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# **Reconnecting Youth**

### **Social Awareness**

The ability to take the perspective of and empathize with others, including those from diverse backgrounds and cultures. The ability to understand social and ethical norms for behavior and to recognize family, school, and community resources and supports.



## **Getting Started & Norms**

Shared Agenda (GS-105-6, 118, 210, 216-17)
Creating Group Rules (GS-218)
Helpful Feedback (GS-231)
Praise Waves (SE-45)
Visualizing Group Strengths (SE-69)
Acceptance of Self & Others (IPC-2)
Negotiating with Teachers (IPC-108)

#### **Self-Awareness**

The ability to accurately recognize one's emotions and thoughts as well as their influence on behavior. This includes accurately assessing one's strengths and limitations, having a growth mindset, and possessing a well-grounded sense of confidence and optimism.



#### **Self-Esteem Enhancement**

Positive Self-Talk (SE-40)
Positive Self-Images (SE-60)
Visualizing Program Goals (SE-77)
Changing Negative Self-Talk (SE-87)
Ways to Remain Positive (SE-140)
Grading Yourself (DM-60)
Measuring Moods (DM-141)
Recognition of Improvement (DM-168)
Get Support, Improve Achievement (PC-124)

## **Responsible Decision Making**

The ability to make constructive choices about personal behavior and social interactions based on ethical standards, safety concerns, and social norms. The realistic evaluation of consequences of various actions, and a consideration of the well-being of oneself and others.



#### **Decision Making**

Evaluating Decisions (DM-1)
STEPS to Planned Decisions (DM-18)
Mini-Decisions and Mini-Goals (DM-36)
Time Management (DM-47)
Time Management Review (DM-96)
Your Piece of the Pie (PC-51)

### **Self-Management**

The ability to successfully regulate one's emotions, thoughts and behaviors in different situations – effectively managing stress, controlling impulses and motivating oneself. The ability to set and work toward personal and academic goals.



#### **Personal Control**

School (GS-298), Mood, Drug Goals (GS-311) Removing Barriers to Success (SE-102) Dip Into Your Wellspring (SE-113) Identifying Stress Triggers (PC-2) Understanding and Reducing Stress (PC-19) My Stress Thermometer (PC-36) Stressful Reactions (PC-40) Release Stress with Exercise & Fun (PC-91) Anger Triggers and Reactions (PC-177) Saying No with Style (IPC-126)



The ability to establish and maintain healthy and rewarding relationships with diverse individuals and groups. The ability to communicate clearly, listen well, cooperate with others, resist inappropriate social pressure, negotiate conflict constructively, and seek and offer help when needed.



## **Interpersonal Communication**

RY's Best Self (SE-1)
Support with "Hugs" not "Slugs" (SE-15)
Giving & Receiving Helpful Criticism (SE-30)
Getting Support to Control Stress (PC-77)
Sending "I" Messages (IPC-34)
Active Listening (IPC-52)
Helpful Conflict Negotiation (IPC-69)
Strengthen Friendships and Moods (IPC-160)