

FRIENDSHIP DRAMA SOLVER

The DEARMAN strategy is a helpful way to communicate with friends in a respectful and effective manner.

Here's what each letter stands for:



- **D Describe**: Clearly explain the situation without adding opinions or feelings.
- **E Express**: Share your feelings about what happened.
- A Assert: State what you need or want clearly.
- **R Reinforce**: Explain the benefits of getting what you want.
- **M Mindful**: Stay focused on the conversation and avoid distractions.
- A Appear Confident: Use a calm voice and body language that shows confidence.
- **N Negotiate**: Be open to finding a solution that works for both of you.

Friendship Drama Tracker

What could you say using DEARMAN? Describe

Express

Assert

Reinforce

Mindful

Appear Confident

Negotiate

Clipart and Border Credits



