Fun with **Pair Programming**!

Hi! This worksheet is designed to be a companion to the “Fun with Pair Programming: An introduction to Pair Programming for Students” video. Follow along as we discuss what to do and what not to do in your Pair Programming lab!

### Do!

1. **Talk**
   - Not a minute should go by when you’re not communicating somehow.

2. **Listen**
   - Each partner should be fully involved in the project.

3. **Rotate Roles**
   - Change places to gain new perspectives and share the work.

4. **Be Patient**
   - It’s a virtue! By explaining yourself, you help yourself learn.

5. **Respect**
   - Everyone has something to offer.

6. **Take Breaks**
   - When you return, you may notice something you missed before.

7. **Prepare**
   - Do any preliminary work ahead of time.

8. **Clean**
   - How would you feel if the person you were going to spend hours with smelled?

9. **Have Fun**
   - Working with someone else can be a lot more fun.

### Don’t!

1. **Be Bossy**
   - You don’t want to be the only person in class no one wants to work with!

2. **Be Intimidated**
   - You know way more than you give yourself credit for.

3. **Be Quiet**
   - Don’t be afraid to speak up if you don’t agree with your partner.

4. **Suffer in Silence**
   - If you have a problem with your programming situation, let your professor or TA know.

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