

BOUNDARY THREAT ASSESSMENT

Green

Low Risk

Gentle Language

Body language: clear,
generous, kind

Assumes other person
wants to respect your
limits

Leaves potential
consequences unsaid

Yellow

Elevated Risk

Firmer Language

Body language: clear
but more firm

Used as follow-up OR if
past interactions indicate
higher threat

May include intended
consequences, if
appropriate

Red

Severe Risk

Your most direct
language

Body language clear
and firm

Kind but clear you are
prepared to hold your
limits

State consequences
plainly, be ready to
enforce