



Area: Repair Damaged Relationships

Title: I'M SORRY

Objective: Student will practice putting into apologies thorough skits.

Materials: Paper
Writing Materials

Activity: 1.Split up into small groups of three to four students.

2. Assign each group one of the following scenarios:

- a. You bumped into someone in the hall and his or her books fell.
- b. You said something mean about a friend and they overheard you.
- c. A friend had a party and invited everyone, but forgot to invite you.
- d. Your lack of work got another group member a lower grade.
- e. You borrowed a book from another student, promised to return it back in a week, but then forgot to bring it back on time.

3. Give each group five minutes to brainstorm and come up with a skit. Make sure it is clear that skits include both an apology and an action: i.e. "I'm sorry I knocked over your books. May I help you pick them up?"

4. Ask each group to present their skit to the class.

Closure: Discuss as a class what went well and what did not go well with the skits. End with ideas of how to apologize correctly. Also discuss why making amends along with an apology is a good idea.