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Social Discussion Circle Answer Key

Answers will vary. Look for responses showing understanding of social awareness, empathy, respect for space, listening skills, cooperation, and positive communication. Example answers:

- Respect personal space by stepping back or using friendly body language.
- Include others by checking in or changing the topic.
- Politely remind peers, "Let's let everyone have a turn."
- Stay calm and explain how tone can affect others.

Teacher's Guide:

- **Differentiation Tips:**
 - Offer role-play examples or sentence starters like "I feel..." or "Maybe we could try..." for students who need structure.
 - Allow students to respond verbally, in writing, or through short skits.
- **Engagement Ideas:**
 - Use a "Talk Stick" or "Listening Token" so each student has a clear turn to share.
 - Encourage students to share real-life experiences where they followed or noticed unspoken rules.
- **Extension Activities:**
 - Have students write one "Unspoken Rule Reminder" card for display in the classroom.
 - Create a short class discussion chart showing examples of positive and negative social behaviors observed in daily life.