



Community
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Card Set: Ideas for Reflection & Facilitation

Personal reflection:

Select a card. Spend a few moments in quiet reflection as you view the images as well as the statement or question. Think about your own experiences and your community. What does this mean to you and in your community? Write or record your thoughts for later reference; you may find that the meanings you uncover change over time as you repeat this practice.

Set an intention:

Select a card with a statement. Spend a few moments in quiet reflection as you view the images as well as the statement or question. Think about the activities you have planned for the day or week. Focus on how you might practice the ideas or concepts on the card throughout your regular activities. Keep the card with you or put it in a prominent place as a reminder to highlight your efforts in this area.

Group grounding exercise:

Give each person a card. Each person can read their card out loud then describe the image on the card. The person or group can talk about how the image might relate to the statement or question on the card.

Pair share exercise:

Give each person a card. In pairs, read their card out loud then describe the image on the card. Talk about how the ideas presented in the two cards might be related or connected. Share examples of what this looks like in your own communities.

Group discussion:

Select a card with a question. Read the card out loud and describe the image. Pass the card around to each person. Each person can take a turn to answer the question and/or add to the responses already shared.

These are just some ideas for how you might use the cards to strengthen community leadership with the people around you. We hope you create your own ways to use these cards and apply the concepts.