

Facilitating Meetings



What community agreements will you establish within the club?

Community agreements help ensure that there is an understanding of what each person needs, and can commit to, in order for there to be safety, support, and trust within the group. Establishing the club community agreements should be a group process involving all club members. Consider posting community agreements in the space for each meeting or including them on meeting agendas. Reflect on, discuss, and leave space to adapt these often so they become part of the club culture. [This resource](#) from the National Equity Project can guide you in creating community agreements.

Here are a few examples of community agreements to get started:

- We are open to hearing new ideas and are authentic in sharing our own.
- We take space to share and make space for others to shine.
- We listen deeply and ask questions to understand.
- We practice cultural humility, knowing that we all have different identities, experiences, values, and backgrounds.
- We respect confidentiality and ensure that “stories stay, lessons leave”.
- We take care of ourselves and our community, including repairing harm when we make mistakes.
- We have fun and create spaces of joy.