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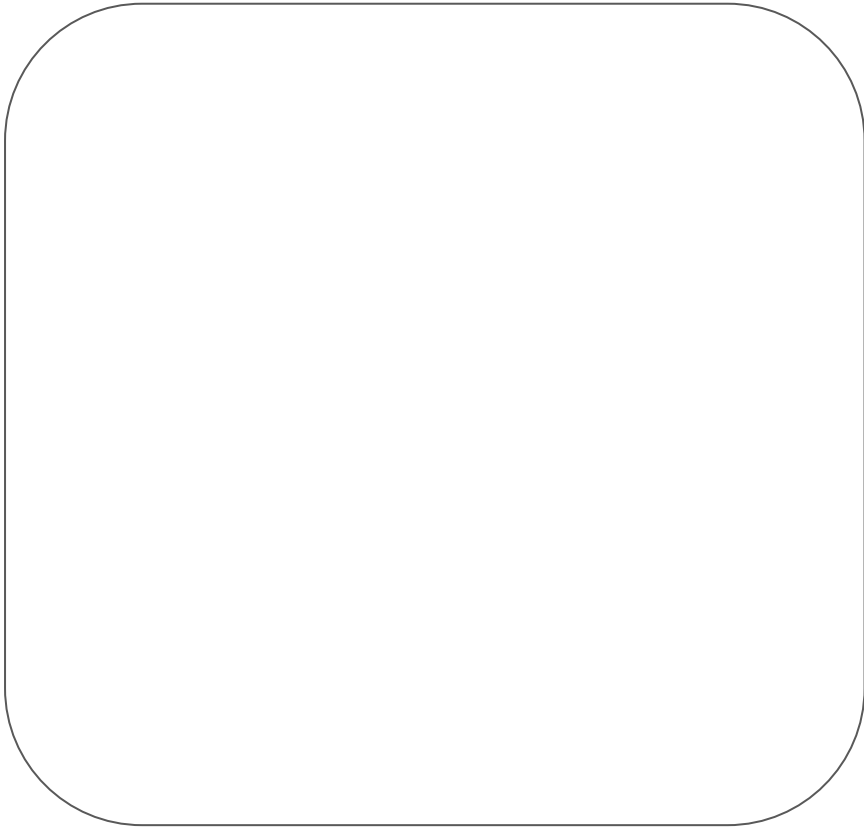
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COMMUNITY THRU DESIGN

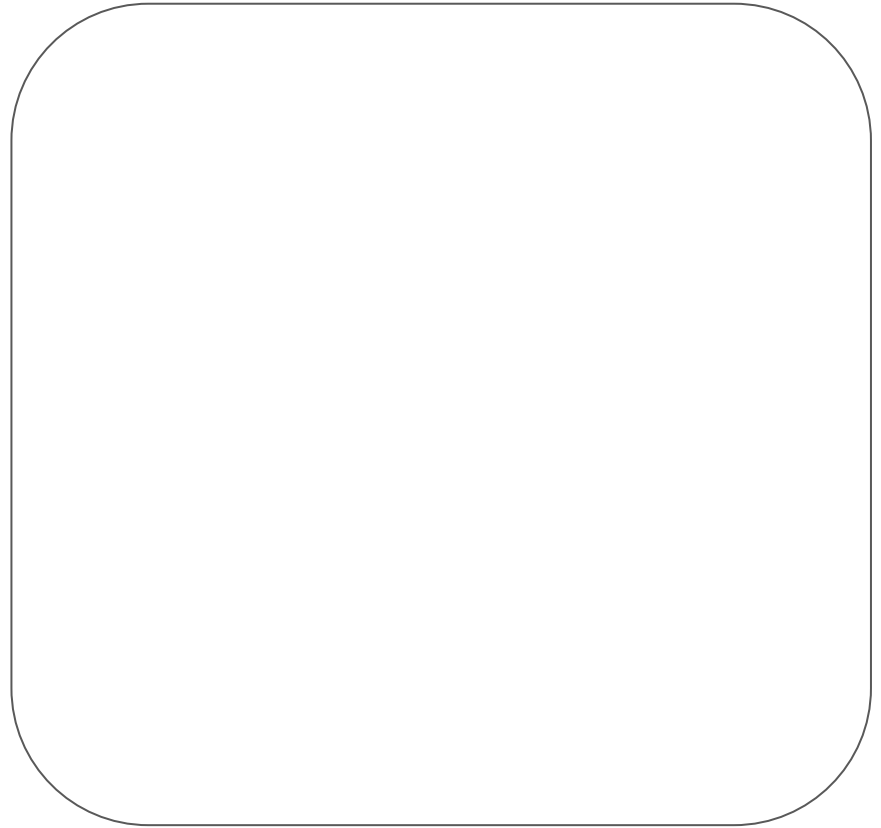
Strategies for Nurturing Resilience in Learning Environments

