

# Sexual Harassment vs. Flirting

## Sexual harassment makes the receiver feel:

Bad  
Angry/sad  
Demeaned  
Ugly  
Powerless

## Sexual harassment results in:

Negative self-esteem

## Sexual harassment is perceived as:

One-sided  
Demeaning  
Degrading  
Invading

## Sexual harassment is:

- Unwanted
- Power-motivated
- Illegal

## Flirting makes the receiver feel:

Good  
Happy  
Flattered  
Pretty/attractive  
In control

## Flirting results in:

Positive self-esteem

## Flirting is perceived as:

Reciprocal  
Flattering  
Open  
A compliment

## Flirting is:

- Wanted
- Equality-motivated
- Legal



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