

Emmons School

A Note from the School Counselor
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Character Education Newsletter

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

In the month of October, Emmons School will be working on the character trait of **Respect**. This month we will be celebrating Week of Respect, October 4th-7th, with a spirit week and daily activities, including a virtual "Bully No More" assembly. It is important to teach students to respect themselves and others. Below are some helpful hints on what you can teach your child at home about being **Respectful**.

Respect means...

- Follow the Golden Rule (treating others the way you want to be treated)
- Be tolerant and accepting of differences
- Use good manners
- Be considerate of the feelings of others
- Deal peacefully with anger, insults, and disagreements

You are being respectful when you...

- Are quiet when someone is talking or answering a question
- Are careful with someone else's belongings
- Are not making fun of someone
- Are not spreading rumors about people

Children's Books on **Respect**:

- The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
- Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes
- Sorry! By Trudy Ludwig
- Do Unto Otters by Laurie Keller
- I Can't Believe You Said That! By Julia Cook
- Whoever You Are by Mem Fox
- Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon by Patty Lovell
- The Juice Box Bully by Bob Sornson

