

Observation Form Inner-Outer Discussion Circle

Your Name:	Partner:
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DIRECTIONS: Each time your partner does one of the following, put a check in the box.

SPEAKS IN THE DISCUSSION:

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LOOKS AT THE PERSON WHO IS SPEAKING:

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REFERS TO THE TEXT:

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ASKS A QUESTION:

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RESPONDS TO ANOTHER SPEAKER:

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INTERRUPTS ANOTHER SPEAKER:

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ENGAGES IN SIDE CONVERSATION:

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AFTER DISCUSSION: What is the most interesting thing your partner said?

AFTER DISCUSSION: What would you like to have said in the discussion?

Name: _____

Date: _____ Period: ____

AFTER SOCRATIC SEMINAR

Directions: Answer the following questions in the Socratic Seminar Debrief using complete sentences. After the debriefing discussion, answer the Socratic Reflective Writing Questions using complete sentences.

Socratic Seminar Debrief

1. How did you feel about the seminar?
2. Reflect on your own experience.
3. If you changed your opinion during the discussion, what changed it?
4. Using your own knowledge on this topic or issue, create a question to start a seminar.
5. What was the best part of the seminar? The worst part?
6. What was your overall opinion of the Socratic Seminar?