





## INFLUENCING, PERSUADING & NEGOTIATING

Interactive Workbook

## THE 6 PRINCIPLES OF INFLUENCE

Drawing on the existing research, Robert Cialdini (Influence: Science and Practice, 1984) identified these six.

| Reciprocity                | Liking    |
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| Commitment and consistency | Authority |
| Social proof               | Scarcity  |

Convincing others of the merits of an idea or plan needn't be a difficult experience fraught with worry and doubt. Rather, with the right skills, it can be pleasant, effective, and result in much-needed change.

## INFLUENCING



Think about a time when you have successfully influenced another person, how did you achieve this?



Consider times when you haven't been successful in influencing, what do you think the differences are?