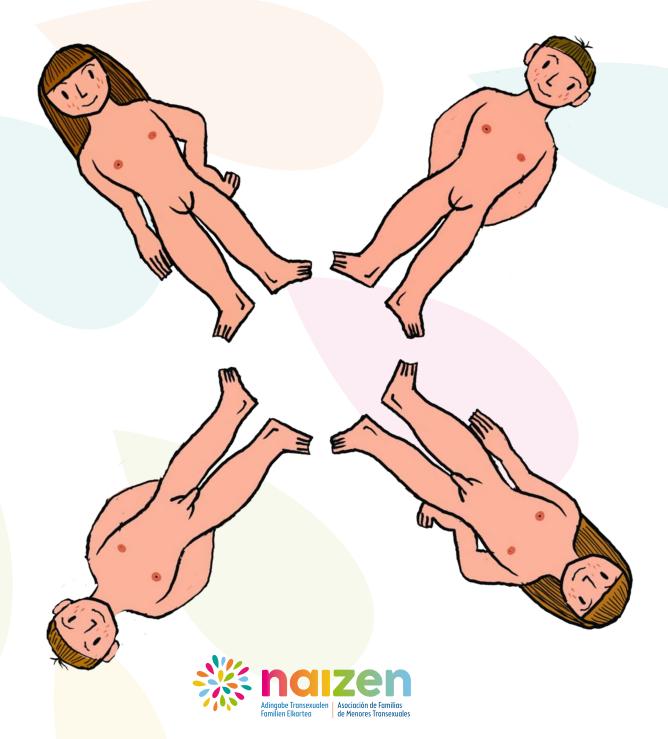
# GIRLS AND BOYS

Identity and body



**Educational materials** 

The objective of these educational materials is to develop basic knowldege about identities and bodies, in order to understand diversity. Focusing specifically on understanding the relation between sexual identity and genitalia.

long and short hair so as to make them identifiable as girls or boys for whomever uses the materials. It is important to point out that, of course, there are short-haired girls and long-haired boys.

Schools have taught, until now, that boy=penis and girl=vulva. It is not true because it does not cover all the possibilities and those pairs deny the existence of some girls and boys. These materials aim at clarifying that sexual identity is subjective and it is not placed on the genitalia. They make explicit that there are girls with a penis and boys with a vulva.

It has been decided as well to use a unique shape for all the drawings in order to get the target objective focalized. We want to highlight as well that real boys and girls are not like our drawings; there are some people with lighter and darker skin; taller and shorter; thinner and fatter; with different facial features; who use a wheelchair, who have only one arm...

Identity can only be known through what the subject sais in their own speech; that is, by asking them. Since the characters in these materials cannot be asked, it has been decided to use

We would thank, inasmuch as you use this material, your feedback, comments and observations in order to improve it. Looking forward of being useful.

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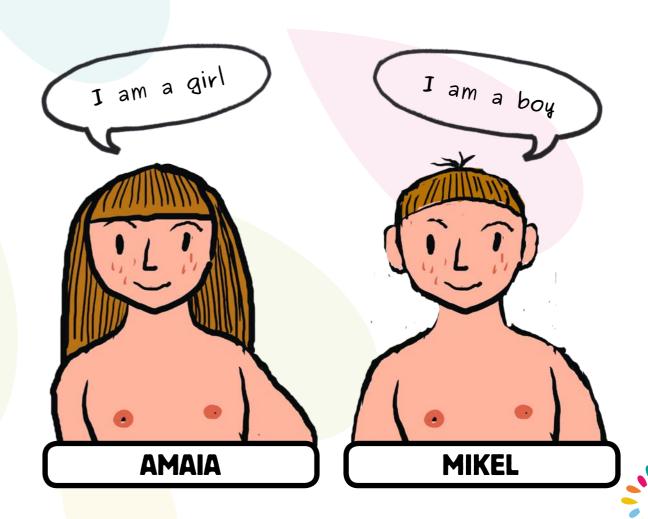
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## BEING A GIRL OR A BOY

I am not a girl or a boy,
because I have short or long hair,
because I play with dolls or balls,
because I have a penis or a vulva.

I am not a girl or a boy,
because other people say so.
I am a girl or a boy
because I know what I am.

And only I can say what I am.



#### **ALL GIRLS ARE DIFFERENT**

Some girls are taller and some others are shorter.

