

1.) I feel confident sharing my personal experiences and feelings in class...

Always Sometimes Never

2.) In class, when I'm not participating, it's usually because...

	Most likely the reason			Not the reason	
I don't know the answer	5	4	3	2	1
The teacher will answer for me	5	4	3	2	1
Another student will give a better response	5	4	3	2	1
I don't see the point	5	4	3	2	1
I'm scared of giving the wrong answer	5	4	3	2	1

3.) If you wanted a conversation to continue, what do you do most of the time?

Check all that apply.

- talk about my personal experiences
- react to the other speaker's experiences
- ask questions about the experience
- make encouraging statements

4.) Considering the strategies above how likely are you to use the(se) strategies to keep discussion going in class?

I do use them now I'd like to try Maybe Not likely

5.) I do not utilize these strategies in class because:

I already do teachers should run class I don't like to I need help learning to

6.) If you answered "I don't like to" to #5-- explain why

7.) I'm more likely to remember information if:

I discover and discuss the info. I'm told the info. I see the info.

8.) If I don't agree with what a classmate says, I most likely will:

Pose a question Offer a different perspective Keep it to myself

9.) If I don't understand something that a student says, I most likely will:

Ask him/her for clarification Ask the teacher to clarify Keep it to myself

10.) If you answered "Keep it to myself" for 8 or 9 (or both)—Explain

11.) I feel comfortable verbally offering suggestions or alternatives to classmates:

Only if they are a friend If it's someone I don't know I don't offer suggestions

I'll offer suggestions to any classmate

Other: _____

12.) I wish that class was more student-centered – where students were learning from other students, asking questions, and offering experiences.

Yes

No

13.) I prefer to learn with the teacher teaching and the students listening.

Yes

No