

SELweb and Open Circle Alignment



SELweb is a direct assessment of key social-emotional skills, including: emotion recognition, social perspective-taking, social problem-solving, and self-control. **Open Circle** is an evidence-based social and emotional learning program for grades K-5 that proactively develops children's skills for recognizing and managing emotions, empathy, positive relationships and problem solving. This document describes alignment between SELweb and Open Circle skills. Key: \checkmark = some overlap; \checkmark \checkmark = significant overlap

	Open Circle Lesson / SELweb Skill	Emotion Recognition	Perspective- Taking	Problem- Solving	Self- Control
Unit 1: Beginning Together	Getting In and Out of Open Circle				✓
	Being Together in Open Circle		✓		
	Ways We Are the Same and Different		✓		
	Classroom Rules				✓
	Nonverbal Signals	//			
	Being Calm				11
	Listening Skills		11		
Unit 2:	Recognizing and Naming Feelings (K-4)	//			
Managing	Understanding the Feelings of Others (5)	J J			
Ourselves	Body Language	J J			
	Getting Calm When You Feel Upset				11
	Positive Self-Talk				11

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	Giving and Receiving Compliments		1		
Unit 3:	Including One Another		1	1	
Strengthening Relationships	Cooperating		11	1	
	Speaking Up				✓
	Expressing Angry Feelings		1		✓
	Dangerous and Destructive Behaviors				✓
	Responding to Annoying Behavior		1		
Unit 4:	Teasing		1		
How to Sort Problems	What is Bullying Behavior? (3-5)			✓	
	What is a Bystander? (3-5)			✓	
	What is an Ally? (3-5)		1	✓	
	Recognizing Discrimination (4-5)			1	
	Discussing Problem Solving			✓	
	Calm Down and Identify the Problem			11	
	Decide on a Positive Goal			11	
11	Brainstorm Solutions			11	
Unit 5: Problem Solving	Evaluate Solutions			11	
	Make a Plan and Try It			11	
	Practicing Problem Solving			11	
	Overcoming Obstacles (4-5)			11	
	Being a Positive Leader				✓