Prompts for Cross the Line

Note to teacher: Select the prompts you would like to use in the activity.

1. Cross the line if you like to sleep late on Saturdays.
2. Cross the line if you have lived in another state.
3. Cross the line if you enjoy sports.
4. Cross the line if you read or watch the news every day.
5. Cross the line if you have had an embarrassing moment at this school.
6. Cross the line if you have participated in a racial, sexual, or cultural joke.
7. Cross the line if you have ever been teased, called a bad name, or made fun of.
8. Cross the line if you have felt left out because you’re a girl.
9. Cross the line if you have ever been called a mean name or put down just because you’re a girl.
10. Cross the line if you have ever been told you should not do something because you’re a girl.
11. Cross the line if you have ever been told you should not do something because you’re a boy.
12. Cross the line if you or someone you care about has ever been judged or teased because of the color of your (his/her) skin.
13. Cross the line if you have ever been teased about your accent or your voice.
14. Cross the line if you have seen someone else being teased or called a bad name or made fun of.
15. Cross the line if you have ever been told that you shouldn’t cry, show your emotions, or be afraid.
16. Cross the line if you believe girls are smarter than boys.
17. Cross the line if you believe that women and men should earn equal wages.
18. Cross the line if you have judged people by different stereotypes based on their gender.
19. Cross the line if you believe there can be sexism against men.
20. Cross the line if you believe there should be more female scientists and doctors.
21. Cross the line if you believe there are some things that men are better at than women.
22. Cross the line if you believe there are some things that women are better at than men.
23. Cross the line if you can respect opinions that are very different from your own.
24. Cross the line if you have ever felt stereotyped by an adult.
25. Cross the line if you or someone you care about has ever been teased or made fun of for wearing glasses, braces, a hearing aid, or for the clothes you wear, your height, your weight, your complexion, or the size or shape of your body.
26. Cross the line if you have ever felt pressure from your friends or an adult to do something you didn’t want to do and felt sorry or ashamed afterwards.
27. Cross the line if you have felt too ashamed or embarrassed to speak up about something you knew was wrong.
28. Cross the line if you have ever stood by and watched while someone was hurt, and you said or did nothing because you were too afraid.
29. Cross the line if you believe that community is important.