

Discussion Starters
GSA Training

1. Can you describe how you came out, when, and to whom? How do you decide who you will and won't let know about your sexual orientation and/or gender identity? What have the consequences of coming out have been like?
2. Can any of you explain the importance of all gender restrooms and some of the difficulties regarding sex segregated restrooms or other facilities?
3. Tell me about how you feel when teachers group students by gender and/or use traditional pronouns of he and she, boys and girls, Ma'am and sir, etc. (cisgendered words) when addressing students. What might you recommend for teachers
4. How does anxiety and triggers affect your life as a student? What might you recommend for teachers?
5. What can you tell us about the issues surrounding breast binding?
6. Can you share with us any thoughts and opinions regarding the prevalence of
 - a. Depression
 - b. Drug and alcohol use
 - c. Cutting
7. How does your sexual orientation and/or gender identity and expression affect your relationships with teachers, family, and friends?
8. Other question you would like addressed?