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Civic Dispositions] v o μ

- x Valuing equity, inclusivity, diversity, and fairness;
- x Recognizing the need to plan for both current needs and the good of future generations;
- x Empathy, compassion, and respect for the views of people with other opinions and perspectives;
- x Demonstrating a sense of self as an active participant in society, willing to contribute to solving local and/or national problems; and



Examples of civic experiences] v o μ

- x Participating in school and community governance;
- x Participating in a community service project;
- x Participating in a civic education program;
- x Participating in a mock election;
- x Participating in a town hall meeting;
- x Participating in a public hearing;
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