

**Feedback from students on  
the Careers Academies UK  
programme and students in  
the Business/IT department at  
Lewisham College**

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# Overview

- Shaping Attitudes *in the workplace* is a programme aimed at 16-19 year olds in Further Education and Sixth Form Colleges who are preparing for work placements and apprenticeships.
- It is an interactive programme aimed at improving the employability skills of students, addressing attitudes in *Relationships* and *Behaviour*. The section on Relationships looks in depth at Interaction, Challenges and Teamwork; while the Behaviour section focuses on Ethics, Risks, Time-keeping and other related issues.
- Feedback so far has demonstrated how useful the programme has been in helping students understand how important their attitudes are and what is expected in the workplace.

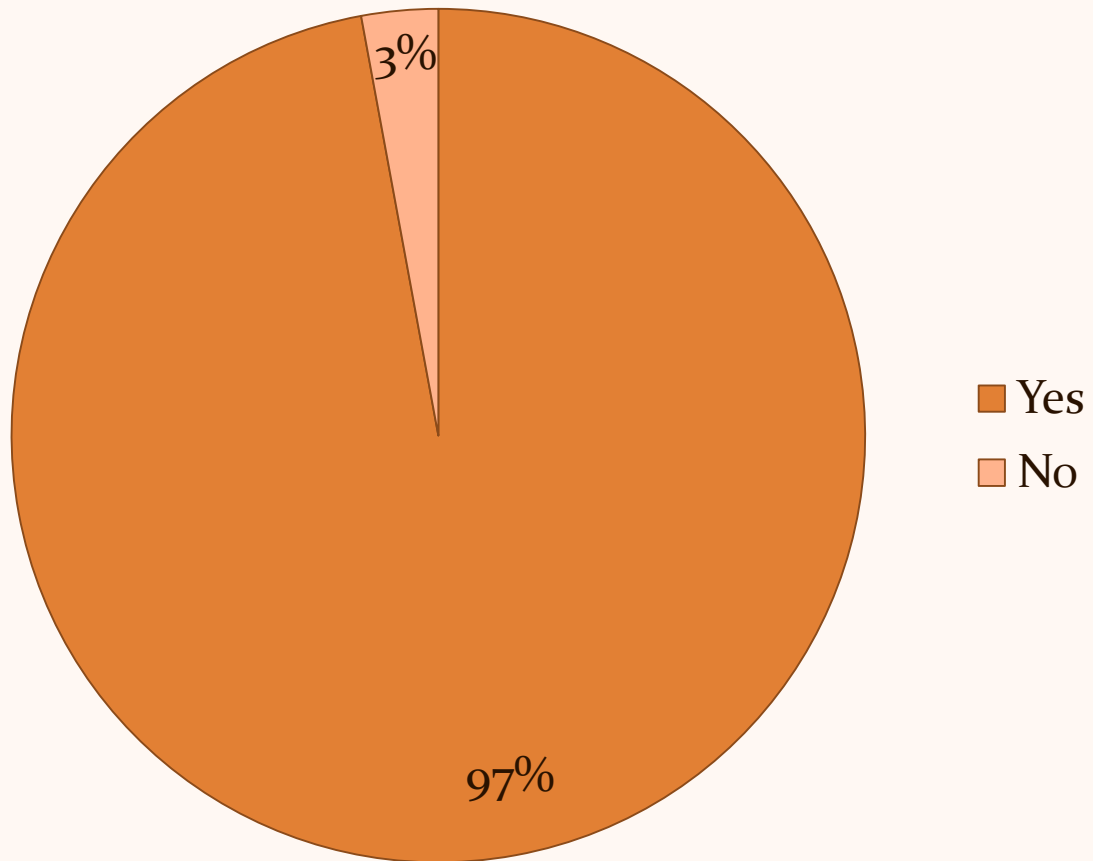


# Teacher's comments

*“The programme was well presented, with good examples”*

*“The students enjoyed the session because it was interactive. The session raised awareness of many relevant issues which the students could relate to their own experiences. It was excellent.”*

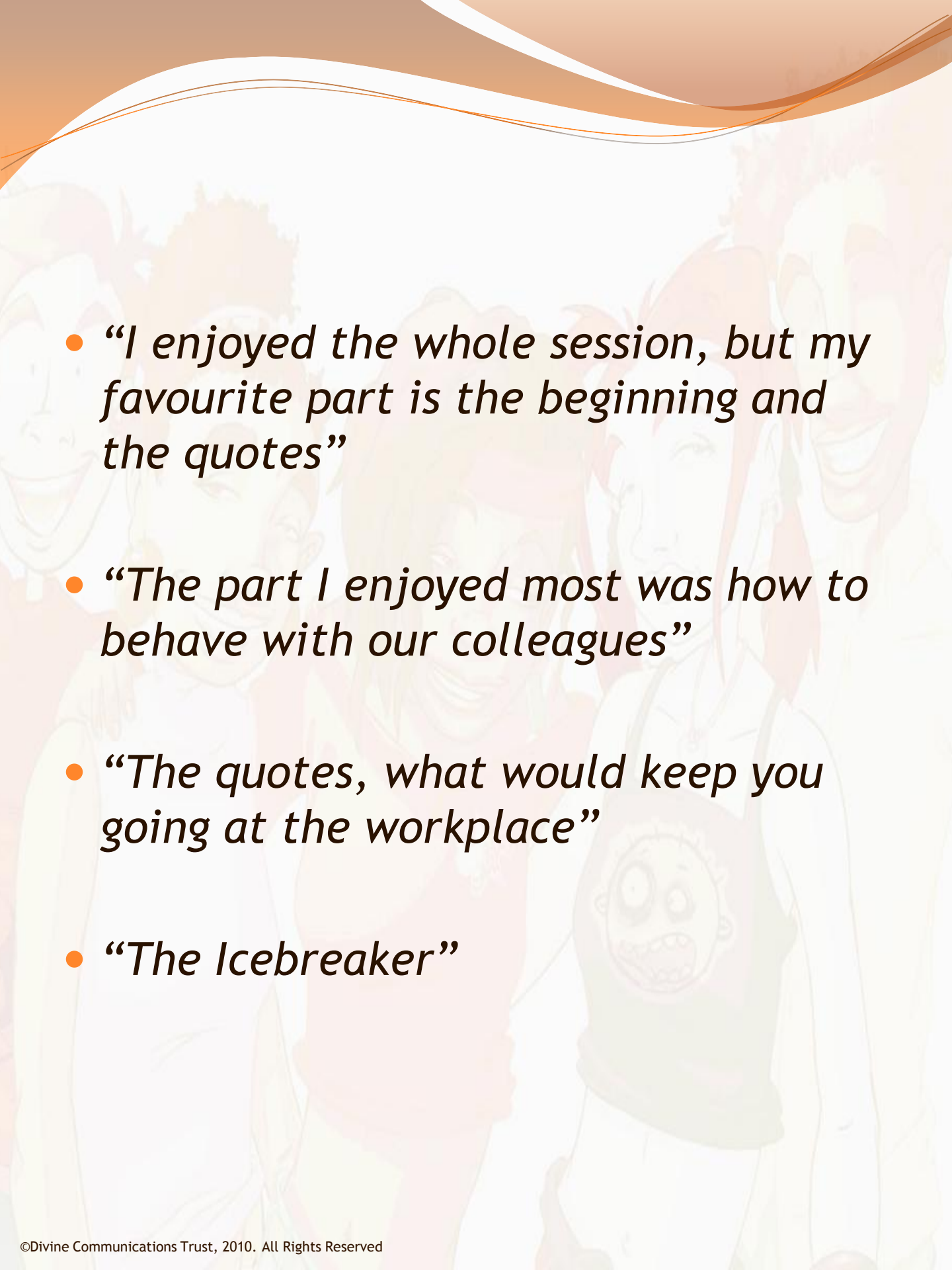
# Did you enjoy the session?

