

# But...

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## **Critical Discussions**

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Use the following questions to facilitate an honest student-led critical discussion on the theme presented in But...

#### HOW OTHERS PERCEIVE US IS OFTEN DIFFERENT THAN HOW WE PERCEIVE OURSELVES.

Do you find this statement to be true? Why is this? Is it possible to accept and respect each other just as we are? How can we work toward achieving this?

IT'S EASY TO LABEL PEOPLE.

What motivates us to label people? What's underneath the surface? How have you resisted labeling others?

#### "A SINGLE TWIG BREAKS, BUT THE BUNDLE OF TWIGS IS STRONG" —TECUMSHEH

Does this statement have personal meaning to you? Have you ever experienced the power of uniting with others or standing together in dealing with difficult situations? When was the last time you felt 100 percent committed to taking a stand with others about something important?