

# RESTORATIVE PRACTICES

# Proactive Circles



NORTH DAKOTA REGIONAL TRAINING DATES **COMING SOON** FOR SPRING - FALL 2024!

## WHAT ARE PROACTIVE CIRCLES?

Circles are typically considered a Tier 1 practice and can be facilitated at any grade level. This universal strategy can help to foster a caring and respectful classroom culture.

**Proactive Circles are a powerful tool to build empathy and relationships, while giving equal opportunity for all to listen, contribute, and practice social and emotional skills.**

## WHY PROACTIVE CIRCLES?

PROACTIVE CIRCLES CAN RESULT IN:

**Reduced**

OFFICE DISCIPLINE  
REFERRALS,  
SUSPENSIONS,  
EXPULSIONS<sup>1</sup>

**Increased**

CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT,  
INSTRUCTIONAL TIME,  
TEACHER MORALE AND  
RETENTION, ACADEMIC  
OUTCOMES<sup>1</sup>

## WHO CAN BE TRAINED?

Any educator interested in learning more about and/or facilitating circles at the Tier 1 level including, but not limited to, **classroom teachers, specialist teachers, counselors, paraeducators, etc.**



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