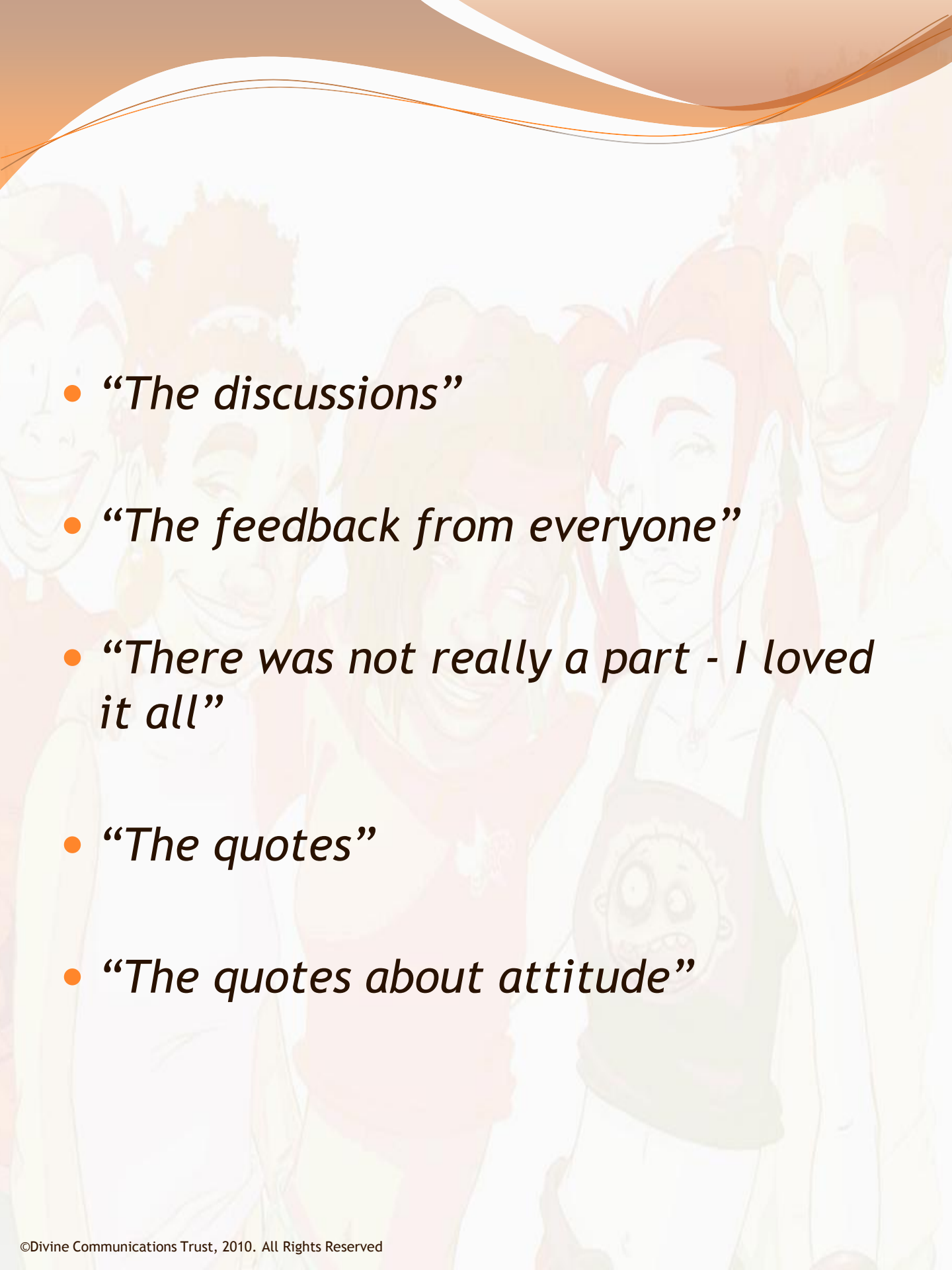


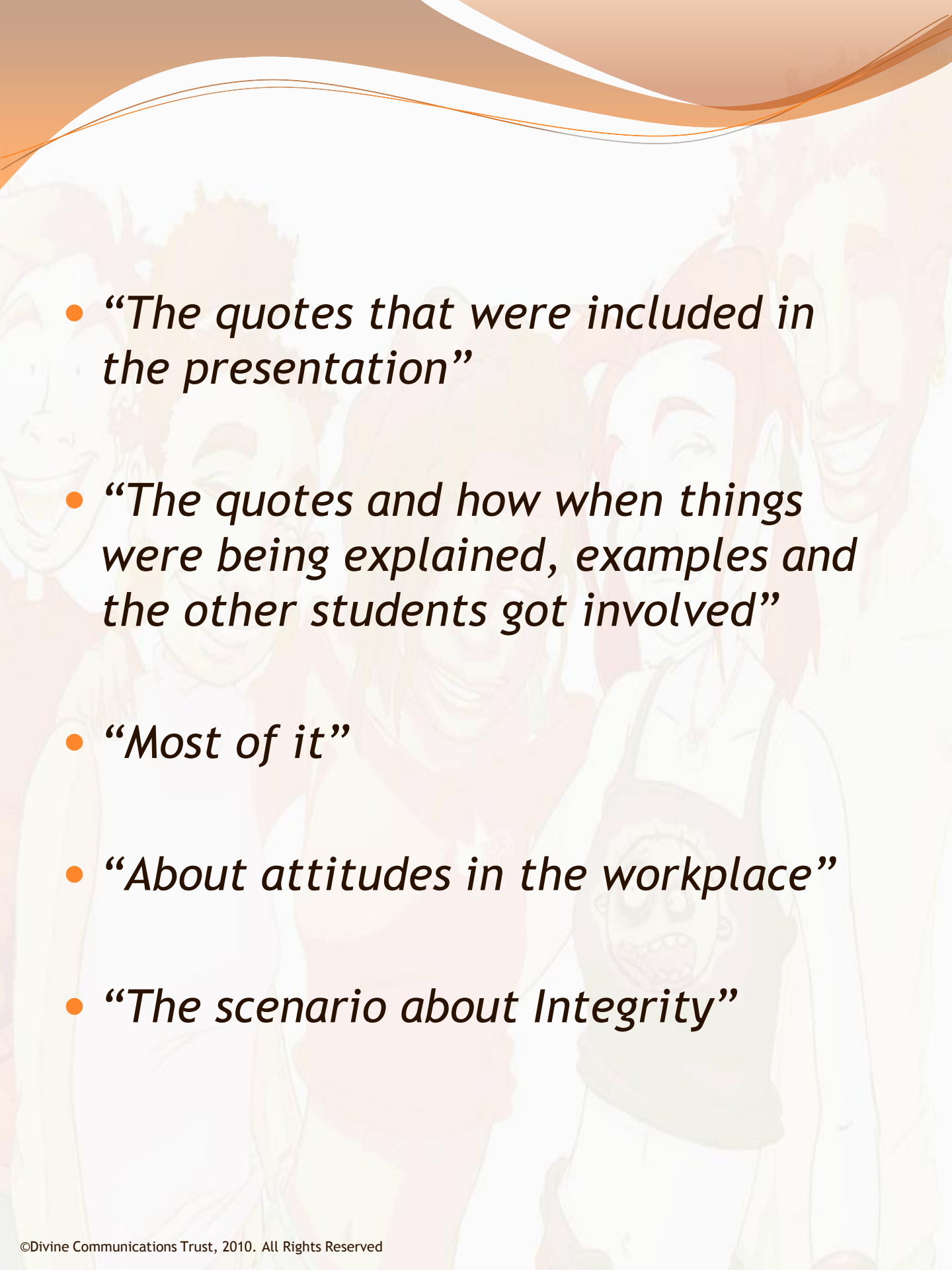


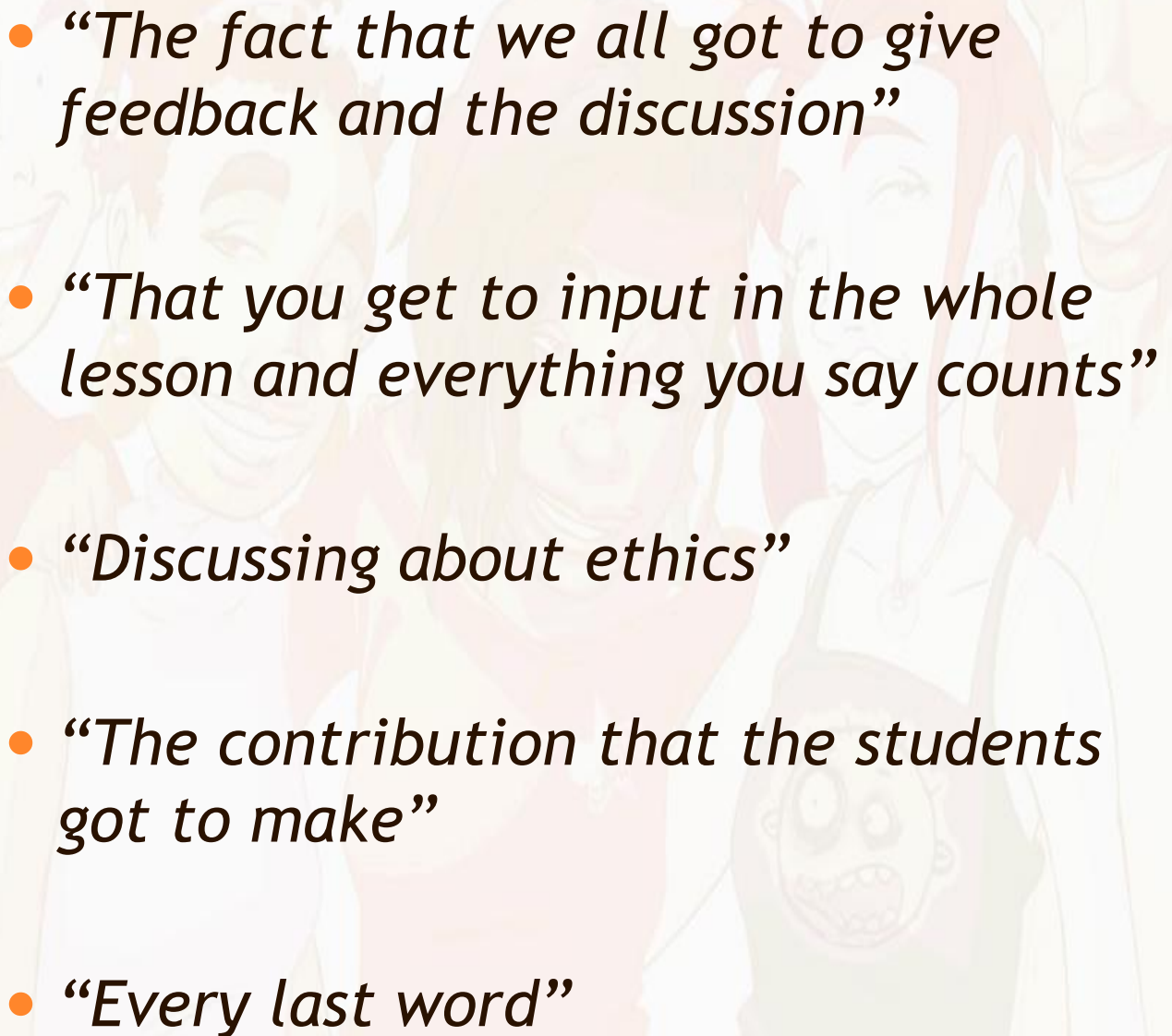
**Participants were  
asked what part  
they enjoyed most?**

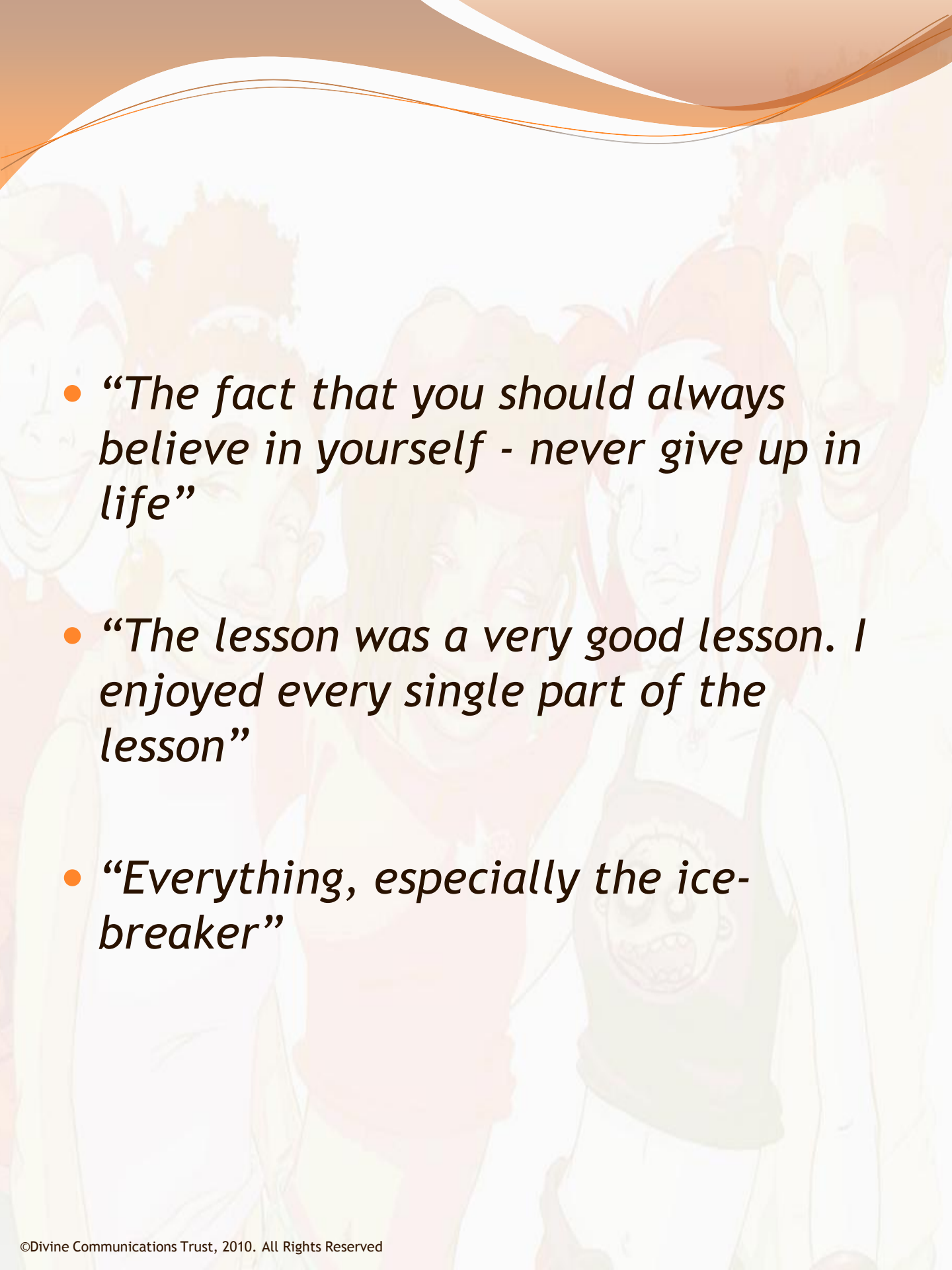
**These are some of the  
comments:**

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- *“I enjoyed the whole session, but my favourite part is the beginning and the quotes”*
