

Empathy Module - Classroom Activities

This document provides empathy-building activities designed for students at various age levels. Each activity is supported by AI-guided prompts to help students reflect on emotion, ethics, and social dynamics.

Activity 1: "Walk in Their Shoes"

Grade Level: Middle School - High School

Description: Students role-play classmates dealing with invisible challenges (e.g., family pressure, exclusion).

AI Role: After role-play, students reflect with AI to discuss emotional takeaways and learn empathy vocabulary.

Activity 2: "Empathy Dilemmas"

Grade Level: Grades 4-10

Description: Students analyze short stories involving moral dilemmas and discuss potential choices and consequences.

AI Role: Provides alternative viewpoints and thoughtful follow-up questions during group discussion or journaling.

Activity 3: "Thank You Chain"

Grade Level: Elementary - Middle School

Description: Students take turns thanking classmates for meaningful or kind actions, forming a gratitude chain.

AI Role: Assists students in phrasing appreciation, especially for those with difficulty expressing emotion.

Usage Notes:

- Activities can be run standalone or embedded into ethics/civics lessons
- AI interactions should be moderated or reviewed by a teacher
- Designed to foster safe, inclusive classroom dialogue

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