

Week of Making Good Choices Spirit Days OCTOBER 21st-25th



# Monday, October 21st: Happy, Healthy Monday!

- As a way to promote the positive choices we can make in our lives, students are asked to bring in a healthy snack.
- Remember to include 5 vegetables and fruits, along with 4 or more glasses of water, into your daily diet in order to stay healthy and strong!!
- We will continue to review the rules of good sportsmanship and fair play with Physical Education classes throughout the week.

## Tuesday, October 22nd: True Blue Tuesday!

- Students and staff will be encouraged to *wear something blue*.
- The color blue is often associated with honesty, peace, and calm. We will practice relaxation techniques throughout the week to help students effectively manage stress.

## Wednesday, October 23rd: Wake Up Wednesday!

- Students will be encouraged to wear "Pajamas" to school, as a reminder to get enough sleep.
- On average, young children need approximately 10 or more hours of sleep per evening for optimal health and school performance.
- In addition, the National Sleep Foundation recommends turning off all electronic devices at least 1 hour prior to bedtime, in order to improve the quality of sleep.

## Thursday, October 24th: "THINK" About It Thursday!

- Students will be encouraged to use the "THINK" acronym, along with other positive conflict resolution tools to communicate with classmates.
- <u>**THINK</u>** before you speak:</u>
  - Is what I want to say <u>**T**</u>RUE?
    - Is what I want to say **<u>H</u>ELPFUL**?
    - Am **I** the best one to say it?
  - Is it necessary to say it **NOW**?
  - Is it **K**IND to this person and others?

## Friday, October 25th: "Take a Stand, Lend a Hand" Friday!

- Students and staff will be encouraged to wear their *craziest socks*.
- Show someone you care. Help out a friend, family member or teacher.