  - *“The part I enjoyed most was how to behave with our colleagues”*
  - *“The quotes, what would keep you going at the workplace”*
  - *“The Icebreaker”*

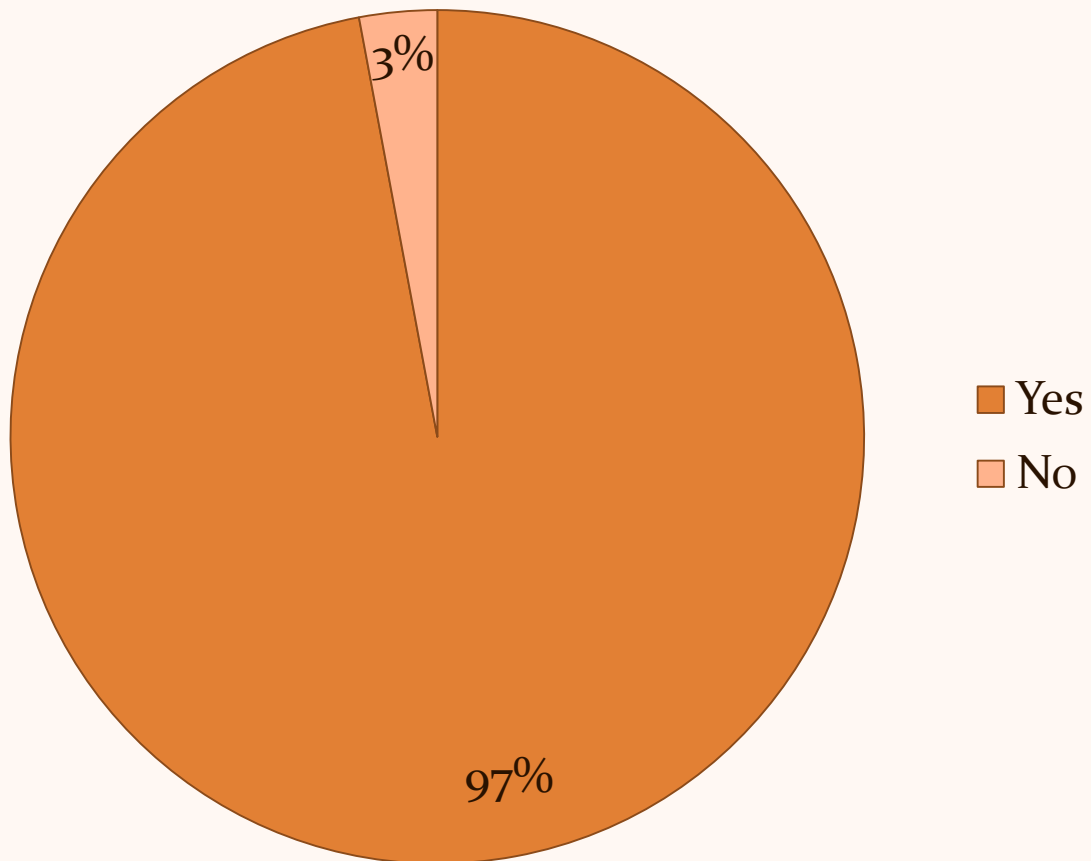
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- *“The discussions”*
  - *“The feedback from everyone”*
  - *“There was not really a part - I loved it all”*
  - *“The quotes”*
  - *“The quotes about attitude”*

