Let’s talk about … toxic language!

- What is toxic language? How does it manifest? Have you experienced the effects of language toxicity at school, work, or home? Is anyone immune to language toxicity? What is the opposite of toxic language? How can we promote and reward healthy language in our midst? How can we heal individually and as a community from the effects of toxic language?
  - How can you be involved?
- Please visit our exhibit in the Library lobby or online! Take an on-line survey! Share a healing story! Read something on this topic! Talk to someone about the effects of toxic language! Do some soul searching! Pledge to avoid language toxicity... at least for ONE day... EVERYDAY! ;-) 
  - Let’s make Sewanee a better place, one word at a time!

Words Have Power!

Range of Toxicity – SCALE

Mild | Lethal
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slip-of-the-lip | slander, gossip
negative criticism | destructive threats
insults, taunting |
name-calling | belittling

IMPOLE | BULLYING | VERBAL VIOLENCE

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