# WE BELONG

## **WE BELONG CAMPAIGN MEETING #4**

45-60 Minute Meeting

#### Goals

- Finalize campaign logistics
- Assign and confirm Peer Leader roles for campaign

#### **Materials Needed**

- Plastic cups
- Scissors
- Uncut puzzle pieces
- Poster paper

## WELCOME (1-2 min)

Thank all the Adult Advisors and Peer Leaders for joining the meeting. Remind Peer Leaders that at the last meeting, the team reflected on their individual strengths and stories that made them feel like they belonged. They also began planning how to share the puzzle piece activity with the rest of the school or community.

## **ONE PART FUN: UP DOWN SHOWDOWN** (5-10 min)

The games listed under the 'Fun' section of the campaign are suggested activities. Feel free to substitute them with other Sources games featured on page 151 of the <u>Field Guide</u>, based on what best suits your group's comfort level and preferences.

**Objective:** Each team tries to have as many cups turned to their team's position by the end of the game.

#### How to Play:

- 1. Divide Peer Leaders into two teams: the "up" team and the "down" team.
- 2. Hand each team half a stack of cups, and invite both teams to place their cups in their team's "up" or "down" position in various places around the room. Give them 60 seconds.
- 3. Set a timer for 3 minutes, and let the game begin! Each team has 3 minutes to try to turn as many cups as possible to their team's position of "up" or "down." Whichever team has the most cups in their team's position at the end of the game wins!

### **ONE PART SHARING** (10-15 min)

"At the last meeting, we reflected on the things that make us unique. In this meeting, let's reflect on being a part of a team."

Have Peer Leaders get into groups of 3 to 4 to answer one or both of these questions:

- 1. How does being a part of a team or group bring out the best in you?
- 2. What was something new you learned about the team or something you realized you liked about being a part of the team?

Feel free to model this with a personal example. If time allows, invite a few peer leaders to share their reflections with the whole room.

## **ONE PART PLANNING: CAMPAIGN PREP AND ROLE ASSIGNMENT** (20-30 min)

"Now that we've reflected on our individual Strength, it's time to bring this campaign to life! Today, we're going to assign group roles and responsibilities and figure out how we'll invite others to join in."

Divide students into 3 separate working groups for 10-15 minutes:

- 1. Puzzle Piece Group: get those puzzle pieces cut out and ready to go
- 2. Logistics Group: use notes from the planning session in Meeting Agenda #3 to decide where and when the campaign is taking place (ex. The cafeteria during lunch, the hallway during passing period)



3. Supplies Group: organize supplies to be ready to go for campaign day (scissors, tape, markers, completed We Belong Cards from Meeting Agenda #2, table, chairs)

Finally, based on what the Logistics Group decides during their brainstorming, create a signup poster for Peer Leaders to see the schedule for when and where the campaign is taking place and have each Peer Leader sign up for their different roles for the campaign day (or for each day if the campaign is happening on more than one day). Some roles to consider:

- Set-Up Crew: Arrives early to decorate the space, the table, arrange supplies, and hang up signs
- Greeters + Explainers: Welcomes students, introduces the activity, creates excitement
- Writing Helpers: Supports students in thinking about their strengths and completing their puzzle piece
- Display Designers: Tapes puzzle pieces together/ to the wall and makes sure the wall stays organized
- Clean-Up Crew: Packs up supplies and ensures the space is left better than they found it

Make sure you have a process for remembering who has signed up for what and when! Encourage Peer Leaders to take a picture of the signup or use a messaging or app service to send out reminders during the campaign.

#### **CLOSING** (1-2 min)

Ask Peer Leaders to go around, and each share one thing they are most excited to experience with the We Belong Campaign. At your next meeting, you should take time to reflect on and celebrate the successes of your campaign cycle. You're welcome to use the provided Campaign Reflection template to help guide your discussion.

Don't forget to share the time and date for the next meeting before everyone leaves.