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- *“The quotes that were included in the presentation”*
  - *“The quotes and how when things were being explained, examples and the other students got involved”*
  - *“Most of it”*
  - *“About attitudes in the workplace”*
  - *“The scenario about Integrity”*

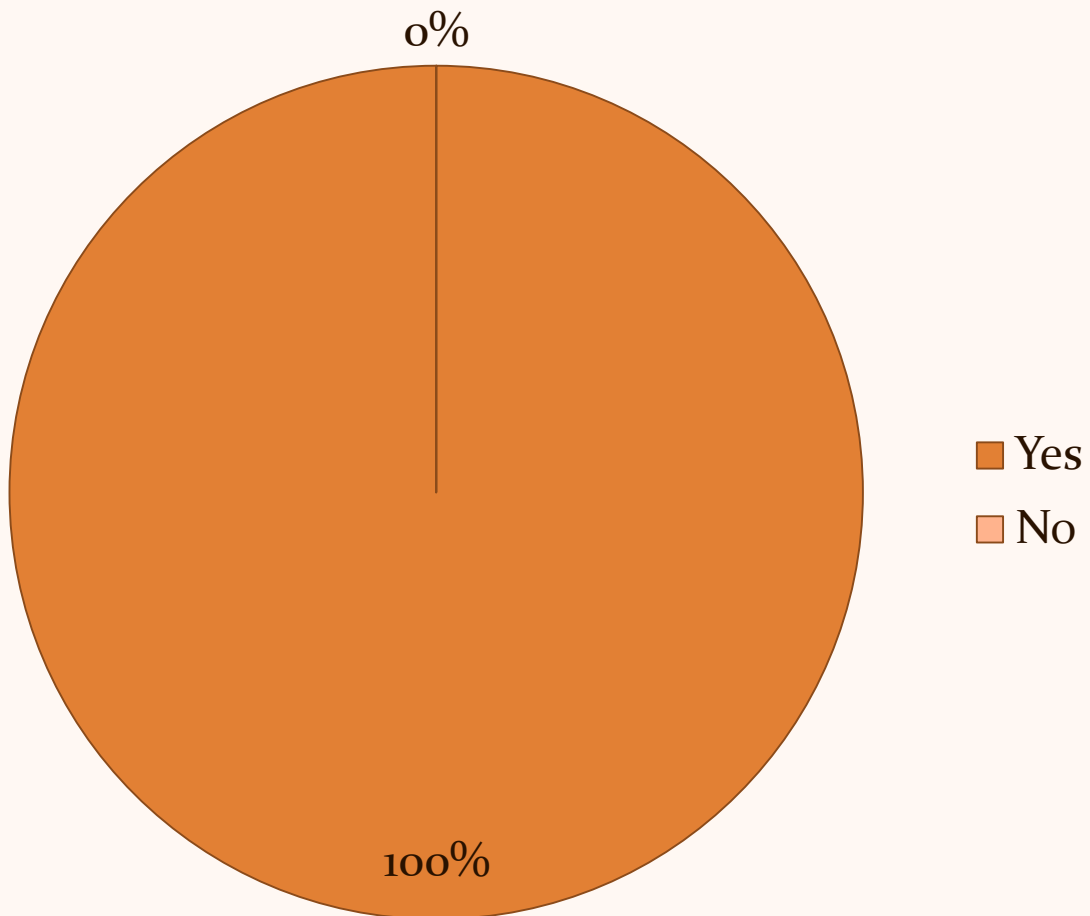
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- *“The fact that we all got to give feedback and the discussion”*
  - *“That you get to input in the whole lesson and everything you say counts”*
  - *“Discussing about ethics”*
  - *“The contribution that the students got to make”*
  - *“Every last word”*

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- *“The fact that you should always believe in yourself - never give up in life”*
  - *“The lesson was a very good lesson. I enjoyed every single part of the lesson”*
  - *“Everything, especially the ice-breaker”*

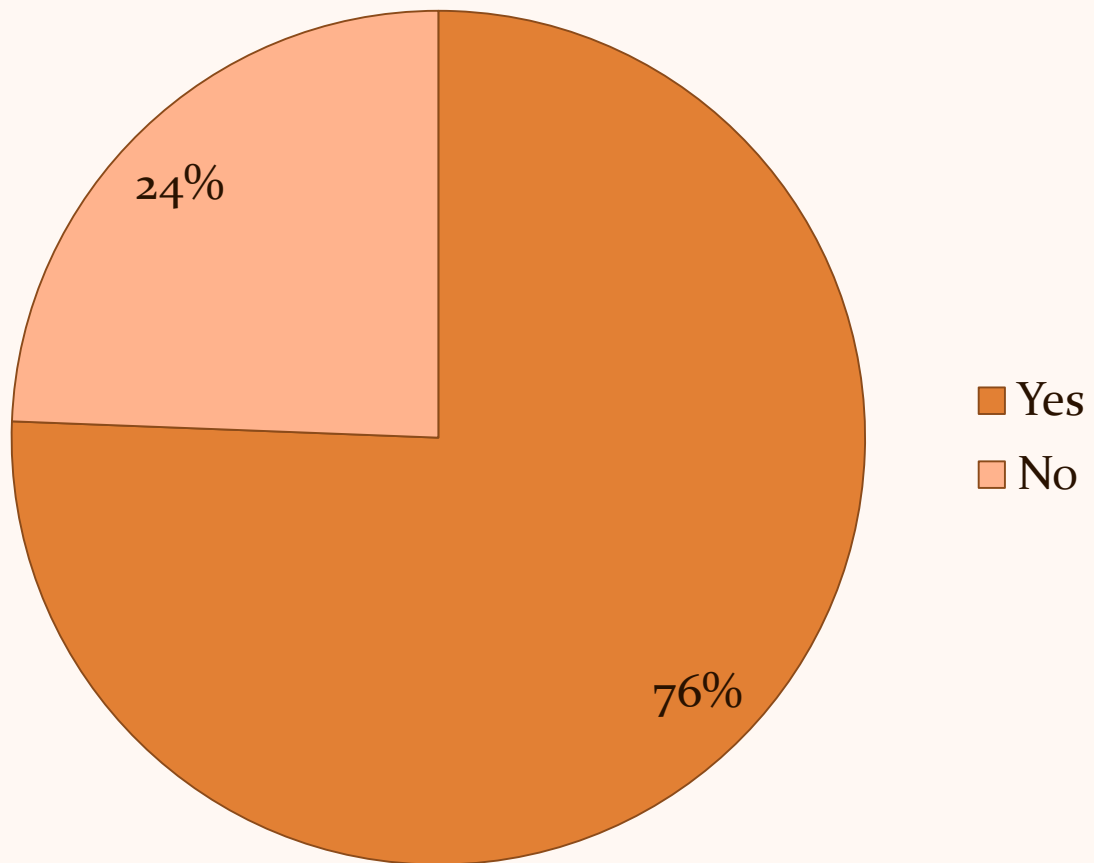
# Was the content relevant to you?




