Middle School Accountability Rubric

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I always take a thoughtful,	I consistently take an active	I sometimes take an active	I rarely take an active
active role in my own	role in my own learning so	role in my own learning,	role in my own
learning, challenging myself	that I can contribute my	sharing relevant ideas and	learning. I often do
on a daily basis so that I	best to the group.	asking appropriate	not participate and
can contribute		questions.	rarely share ideas or
wholeheartedly to the	I participate regularly in		ask questions.
group.	discussions and frequently	Although reluctant to take	
	volunteer my ideas, ask	risks, I contribute to	I have poor listening
I consistently demonstrate	thoughtful questions, and	discussions.	skills, and may be
a genuine desire to learn	defend my opinions.		intolerant of the
and share my ideas with my		I listen to my classmates	opinions of others.
classmates.	I listen respectfully to my	and respect their opinions	
	classmates and am willing	most of the time.	I participate only when
I initiate discussions, ask	to share ideas.		prompted.
significant questions, and		I may need occasional	
act as a leader within the	I complete my tasks and	reminders to stay on task,	I do not complete my
group.	am prepared to contribute	to make the most of my	tasks so am not
	to the group.	group time, and to	prepared to contribute
I am willing to take risks, to		increase my contributions	thoughtfully with detail
assert an opinion and		to the group.	or substance. I need
support it, and to listen			regular reminders to
actively to others.			stay on task.
I am always well prepared			
to contribute to the group			
as a result of having			
thoughtfully completed my			
tasks, and the			

thoroughness of my work		
demonstrates the high		
regard I have for learning.		