

December Newsletter
Elementary Guidance Office
Winter 2011

Dear Parents and Students,

I can't believe winter is upon us once again! During the month of December and January students will have the opportunity to display how they have shown caring and kindness to their family and their peers. Next month I will be in classes once again conducting lessons on conflict resolution and continuing with our rainbow lessons in kindergarten. I would also like to take this opportunity to wish all of our students and their families a very happy and healthy holiday season!

Sincerely,

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Some Inspiration to Go...

"A warm smile is the universal language of kindness."

-William Arthur Ward

Lunch Groups

Change:

Lunch groups have started and will run until the week of **December 19th**. If you have any questions about lunch groups, please contact me directly.

Guidance Modules

For all of the handouts on Guidance Modules, please consult the website under "Handouts." All of the handouts are there for you to print out and review.

Guidance Bulletin Board

The guidance bulletin board is located in the cafeteria where each month the students have the opportunity to respond to a question. The question for the month of December is:

"Besides giving gifts, what is one way you can show kindness to another this holiday season?"

Some Good Books About Kindness...

Kindness Counts by Jan Berenstain

Let's Be Kind by P.K. Halinan

Caring by Sarah Medina

Character Education Trait of the Month

Caring/Kindness