# Were the issues raised appropriate for the session?



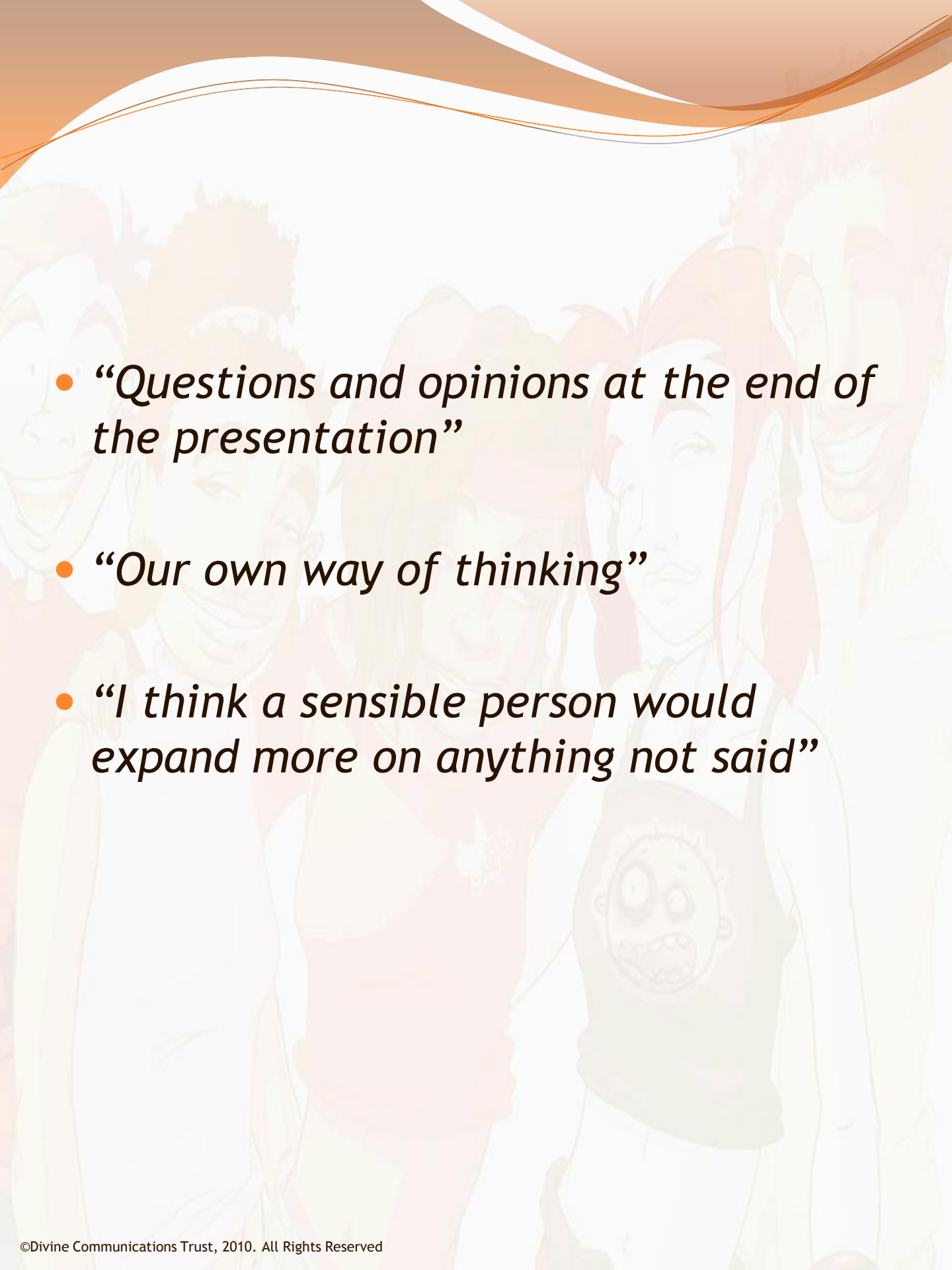
# Should the session have included any other issues

