

# Kindness


Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest accomplishment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around.



How are you?

I hope you have been having a great summer. We've been busy here at school, getting everything ready for your return. I'm pretty sure you're going to ❤️ the upgrades.

This year, we have selected KINDNESS as our theme and I need your help. I want to make sure that every student in our district feels welcome, supported,

accepted, and cared for. What does that have to do with you? Well, I'm hoping this initiative can start with you. Too often, we use words and actions that are hurtful. We don't  to think how the things we say and/or do effect someone else. To remind you that one kind word can change someone's day, I'm giving you each a **KINDNESS MATTERS CARD**. I want you to use this card to give to someone:

- you see doing something kind
- who helps you with a difficult situation
- who is there for you when you need them
- who sticks up for you
- you are grateful for

Remember, kindness matters at school, at home, in the community, on social media, and throughout every aspect of your life. You can give the card openly or anonymously – the cards can be given over and over again. Let's spread kindness by keeping the cards moving along.

Enjoy the rest of your summer.



SEE  
YOU  
SOON

*Mrs. Marinelli*  
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Your Superintendent

People will forget what  
you say, forget what you do,  
But they will NEVER  
forget how you make  
them FEEL.

- Maya Angelou