

Secondary Scenarios

Instructions

- Think about how you might respond from multiple perspectives e.g., teacher, support staff, counselor, etc.
- Try changing the race or ethnicity of the youth and see if you would respond differently. Consider how your response might differ based on the young person's age.

Scenarios

1. You ask a Muslim youth how his day is going, and he says, *"Someone said I was going to be banned from school."*
2. A white teen says, *"I can't get any scholarships because I'm white."*
3. A Mexican-American teenager says, *"I hate Mexican music."*
4. An African-American teenaged male repeatedly comments on how pretty the White girls are and says, *"They don't have attitude."*
5. An African-American youth is preparing to take a difficult English exam and is exhibiting some anxiety. He tells you he's worried because, *"Last year my Language Arts teacher told me I need to be more articulate in my writing."*
6. A Somali student says, *"When I get a job the first thing I'm going to do is buy blue contact lenses with my money."*
7. A White male student comes to school wearing a hat with the Confederate Battle Flag.
8. You overhear two White girls in upset voices stating, *"The Indians are getting the good grades making it hard for us to get good grades!"*
9. A Trans student shares with you that he's changed his pronouns over the summer from she/her/hers to he/him/his. During class another student unintentionally misidentifies him in front of the entire class.
10. An Asian student says *"I'm supposed to be good at math but I'm getting a B."*
11. A White student says to another White student, *"I don't like Mormons."*
12. A student calls another student, *"Retard,"* loud enough for the entire class to hear.
13. A Chinese student awkwardly blames everything he is good at or has challenges with on being Chinese.
14. A group of boys refers to people speaking in Spanish as, *"UnAmerican."*
15. A group of male students tells a female student, *"Why are you wasting your time learning [STEM subject]? You know you're just going to grow up to have babies, right?!"*
16. Your own...

