Posing Questions Circle

Overview: This disposition involves having a questioning attitude, knowing what data are needed, and developing questioning strategies to produce this data.

Round 1: How are you doing today?
Round 2: What are some questions that you have about the topic that we are studying today?
Round 3: How will you know if you fully understand today’s lesson? What will success look like?
Round 4: In what ways is it helpful to ask questions and define what success looks like before we learn something new?
Round 5: How do you feel about today’s circle?

Applying Past Knowledge Circle

Overview: Applying Past Knowledge involves using previously learned content, ideas, or approaches to solve new (and potentially more complex) problems.

Round 1: How are you doing today?
Round 2: What was one big idea that you learned today in class?
Round 3: How did learning from early classes help you understand today’s topic?
Round 4: What are some things you are still thinking about after today’s lesson? What questions do you still have that you’d like to explore?
Round 5: How do you feel about today’s circle?