Some of us are thiner and some others are **fatter**.

Some of us have lighter skin and some others darker.

Some of us have a lot of freckles and some others almost none.

We have different hairs: blonde, dark, brown, ginger...

Some girls have short hair and some others have it looooooooong.

Some of us have well combed hairand some others have it tousled.

Some of us wear natural hair and some others wear braids or ponytails.

Some girls wear trousers and some others wear skirts.

Some of us like superhero costumes
and some others like princess ones.

Some of us like playing with dolls and some others like balls.

Some of us like climbing trees
and some others like staying calm and chatting.

Some of us shout a lot and some others speak quietly.

Some of us are more shy and some others are more daring.

Some girls have more hair on our arms and some others have less.

Some of us have deep voices

and some others have them high pitch.

Some girls have a vulva and some others have a penis.

Girls may be very varied. We are all different.

### WHAT ARE YOUR GIRL FRIENDS LIKE?

Some are
and some others
Some of them like
and some others
Some of them wear
and some others
Some have
and some others

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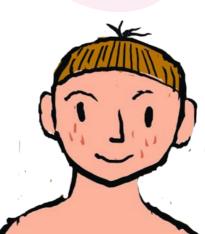
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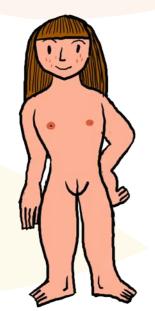
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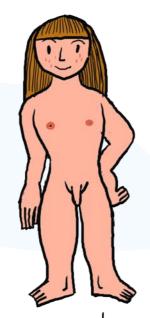




#### THERE ARE...



There are girls with a vulva...



...and girls with a penis



There are boys with a vulva...



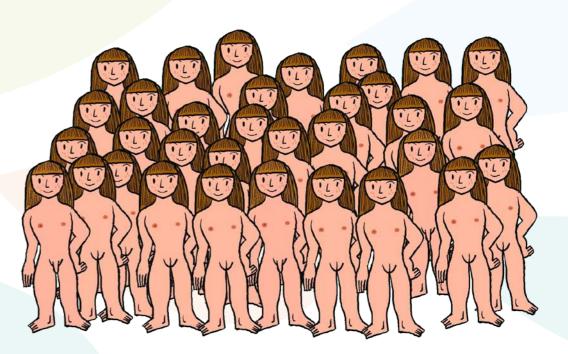
...and boys with a penis

Each girl's and each boy's genitalia are different.

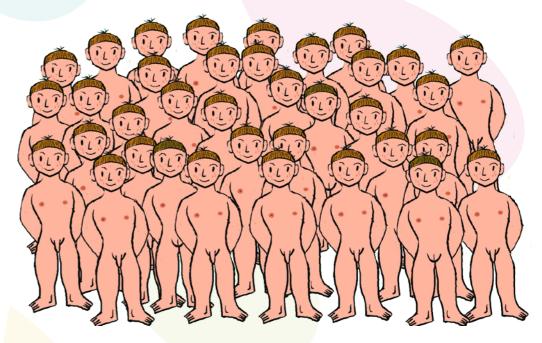
There are penises and vulvas very unlike,
like the rest of the body, of course!

And sometimes there are also genitalia that do not resemble a penis either a vulva, or that resemble boths.

#### MORE AND LESS



Most girls have a vulva and some of us have a penis.



Most boys have a penis and some of us have a vulva.



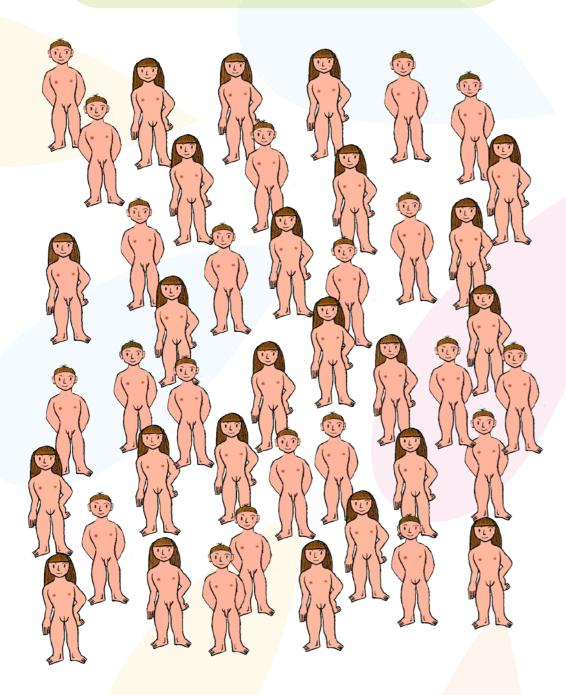


#### **HOW MANY?**

There are girls with a vulva and girls with a penis.

