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Name	Sean Hurley		Date: 10/12/2016			
Grade Level	6th Grade School Climate					
Non-Arts Discipline	Student Lead Sharing					
Strand / Process	Student Lea	d Sharing				
Content Statement			D . (I : I			
	_	derstandings: Part of being human is to communicate with other				
	people.					
	Lavel of Inc	Level of Inquiry (confirmation/structured/guided/open) Highlight and				
		describe.				
	Students will be given opportunities to ask questions specific to identity and belonging in our specific school.					
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	Enduring Understandings					
	Progress Points					
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Essential	Why are humans usually inclined to communicate with others? Why do humans					
Question(s)	seemingly have a need to congregate and socialize? What types of attributes help					
Question(s)		nd with true friendship?				
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Content Elaborations		Expectations	for Learning	Instru	ctional Strategies	
Students will learn how to make		Students will	demonstrate this	Stude	nts will be engaged and	
statements about their	identity	learning by	writing short	supported in learning by the		
and how they can use t			out what kinds of		er taking an active role in	
knowledge to help the			nich with they feel		ling and help guiding	
become more connecte	ed with	strongly assoc	ciated.		nts to discover their	
peers.					fiers which will help them	
					connections with other	
				studei	nts in the school.	
Assessment (Pre and/o	or Post)	Materials & Resources Key Vocabular		ocahulary		
Students will know how					erms that need to be	
are learning by being	•	• Proje		defined prior to or as part of		
discover their identifie		Materials list		_	ction (arts, non-arts, and	
to write down a specifi		• Paper			on) Identity	
where they feel the ide		•	ng Utensil		,	
valid, and be able to ge	et into					
groups with peers with	similar					
identifiers.						
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Student Performan			Connections		Diverse_Learners	
Describe in detail the activity of		arts, non-arts, and common			How will instruction be	
the lesson		11.1.1.		dif	ferentiated according to	
The control of the co		Helping people understand what defines them as an individual		iearner needs?		
The goal is to have students				Diverse learners will be help ad		
discover the personal identifiers of what defines their identity. Once			them understand	·		
i what defines their ider	itity. Once	their relations	mp to otner	with n	nore one on one guided	

they find their identifiers, students	people. This is a valuable	discovery. Students will still
will use the information to find	exercise to be able to repeat in	share, as much as they are able,
common interests with other	any phase of life for important	and will still participate in
students.	self-reflection and leadership.	student groups.
1. Teacher will describe the	·	
seeming human need of		
belonging in a culture or		
family type atmosphere.		
2. The teacher will		
demonstrate through their		
own experiences how to		
find their identifiers.		
a. Father/Mother		
b. Teacher		
c. Musician		
d. Church Member		
3. Students will be asked to		
write words that identify		
them.		
4. Students will be asked to		
share their three strongest		
identifiers with the class.		
5. The teacher will help		
students organize		
themselves into groups		
with commonality.		
6. Students will then write a		
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Rocks, or Cross-Curricular Introduction, and Undesirable Elements.

The River Rocks exercise is particularly evident in this lesson. The River Rocks exercise had participants place "rocks", symbolizing memories, in a river traveling from the past to the present. The rocks/memories are placed in the river chronologically. Each memory is a deeply impactful experience which shaped the flow of the "river", symbolizing life. The exercise inspired me to translate the activity to students and get them to remember impactful memories.

The goal is to get them to open up about topics in their life they feel comfortable sharing. Eventually, students will do the same activity but the topic will change from "identifiers" to bullying. Students will write about a time they were bullied in the first person and in present-tense. Discussing bullying in this manner could have a profound impact on a level of compassion/empathy a student feels towards his or her peers. It is my feeling that Ping Chong's Undesirable Elements Theater is a great way to get students to open up and share experiences they may not want to discuss through the writing of a script for a play or participating in this lesson. This lesson could be a great way to get dialogue started about how to change bullying culture.

about identity, the way they see peers interact, and other social norms of you school. friend groups in their school. They will be challenged to find students who are not part of student groups and find common identifiers with those students.