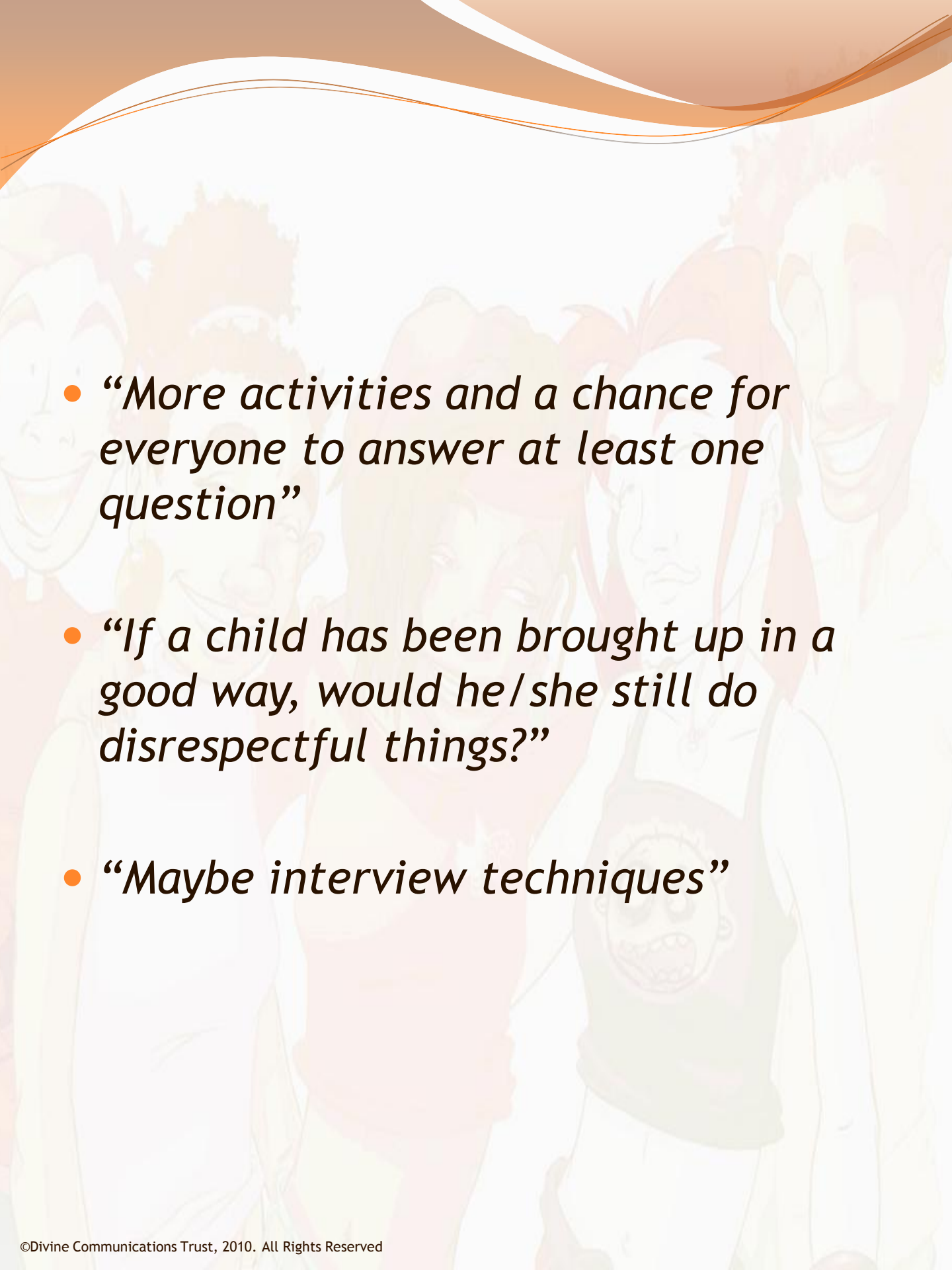




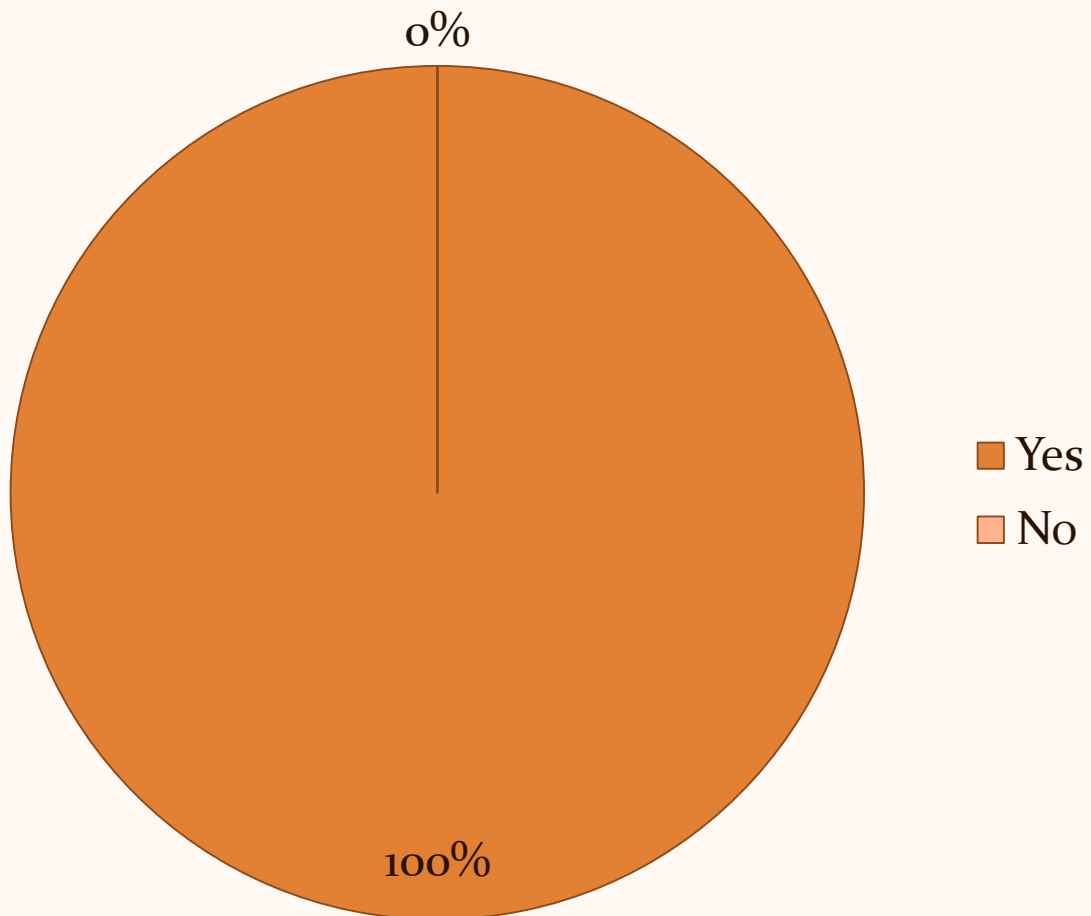
# **When asked if the session should have included any other issues?**

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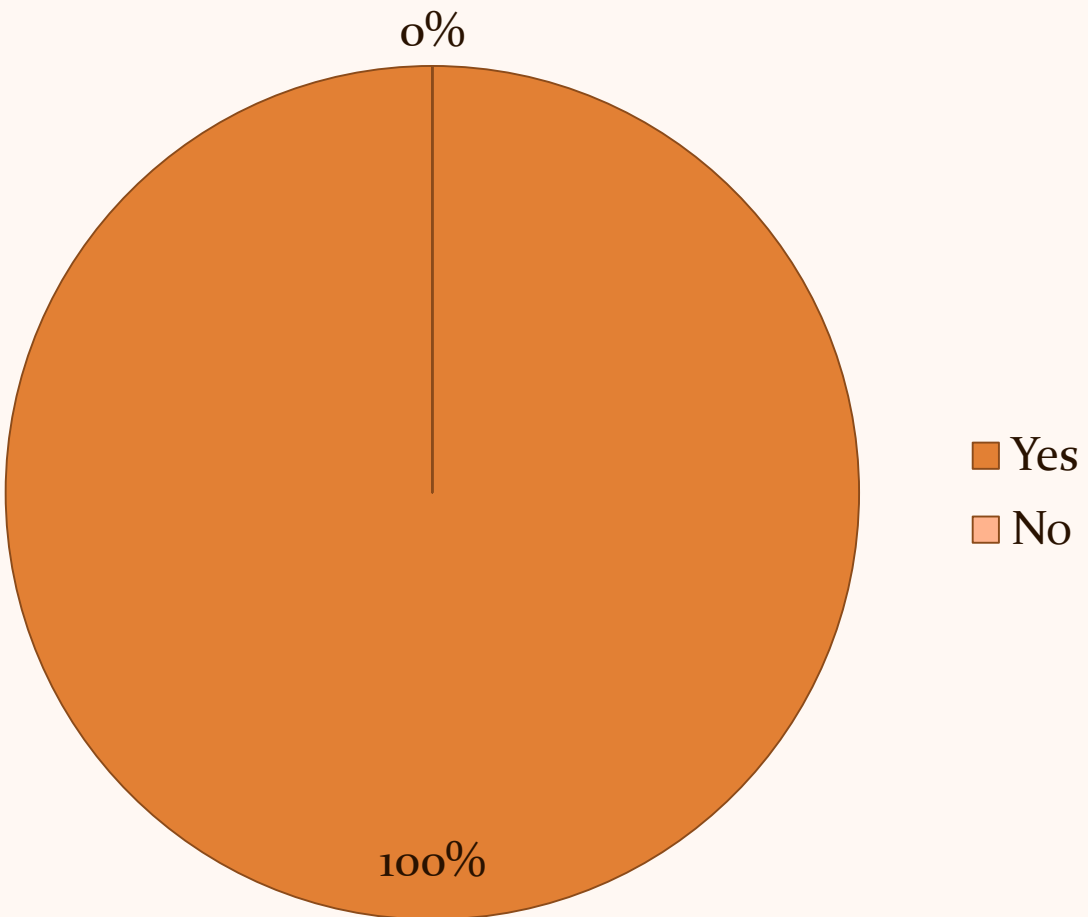
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- A group of diverse people, including men and women of various ethnicities, are shown from the chest up. They are all smiling and laughing, creating a warm and positive atmosphere. In the foreground, a person is wearing a dark t-shirt with a cartoon character that has a wide, toothy grin and large eyes. The background is a soft, light-colored gradient with a decorative orange and white wave pattern at the top.
- *“Questions and opinions at the end of the presentation”*
  - *“Our own way of thinking”*
  - *“I think a sensible person would expand more on anything not said”*

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- *“More activities and a chance for everyone to answer at least one question”*
  - *“If a child has been brought up in a good way, would he/she still do disrespectful things?”*
  - *“Maybe interview techniques”*

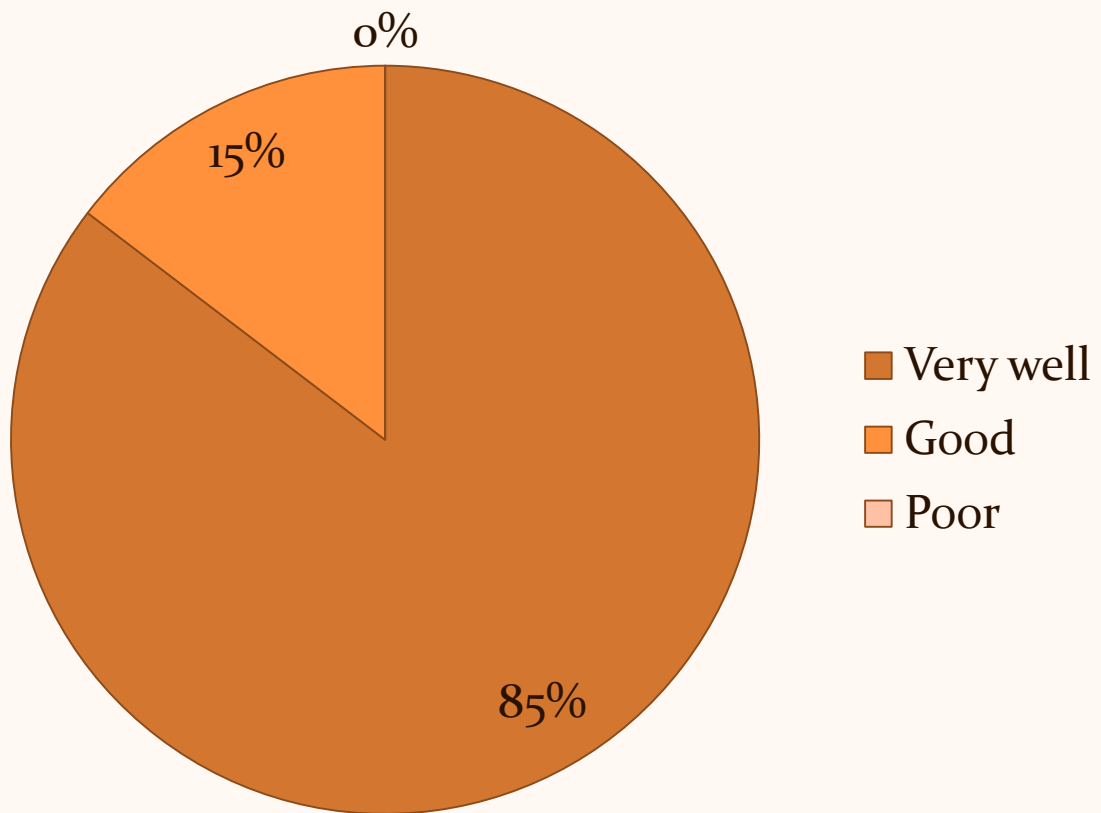
# Was the presenter's style and tone appropriate for the session



