

Local Civics – Participation Self-Evaluation

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Content and Engagement	I understood the role(s) I played in the unit scenario.	I have a good idea of the role(s) I played in the unit scenario.	I kind of understand the role(s) I played in the unit scenario.	I did not understand my role(s) in the unit scenario.
	I was able to use my role and influence to help my fellow citizens reach a decision that best reflected the wants and needs of our community.	I was able to use my role to weigh in on the discussions and helped my fellow citizens to reach a decision.	I used my role to weigh in on the parts of the discussions that interested me.	I did not use my role to interact with my fellow citizens in the discussions.
Contribution	I contributed consistently and actively to the discussions.	I contributed to the discussions.	I contributed inconsistently to the group discussions	I chose not to participate.
	I accepted and performed all the tasks assigned to me.	I completed my assigned tasks.	I completed my assigned tasks with encouragement.	I did not complete my assigned tasks.
	I took on responsibility for helping the group set goals.	I contributed to setting our goals.	I contributed sporadically in setting our goals.	I got in the way of the goal-setting process.
	I helped direct my group in meeting our goals.	I contributed to meeting our goals.	I have trouble in meeting goals.	I delay the group from meeting goals.
Cooperation	I shared many ideas and contributed relevant information.	I shared ideas when encouraged.	I shared ideas occasionally when encouraged.	I did not share my ideas.
	I encouraged others to share their ideas.	I allowed all members to share.	I allowed sharing by most group members.	I did not contribute to group discussions.
	I balanced my listening and speaking	I listened to others.	Sometimes I listened to others.	I did not listen to others.
	I was concerned about others' feelings and ideas.	I showed sensitivity to other people's feelings and ideas.	I considered other people's feelings and ideas sometimes.	I was not considerate of others' feelings and ideas.
Understanding	I feel like I have a pretty good understanding of what my local government does and how it affects my quality of life.	I feel like I know a lot more about what my local government does and how it affects my quality of life.	I feel like I know more about what my local government does and how it affects my quality of life.	I feel like I still don't really know what my local government does and how it affects my quality of life.
	I can think of several ways I could participate in a municipal issue going on right now.	If I wanted to get involved in a municipal issue, I can think of things I could do.	If I wanted to get involved in a municipal issue, I know at one way I could.	I'm still not sure how or why I'd want to get involved in municipal issues.