

Repair:

bring a second life to objects

Outcomes – Participants will:

- Build and expand their understanding of what repair is and why it is important – connected to the 6Rs
- Repair an object
- Reflect on their own connections to repair
- Document their repair process

Most resources referenced in the agenda (show in italics) come from the [Cultivating a Repair Mindset Toolkit](#).

Agenda:

Topic (Time)	Description
Intro Repair (15)	Each participant will look closely at an object that is broken or in some way not usable. Using the <i>Repair Zine</i> , we will each reflect on the following question: How can we make it usable again? We will continue to reflect in the <i>Repair Zine</i> on these questions: What is repair? Why repair?
Share (10)	Presenters will highlight some core ideas about repair, lifting from what the group shared, introduce themselves, and share a short slideshow about repair.
Repair (50)	We will perform repairs on objects such as clothing, pottery/dishes, simple devices using analog tools and techniques. We will document using the <i>Repair Journal</i> . As we wrap up our repairs, we will write a one line repair manifesto and compose our object in conversation with the manifesto.
Gallery Art Show (10)	We will look at each other's work.
Closing (10)	We will reflect on our time together and presenters will share goodies and resources where you can dig in more deeply.
Afterwards	Presenters will gather participants' documentation, thinking, and reflections and use them to create a short zine which will be distributed throughout the conference.

