

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE

Civility Norms

"We believe the culture of civility begins with each of us."

-PACEI Leadership Team

We aspire to be welcoming, equitable, inclusive, and culturally competent.

We are polite in our interactions by: greeting and acknowledging others; saying please and thank you; respecting others' time, space, and individuality; being direct, sensitive, and honest.

We listen for common ground.

We treat each other with respect by: welcoming feedback with an open mind and giving others the benefit of the doubt; acknowledging the contributions of others and recognizing successes; acknowledging the impact of our behavior on others with a caring heart.

We address incivility in a polite, courteous, and responsible manner.

Inspired by Mastering Civility by Christine Porath

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