There are boys with a penis and boys with a vulva.

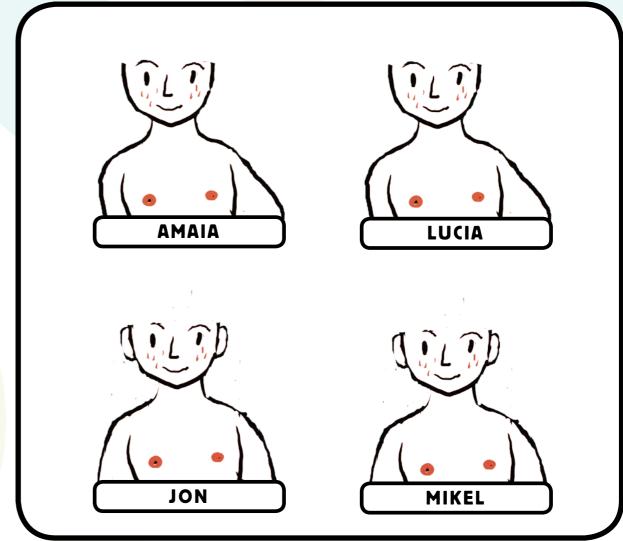
Can you find how many of each in this group?



According to recent researchs 1 out of 1000 boys has a vulva, and 1 out of 1000 girls has a penis.

# HAIR, SKIN... EACH GIRL, EACH BOY IS DIFFERENT

There are girls as well as boys
with short and long hair.
There are curly, wavy and straight hairs,
girls and boys who wear ponytails, braids or mohawks,
blonde or brown, dark or redhaired...
with darker or lighter skins.
Color the way you like
their hairs and skins.

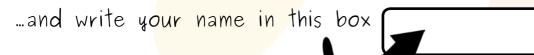






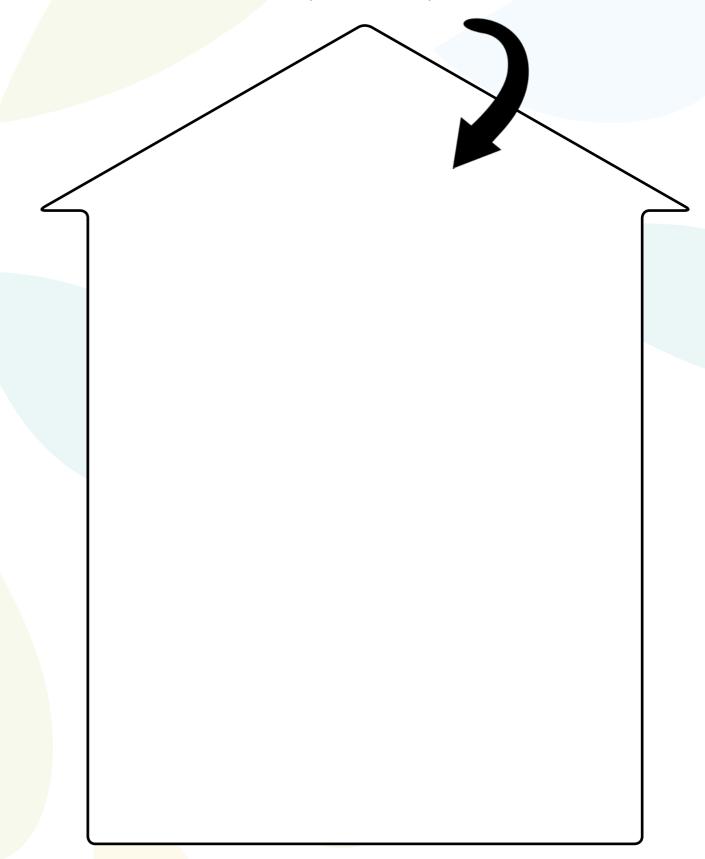
# WHAT ABOUT YOU?

Draw your body here...





Draw your family here









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