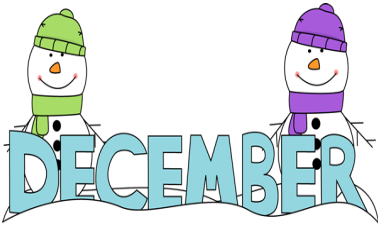


Counselor's CORNER



Elizabeth Romo, School Counselor

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LET'S GET ALONG!

Classroom lessons this month will help students navigate through social situations and help them to get along better with others.

Kindergarten, First grade, and Second grade students will learn the difference between tattling and telling. They will learn when it's necessary to go tell an adult and when they should try and solve a problem on their own. Some questions that they can ask before deciding are...

- ⇒ Is someone being hurt or is something dangerous happening? If yes, tell an adult!
- ⇒ Am I telling to get someone in trouble? If yes, try and solve the problem on your own!

When kids have empathy they are able to "put themselves in

Third and Fourth graders will discuss teasing and learn not to "bite"! We will read a great story where children learn that the teaser is often looking for your reaction and when you don't bite, you win! We will discuss and learn several strategies to get the teasing to stop! At the end of class, the students will get to put their learning into practice and role play several situations. We will also be discussing the effects of rumors and gossiping.



Middle School will engage and discuss what it means to show responsibility for ourselves and our school. We will touch on specific topics like rumors, reputation, and the consequences of those actions. In addition, several tips about social media behavior will be discussed.



WHAT ELSE IS MRS. ROMO UP TO THIS MONTH?

As school counselors, we wear many hats and carry out different responsibilities. Besides our classroom lessons, this month is filled with a variety of other responsibilities such as...

- Attending parent/teacher conferences of students we work closely with

- Creating guidance lessons
- Planning upcoming events like Career Day
- Making sure 8th grade students complete their HS applications/recommendations/interviewing tips

- Wrapping up fall group/individual sessions

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