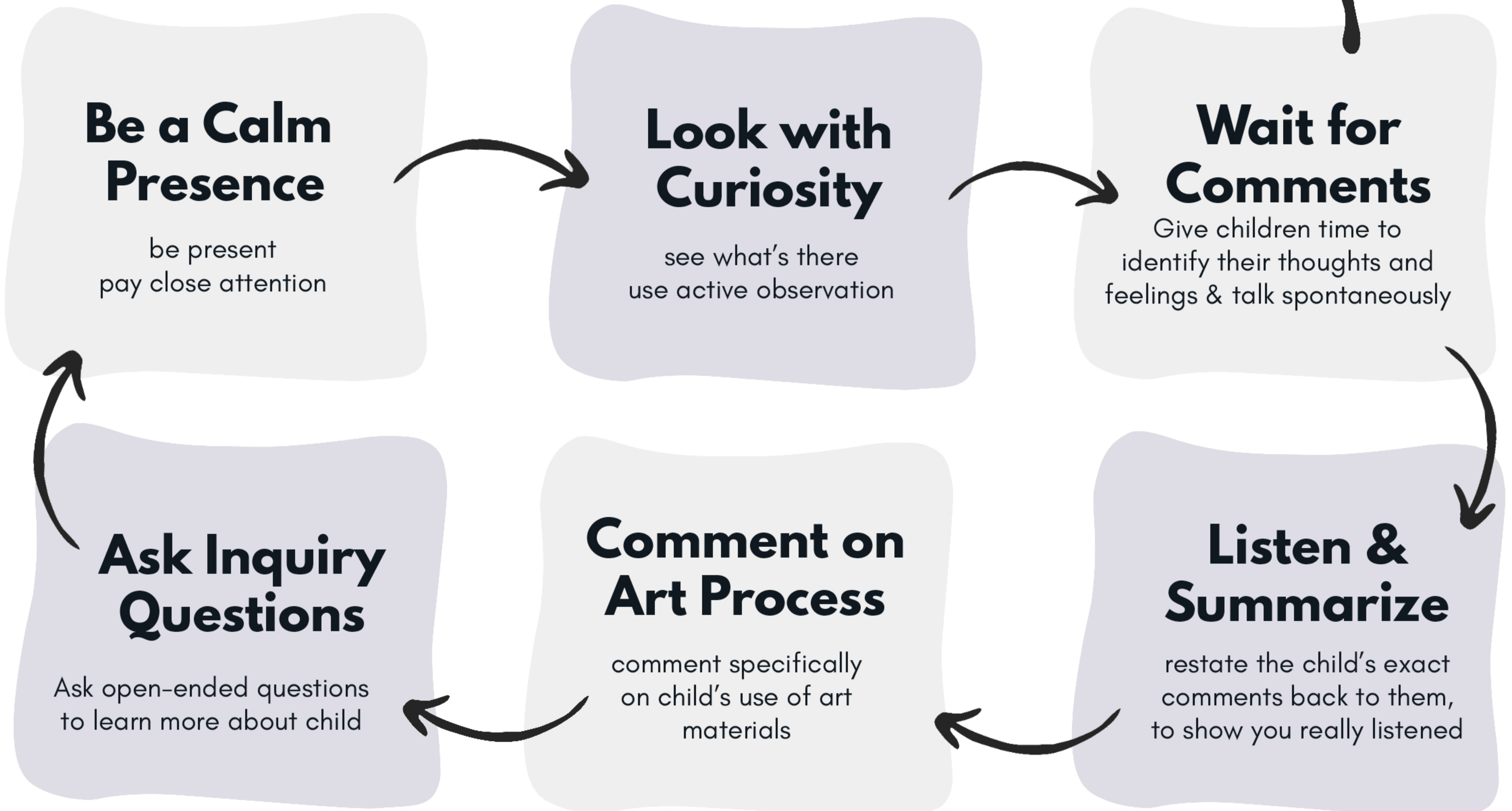




how to talk about ART with children



Provide Trauma Awareness

Safety: Thank you for trusting me.
 Connection: I like learning about you.
 Calm: Let's take 3 deep breaths together.

Listen & Summarize

You made a horse that's playing in the forest, did I hear that right? Now I understand. Thank you for explaining it.

Comment on Art Process

You used blue and yellow.
 You spent a lot of time working in this area.
 You combined crayons with watercolors.

Ask Inquiry Questions

How did you do that?
 What's happening here?
 Where did you get your idea?