# Was the presenter considerate about your points of view?

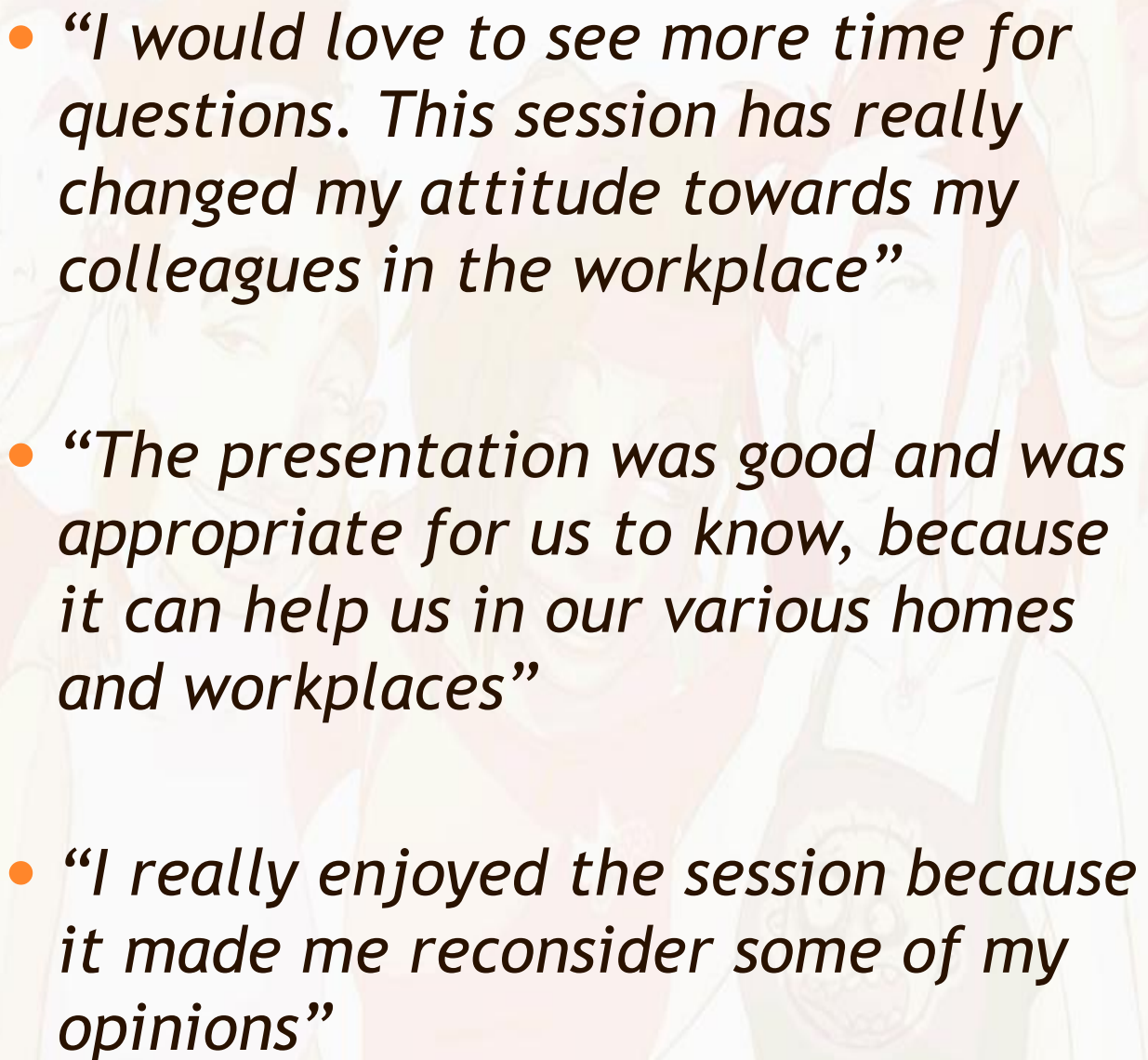



# How would you rate the presenter's overall delivery?

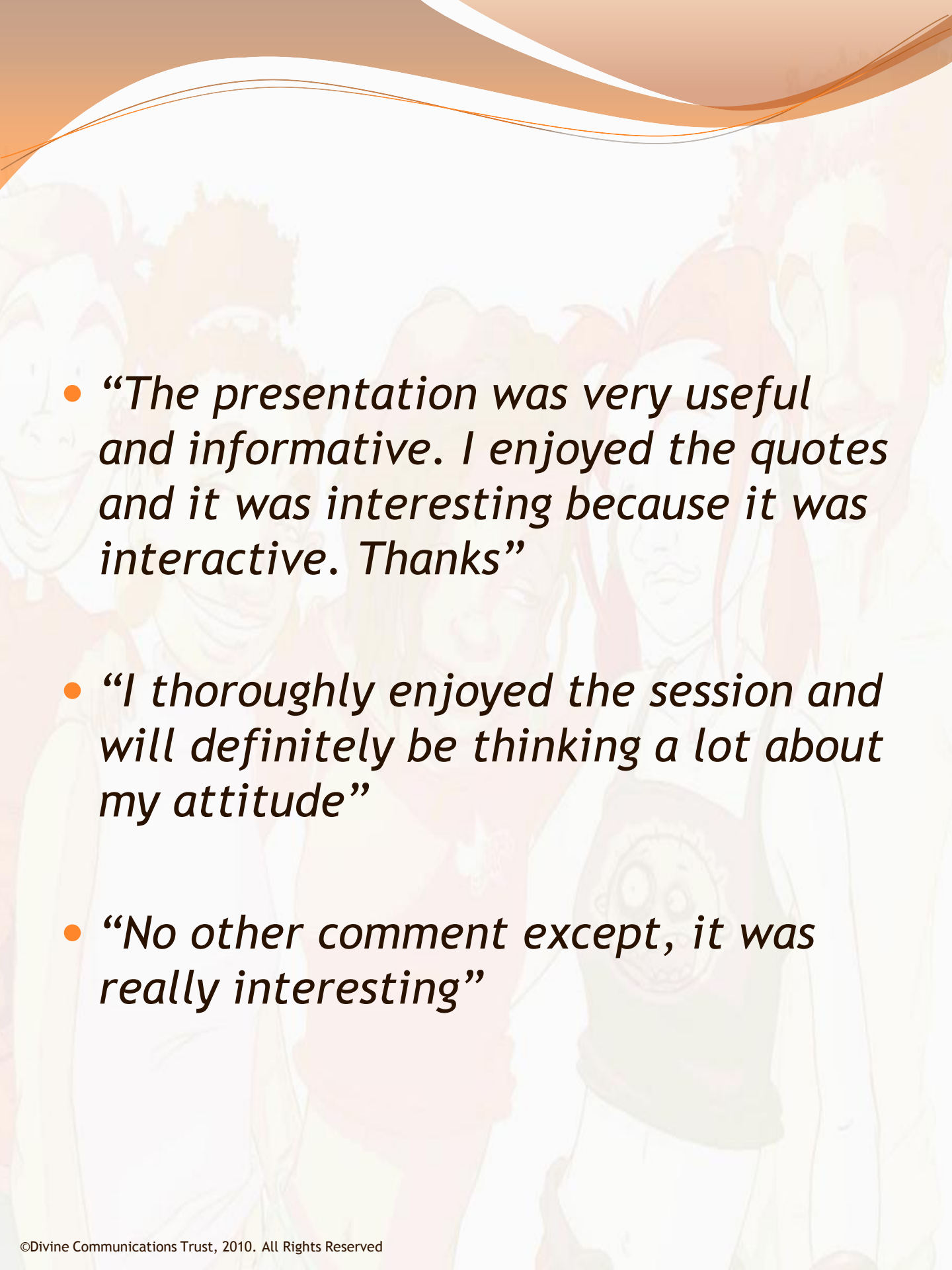


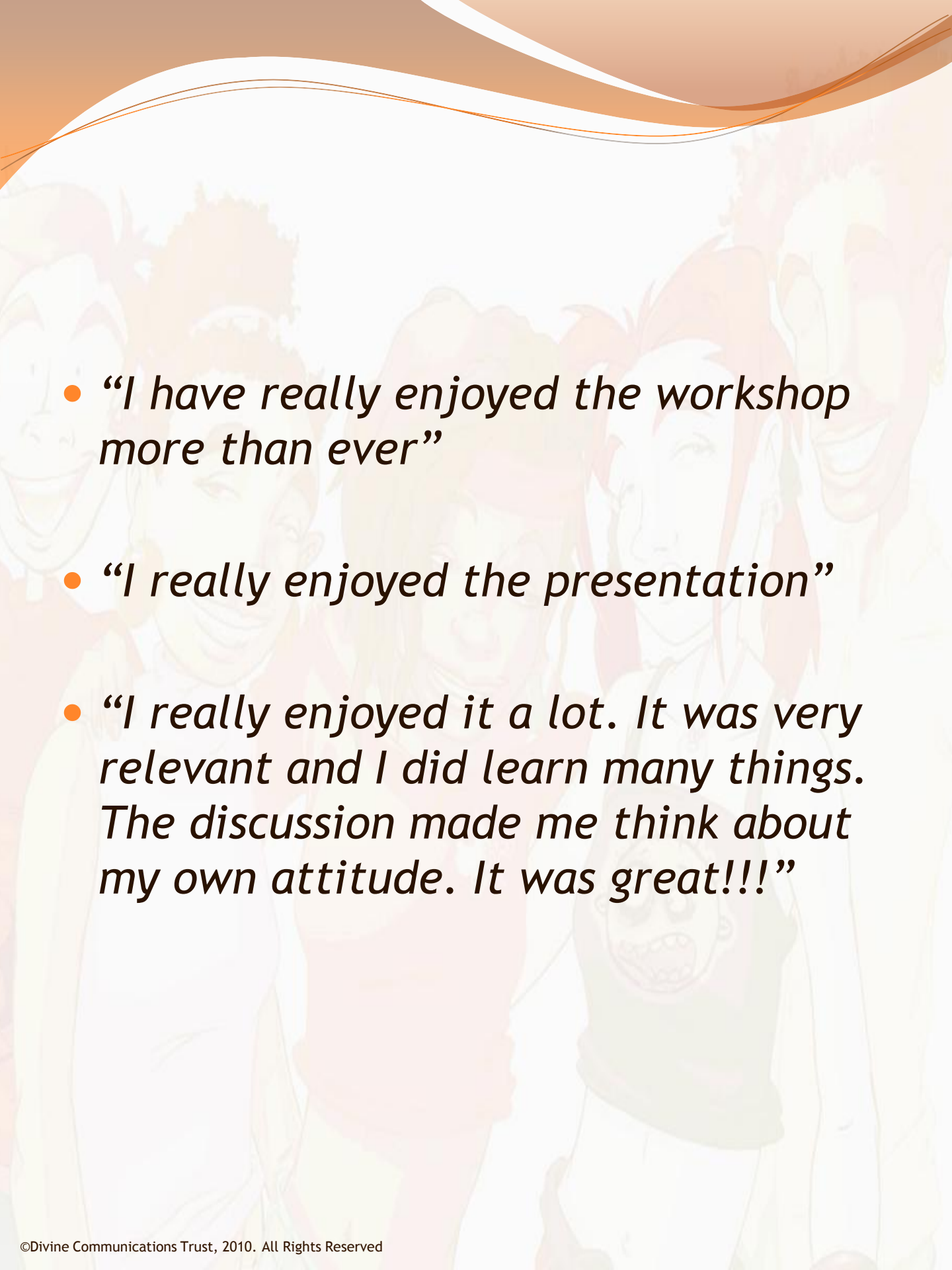
A group of diverse, smiling cartoon people in the background. The characters have various hairstyles, colors, and expressions, all appearing happy and engaged. The background is a light, warm tone with a white wavy line at the top.

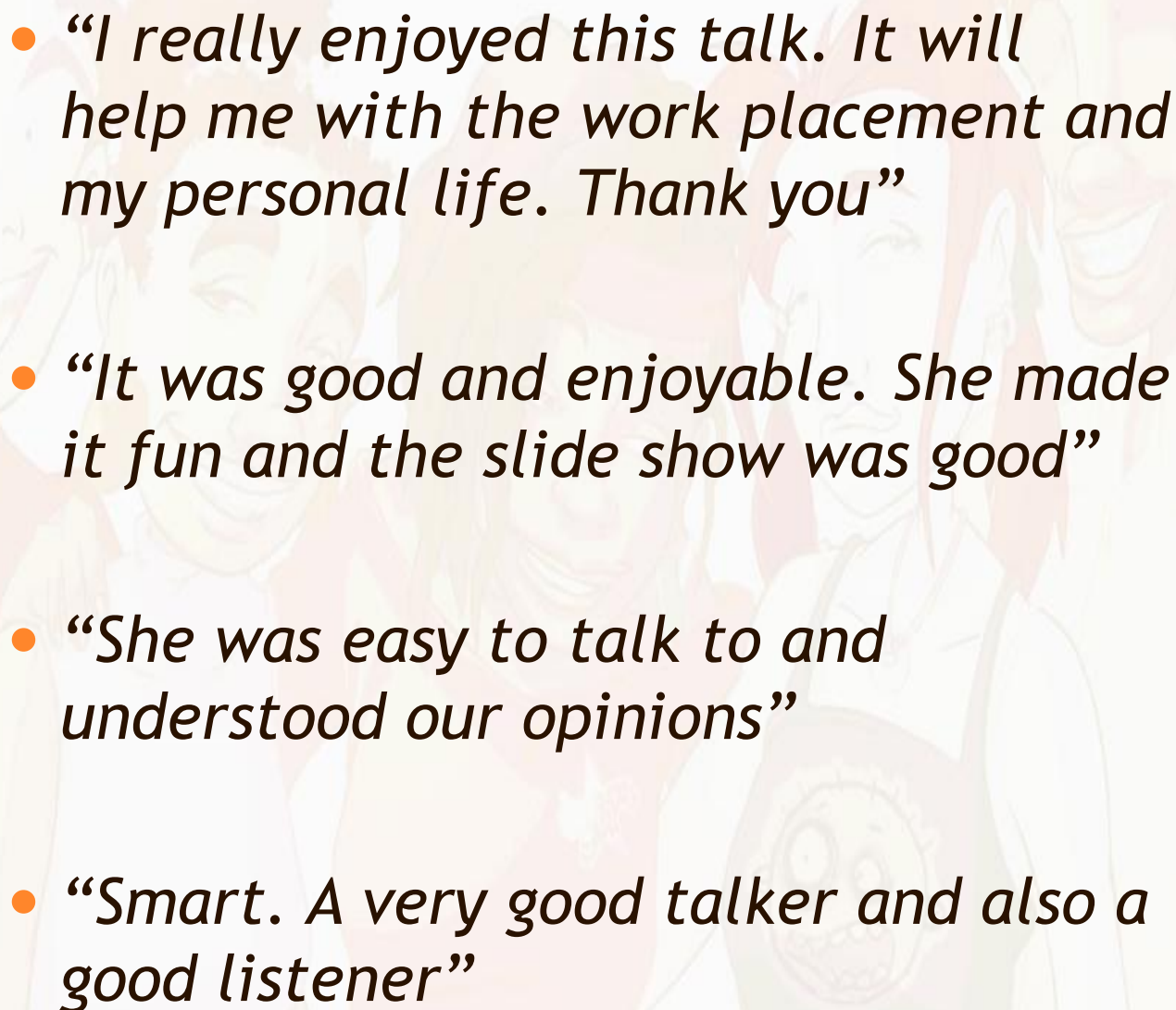
**Participants were  
asked to give  
additional comments:**

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- *“I would love to see more time for questions. This session has really changed my attitude towards my colleagues in the workplace”*
  - *“The presentation was good and was appropriate for us to know, because it can help us in our various homes and workplaces”*
  - *“I really enjoyed the session because it made me reconsider some of my opinions”*

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- *“People were well listened to, and everyone was communicating. I think most people were interested and so was I”*
  - *“I really enjoyed the session, I learnt a lot today and I will use it starting from today”*
  - *“I think the presentation was useful because I learnt a lot from it”*

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- *“The presentation was very useful and informative. I enjoyed the quotes and it was interesting because it was interactive. Thanks”*
  - *“I thoroughly enjoyed the session and will definitely be thinking a lot about my attitude”*
  - *“No other comment except, it was really interesting”*

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- *“I have really enjoyed the workshop more than ever”*
  - *“I really enjoyed the presentation”*
  - *“I really enjoyed it a lot. It was very relevant and I did learn many things. The discussion made me think about my own attitude. It was great!!!”*

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- *“I really enjoyed this talk. It will help me with the work placement and my personal life. Thank you”*
  - *“It was good and enjoyable. She made it fun and the slide show was good”*
  - *“She was easy to talk to and understood our opinions”*
  - *“Smart. A very good talker and also a good listener”*



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