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& Training Manual



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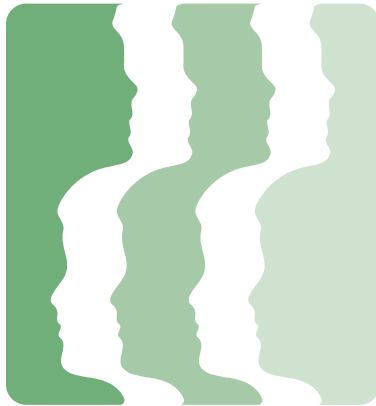
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WANT AD

WANTED: A FRIEND

- TIME:** 30 minutes
- MATERIALS:** Your copy of the WANT AD
WANT AD - WANTED: A FRIEND sheet
Pencils
- OBJECTIVE:** The students will write a want ad advertising for a friend by listing the qualities they want in a friendship.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Instruct the students to write a WANT AD for a friend.

Ask, "What could you put in an ad if you were looking for a friend? What qualities would you list?"

Accept a number of ideas and then share the sample WANT AD you wrote earlier.

Give the students about 10 minutes to complete the task. Remind them this is a quiet time and they should be working independently. Watch for students who are having difficulty or are avoiding the task and deal with them accordingly.

2. When they have completed the WANT AD, break them into small groups using the various lengths of yarn. Have the students randomly choose a piece of yarn and then match their piece with 5 other students who have the same length piece of yarn.

Have the students share their WANT ADS in the small groups.

3. Return to the large group and ask if there is anyone who wants to share what they wrote. Thank those students who did share and compliment them on taking the risk.
4. Summarize the activity by saying, "There are many good qualities of friendship mentioned here in the large group as well as in the small groups."

COMMITMENT TO MYSELF

FOR STRENGTHENING MY FRIENDSHIPS

This activity can be used if there is time at the end of the retreat, or it can be used as a follow-up activity.

TIME: 15 minutes

MATERIALS: COMMITMENT TO MYSELF sheet
Pencils

OBJECTIVE: The students will write a letter of commitment to strengthen their friendships through changes they feel they need to make.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have the students write a letter of commitment to themselves listing the changes they will make to strengthen their friendships.

Tell them they will not be asked to share them with anyone because they are making the commitment to themselves.