

Evidence of Meeting/ Exceeding Criteria		Criteria	Areas for Improvement
Presume Positivity		Express and receive actions with positive intent.	
Pause		Allow time for thinking (own and others) to engage thoughtfully in the conversation.	
Actively Listen		Actively listen to understand the message being communicated.	
Take Notice		Take into account how interactions influence self and others.	
Provide Evidence		Provide input that is accurate, true, and relevant to the discussion.	
Pose Questions		Ask questions that explore ideas at a deeper level.	
Clarify Understanding		Explore previous statements and ideas to confirm understanding.	
Share Ideas		Understand that there are many perspectives; be willing to participate and share ideas.	
Identify Patterns		Represent data/evidence in different ways, and organize it into groups or themes based on relationships.	
Construct Counterclaims		Consider other points of view, identifying strengths and limitations of the argument.	
Make Inferences		Draw conclusions based on the data/evidence.	
Synthesize Ideas		Combine ideas and information to develop a new understanding.	

Build Community

Contribute Knowledge

Think Critically