What questions do you have about school climate, especially racial climate?
Middle school is a time of identity exploration
Race and other social identities matter!
To improve school climate, start with gathering data from many different people.
Build community by telling stories

**Storytelling activities**

Concentric Circles: https://tide.wordpress.ncsu.edu/concentric-circles/

Testimonials: https://tide.wordpress.ncsu.edu/testimonials/

Five Minute Poem: https://tide.wordpress.ncsu.edu/five-minute-poem/

Name Story: https://tide.wordpress.ncsu.edu/name-story/
Don’t be afraid of emotion
Respond to stories about discrimination and with empathy and outrage.
Teach the community how to respond to bias
Celebrate each other!