



Counselor's Corner

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Happy Fall!

As the weather begins to change with the seasons, so does our students. Our students learned about what it means to be responsible and how they can be responsible at home, at school, for the environment and to themselves. Hopefully, they have exhibited some of the responsibility traits that were discussed at home with you.



This month, we will be focusing on "respect". My purpose for this lesson is for students to be more aware of what they say and how their words and their attitudes can affect a situation.

Some points to remember when teaching your child about respect:

1. Treat others with respect
2. Follow the Golden Rule
3. Be tolerant and accepting of differences
4. Use good manners, not bad language
5. Be considerate of the feelings of others
6. Don't threaten, hit or hurt anyone
7. Deal peacefully with anger, insults, and disagreements

Upcoming Events

November

4th & 5th Grade Field Trip –
Renaissance Festival (Nov. 7)

5th Grade Magnet
Awareness Day – Nov. 14

December

Rice Owls Basketball Game –
Dec. 14, Cost is \$10

Important Announcement

Remember school counseling does not take the place of therapy or services that pertain to psychological services. Referrals will be made to outside resources.

More Important News

Book Suggestions on Respect

1. 'Great Joy' by Kate DiCamillo
2. 'A Chair For My Mother' by Vera B. Williams
3. 'Loser' by Jerry Spinelli
4. 'The Way I Act' by Steve Metzger
5. 'I Just Don't Like The Sound Of No!' by Julia Cook
6. 'The Recess Queen' by Alexis O'Neill
7. 'Interrupting Chicken' by David Ezra Stein
8. 'The Bicycle Man' by Allen Say
9. 'Matilda' by Roald Dahl
10. 'Do Unto Otters' by Laurie Keller



Visit to Houston Museum of Fine Arts

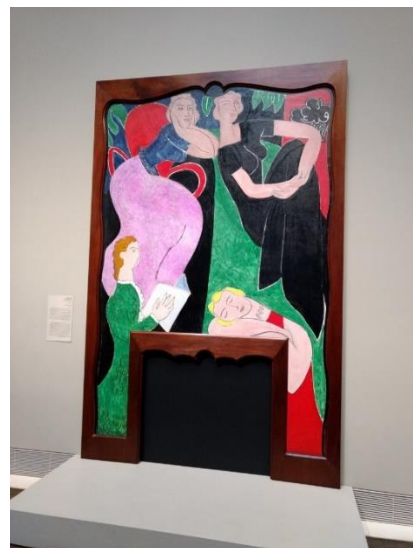
On Thursday, October 19, 2017, the 3rd grade classes went on a field trip to the Houston Museum of Fine Arts. The students were broken up into four groups and were given a guided tour. They explored many arts displayed and learned about different artists such as Pablo Picasso. They learned all about what identifies art and how to analyze what they see to have a better interpretation of what the artist was trying to convey. Please take a look at the different forms of art the students got to experience.

The tour ended with each student receiving a voucher to return to the museum with three additional family members for free. The museum is also free every Thursday (children 12 and younger are free every day).

In the Community

Gifted and Talented Parent Info Sessions

Nov. 15 @ Hattie Mae (5:30 – 7:00 PM) 4400 West 18th Street



We also celebrated Red Ribbon Week! Our students and staff had a blast making the statement to say **NO** to drugs!

