

Building on Others' Ideas Review

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Collaborative Discussion Skills

Name: _____

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about building on others' ideas during discussions.

1. What is one phrase you can use to build on someone else's idea?

- A. I disagree with you.
- B. I like what [name] said, and I would add...
- C. That's not true.

2. Why is listening more important than waiting to speak during discussions?

3. Good discussions are competitive and not collaborative.

- True False

4. A gentle answer turns away ____, but harsh words stir up anger.

5. What makes a good discussion partner?

6. Which of the following helps our discussion?

- A. Interrupting others
- B. Listening to others
- C. Ignoring different opinions

7. When someone is speaking, we should show respect by listening quietly.

- True False

8. Building on others' ideas requires ____ and patience.

9. How can we show respect when someone is speaking?

10. What is an example of a constructive communication technique?

- A. Shouting
- B. Using kind words
- C. Ignoring others

Answer Key

1. I like what [name] said, and I would add... 2. Listening helps us understand others better and allows us to build on their ideas. 3. False 4. wrath 5. A good discussion partner listens carefully and respects others' ideas. 6. Listening to others 7. True 8. practice 9. We can show respect by making eye contact and not interrupting. 10. Using kind words