# Course Syllabus

## Course: **Climate & Culture Transformation**

**Course Title:** Climate & Culture Transformation

**School Level:** Middle School and High School

## *Course Purpose & Objective:*

The climate and culture of a school, community, or relationship is based on mutual and self-respect, perspective-taking, healthy communication, and positive values. This course teaches students how to be the best versions of themselves and how to empower others to do the same.

## *Description:*

*Climate & Culture Transformation* is designed to teach students the different aspects of health and safety; relationship support; social awareness; and diversity, equity, and inclusion. Students are challenged to reflect on and learn more about their inner selves and what they want out of their lives and relationships, as well as take the perspective of others into consideration to build better, healthier, and more supportive environments. Each lesson is packed with positivity and purposeful challenges to help students become the best possible version of themselves.

This course is a modern, relevant way to teach students communication skills and healthy social practices and values. It ties in the ever-changing impact of technology on social relationships and utilizes various Purpose Experts, of all ages and backgrounds, to provide a relatable, engaging, and informative resource.

## *Course Outcomes:*

After completing this course students will be able to:

1. Understand ways to protect their personal safety and well-being when dealing with relationships, social media, and life stress.
2. Comfortably use effective communication strategies, compassion, and empathy to deepen relationships with parents, caregivers, adults, and mentors.
3. Recognize the different aspects of social awareness and its strengths, utilize strong refusal skills and strategies when necessary, and identify opportunities for stronger communication.
4. Analyze and combat the origins of negative stereotypes and prejudices, actively promote the positive well-being of all people, and generate healthy ways to broaden their perspective.

## *Course Outline:*

Unit 1: Health & Safety
Unit 2: Relationship Support

Unit 3: Social Awareness
Unit 4: Equity, Anti-Racism & Diversity

## Resources Included:

Lessons include various multimedia components (e.g., videos, podcasts, discussions, assignments). Lesson content is embedded directly in the course and can be removed or reordered within the system. No additional costs or materials are needed to complete this course.

## Scoring System:

Purpose Prep does not assign letter grades, issue diplomas, or grant credit for courses. A final score will be accessible and can be used by your local school or course facilitator for conversion to your own grading system.

## Graded Assignments:

- Lesson Videos
- Check on Learning Quizzes
- Call to Action Assignments
- End of Unit – Written Articles & Responses
- End of Unit – Assessment Quizzes
- End of Unit – Parent Involvement Activities

## Course Implementation & Schedule:

This course is comprised of 80 lessons and can be implemented in a single semester, trimester, or full year of instruction. Courses are flexible and can be offered fully online or in the classroom, or as a hybrid of both. Lessons are sequenced purposefully within a unit to ensure connections between larger ideas and concepts within that unit. However, all units and lessons can be customized in any order that suits the implementation.

## Instructional Support Services:

Individual personalized support is provided by the Purpose Prep customer care department at info@purposeprep.com.