Group Members Agreement

Members of each group should TRY to...

- be encouraging, friendly, and responsive to other members of the group.
- provide positive, constructive feedback on other members’ ideas.
- promote compromise and consensus among group members.
- ensure that everyone has an opportunity to contribute to discussions and the work of the group.
- help set standards for the group and its work.
- help the group monitor its effectiveness as a team.
- be a good listener, attending and responding to other’s contributions.
- assume a fair share of the group’s work.

Members of the group should try NOT to...

- interfere with the group’s work by blocking efforts to achieve consensus.
- divert the group’s work by introducing irrelevant issues.
- show aggression or hostility.
- monopolize the time the group has for its work.
- be passive or act indifferent during the group activity.
- dominate the group or assume a larger share of the work than other group members.