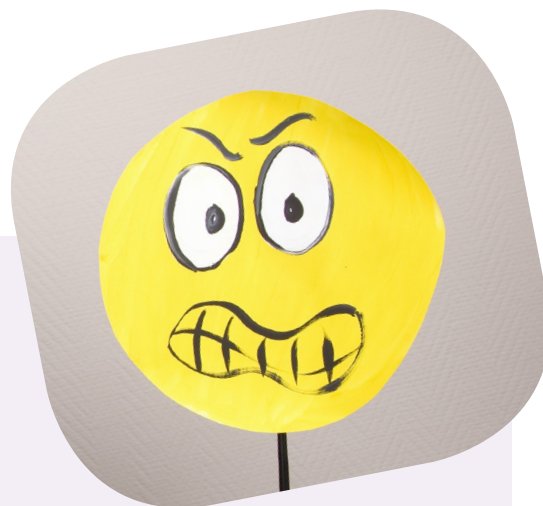
This activity can be done at the beginning of the year, either in person or virtually (only synchronously, since it requires everyone to participate; the subsequent group discussion is most interesting). For in-person learning, all students must be given access to tablets.

The **goal** of this activity is to ask students to introduce themselves using emojis or GIFs that accurately represent themselves. You can establish certain guidelines on what can and cannot be used as a GIF.

As an online activity, this icebreaker can be done using Google Classroom or Zoom.

### What can students share about themselves?

Students can share information about their families, pets, hobbies, etc. using emojis with the text function.



#### Alternative 1

Don't have computer access?

Get students to design their own emojis on a sheet of paper.

#### Alternative 2

Students are put in teams of two to discuss together. Each person chooses a GIF or emoji illustrating something about the other student, which they will present to the rest of the group at the appropriate time. It might be a good idea to have the other student approve the GIF or emoji choice in order to avoid any conflict or embarrassing situation.