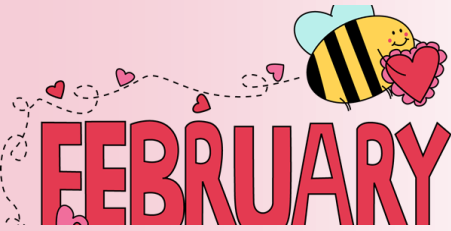


Counselor's CORNER



Elizabeth Romo, School Counselor

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KINDNESS IS KEY THIS MONTH!

During classroom guidance lessons, students at all levels will be learning how one kind act can lead to more - it makes others feel good, and in turn we feel good-when we spread kindness around our school, in our homes and throughout the community.

Kinder and 1st grade students will see how even a small act of kindness can make a huge difference for another person and may influence their future actions. They will listen to the story **Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed** and generate ways to show kindness throughout the school.

1st graders will hear the story about **The Invisible Boy**. It is a story of how a simple act of

kindness can transform an invisible boy into a friend. First graders will explore ways they can bring happiness to others by spreading kindness in various ways.

3rd/4th graders will learn that kindness is cooler. After reading **Kindness is Cooler, Mrs. Ruler**, 3rd grade students will have to brainstorm ways they can spread kindness in their classroom, at home and in the community.



K-4th grade: They have been challenged to complete 100 kind acts. Each kind act should be written down and returned to

Mrs. Romo so they

can be posted on the kindness chain for each grade level. We can't wait to see the kind acts grow!! **(Feb.6-28)**

Middle School students will discuss the meaning of "paying it forward," continue to discuss career clusters, and start to develop college readiness skills such as writing a resume.

****Anonymous Club will help with activities for Random Acts of Kindness Week during February 13-17, 2017.**

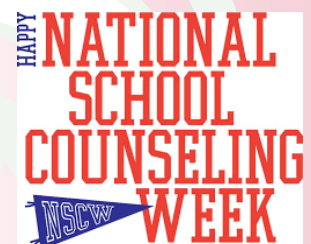


School Counselors Celebrate National School Counseling Week, Feb.8-12, 2017

National School Counseling Week, sponsored by the American School Counselor Association (ASCA), will be celebrated from Feb. 8–12, 2017, to focus public attention on the unique contribution of professional school counselors within U.S. school systems and

how students are different as a result of what school counselors do. National School Counseling Week highlights the tremendous impact school counselors can have in helping students achieve school success and plan for a career. Today's school counselors

have taken on roles as leaders, advocates, collaborators and agents of systemic change.



Scatter seeds
of kindness
wherever you go