

# Mapping abilities and roles tool

Use the infographic below to discuss the following topics as you start working together with young people.

You may want to print this out, and post-it note your discussion around the images.

Alternatively, you can check out a digital version on Miro [here](#).

Use this with youth researchers to discuss your respective:

- Strengths
- Skills and abilities
- Roles
- Responsibilities
- Questions you have as you start
- How to best communicate with each other throughout
- Your preferred ways of working, including:
  - Setting goals and deliverables in your project
  - Working independently and/or collaboratively
  - Managing time and deadlines
  - Keeping on top of tasks
  - Solving problems/managing challenges along the way
  - Dealing with differences of opinion, approach or perspective
  - Working to diverse strengths

This documentation can be referred back to if your roles and responsibilities evolve throughout the project, or if you encounter challenges along the way.

If you are employed by different organisations, you may want to formally write up your respective roles and responsibilities in a Memorandum of Understanding.



