

ART OF CONVERSATION

With so much access to mobiles and computers as a society we are communicating more than ever before, but sadly, we are losing touch with face-to-face engagement.

LVN offers a chance for young people to meet new people, hear stories and practise soft skills such as small talk and an opportunity for young people to verbally explore ideas and a pathway to achieve goals.

We create an opportunity to start debate, explore career options and talk about interesting subjects: A lot can change with a little conversation

The more people we meet the more likely we are to develop empathetic skills. London Village Network is a special space for inclusion and conversation

LVN encourage young people to use their own voice and speak for themselves asking 'what can they do to make a positive impact on other people'

LVN teaches young people to be investigative in their approach to life; learning to ask questions and increasing listening skills.

**TEACHING YOUNG
PEOPLE TO SPEAK UP
FOR THEMSELVES**

Talking is a good thing

TOP TIPS FOR CONVERSATION

1. Lead with a compliment.
2. Embrace small talk.
3. Ask lots of questions.
4. Be nice.
5. Let the other person do the talking.
6. Keep it light: People tend to gravitate toward others with a positive attitude.
7. Body Language.
8. Be open and positive.