

Activity #1: Class Contracts

Purpose:	This activity allows you to engage your students in setting the expectations for the classroom
Materials:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bristol Board• Markers• Stickers
Instructions:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Ask the students what their goals are for the year. Right these down in the first section of the contract.2. Ask students how they need to feel each day in the classroom to be able to reach their goals (examples: safe, content, calm). Write these down in second section of the contract.3. Ask students how they need to treat each other to help everyone reach their goals. Write their ideas down in the third section of the contract.4. Include 'Stay Healthy' in the first section ('Goals') and the COVID-19 protocols in the third section (How we need to treat each other).5. Have all students sign (by writing their name or placing a sticker) the class contract and explain that this is their promise to work hard every day to meet these expectations so everyone can reach their goals this year.6. Place in accessible spot in classroom and check-in on contract and how class feels they are doing/if they need to add or change anything every few weeks.