Dialogue Agreements

Our approach to hosting these conversations is born from our value of having meaningful and sometimes difficult conversations using indigenous principles and values. Participants should agree to approach the conversation within the parameters of the agreements chosen by the hosts.

Please amend these agreements at your discretion based on the conversation(s) you host.

In Every Chair, A Leader
Each person engaging in this conversation has a unique and valuable experience that is their truth.

Speak with Care for Others
We each hold the responsibility to choose our words and questions carefully with the intent to learn.

Value Each Others Time
We all share the responsibility to ensure that everyone has an opportunity to speak and engage.

Listen Deeply
This is a rare and valuable opportunity to connect with others through the sharing of life experience.

Safe Space for Meaningful Conversation
All notes taken are non-attribution to ensure anonymity of all dialogue participants.

Our Value of Humor
Laughing is also an important way to relate with one another.

Be Present and Engaged
Cell phone ringers off, be mindful of being fully present and listening.

Take Care of Yourself, Take Care of Each Other
Note restrooms, exits, other amenities. Ask that participants help one another when possible.

Concerns? Speak with a Host