

Chat Harmony Answer Key

1. The passage explains how to keep group chats positive, respectful, and safe.
2. Balance lets everyone have a chance to talk and be heard.
3. Move the disagreement to a private message instead of arguing publicly.
4. Ask before adding people or sharing personal details; don't gossip about others.
5. Use polite words, friendly greetings, and clear communication to avoid sounding rude.

Teacher's Guide

- **Differentiation Tips:**
 - Read the passage aloud and pause to define key terms like "privacy," "tone," and "respect."
 - Allow students to highlight examples of positive behaviors in the passage before answering questions.
 - Provide sentence starters for written responses (for example: "I can show respect by...").
- **Engagement Ideas:**
 - Have students role-play a respectful vs. disrespectful group chat and discuss the difference.
 - Ask students to come up with three "Golden Rules" for healthy group chats based on the reading.
- **Extension Activities:**
 - Students can create a short poster or digital pledge titled "Our Group Chat Code."
 - Encourage them to rewrite one rude group chat message into a polite version to practice tone awareness.