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Anticipation Guide

Directions: For each of the following statements, mark an X beside *Agree* or *Disagree*. After deciding your position, explain your reasons for your decision in one to two complete sentences for each. Repeat this process at the end of the unit to see how your thinking has changed.

Statement 1: An individual's sense of belonging can be impacted by society's acceptance of aspects of one's identity, such as gender, race, and sexuality.					
<i>Before reading . . .</i>	Agree	Disagree	<i>After reading . . .</i>	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		
Statement 2: Individuals should feel comfortable expressing who they are and should be accepted for who they are, regardless of others' perceptions of them.					
<i>Before reading . . .</i>	Agree	Disagree	<i>After reading . . .</i>	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		

Statement 3: Understanding and appreciating diversity strengthens our ability to build a sense of belonging within and across communities.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		
Statement 4: An individual's sense of belonging is stagnant and does not change over time or in different settings.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		

Statement 5: An individual's identity is based on their gender, race, and sexuality.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		
Statement 6: Since belonging is universal, everyone experiences it in the same way.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		

Statement 7: Belonging is about finding people who accept and understand you for who you are.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		
Statement 8: Individuals shouldn't make assumptions about someone or how they identify.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		

Statement 9: Being true to who you are can sometimes make you feel like you don't belong.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		
Statement 10: We all experience belonging. We all experience exclusion. It's part of being human.					
Before reading . . .	Agree	Disagree	After reading . . .	Agree	Disagree
<i>Response:</i>			<i>Response:</i>		