Community is ...



Share and discuss with your group.

Resilience is ...



Share and discuss with your group.





Cultivating Respectful Relationships

Navigation

Privacy

Variety

Comfort

Sanitation

Participatory



Opportunities for Collaboration

Resources

Acoustics

Collab Spaces

Mess it up

Support

Garden



Sense of Common Purpose

Amenities

Imagery

Celebration

Participatory

Narrative

Sustainable



Opportunities for Influence & Autonomy

Resources

Adjustment

Balance

Nooks

Security

Presentation



Workshop Norms

- **Share the air** – some of us like to talk to think, others think to talk - make space for everyone to share
- **Keep an open mind** – let's engage in constructive discourse around ideas and use “YES AND” to build upon each other's ideas
- **Be here now** – participate fully and limit distractions
- **Be mindful of time** – our time today is limited, please be mindful of the time prompts and transition accordingly



Step 1: Icebreaker – 10 minutes

Using the provided post-its **share your definitions of community and resilience.**

Step 2: Group Brainstorming – 10 minutes

Questions:

What **needs** would you like to address?

What **impediments** do you anticipate?

Use the provided post-its to note your thoughts.



Step 3: Group Discussion – 15 minutes

Questions:

How can you make participants feel **welcome and valued**?

How can you establish a **common vocabulary**?

How do you identify **common priorities**?

Each group member should share their ideas in turn.



Ideas Exchange

At the end of the discussion take an additional 5 minutes to form a 3-minute conclusion for the ideas exchange and note it here.

Use the next page to jot down other groups' ideas and presentation takeaways.



Takeaways



Create Your Own Workshop Checklist

1. Create a list of questions you would like the workshop to answer
2. Invite a diverse group of participants that will allow you to answer the questions you posed
3. Find a venue that will make everyone feel welcome and ensure a variety of seating options
4. Gather Supplies: questionnaire printouts, post-it notes, pens, whiteboards
5. Run the workshop:
 - **Intro** (10 minutes) – share workshop goals
 - **Icebreaker** (10 minutes) - pose questions to establish a common vocabulary
 - **Brainstorming** (20 minutes) – identify the needs and concerns of participants
 - **Discussion** (30-60 minutes) – discuss workshop questions with the entire group
 - **Groups** (20-30 minutes) – prioritize gathered information in small groups (3-4)
 - **Exchange** (20-30 minutes) – each small group shares their conclusions
 - **Wrap-up** (10 minutes) – provide individual questionnaires to be filled out privately and outline the next steps

Resources

- One Workplace: Solutions for Learning Environments: <https://www.oneworkplace.com/vertical-markets/learning-environments>
- ONEder Grant: A Research Grant by One Workplace <https://go.oneworkplace.com/oneder-grant>
- Building Community in Learning Environments: Evidence-based Interventions to the Built Space www.communitythrudesign.com
- Achieve Academy: Igniting Minds through ACT (Activate Critical Thinking) <https://www.efcps.org/achieve-academy>
- Measuring Resilience: A guide to measuring community resilience in LEED v4.1 Cities and Communities: <https://www.usgbc.org/resources/measuring-resilience-guide>
- RELi 2.0 – Rating Guidelines for Resilient Design + Construction <https://resiliencerisingglobal.org/resilience-toolbox/reli/>



Glow

Grow



Glow and Grow