

WHAT IS THE ROLE OF AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COUNSELOR?

EDUCATION, PREVENTION & INTERVENTION

AT THESE YOUNG STAGES CHILDREN ARE DEVELOPING LIFE-LONG SKILLS IN DECISION-MAKING, COMMUNICATION AND SELF CONCEPT.

OUR ROLE IS TO PROVIDE CHILDREN WITH TOOLS AND REMOVE BARRIERS IN ORDER TO BUILD A SOLID FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS.

WHAT DO WE DO AT UNION EAST?

- ❖ CLASSROOM LESSONS
- ❖ SMALL GROUP COUNSELING
- ❖ PARENT CONSULTATIONS
- ❖ CONFLICT RESOLUTION
- ❖ COMMUNITY RESOURCE REFERRALS
- ❖ BEHAVIOR PLANS

WHAT DO WE TEACH?

SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING WITH PATHS (PROMOTING ALTERNATIVE THINKING STRATEGIES)

- HANDLING EMOTIONS
- BEHAVING RESPONSIBLY
- MAKING GOOD DECISIONS
- DEVELOPING POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS

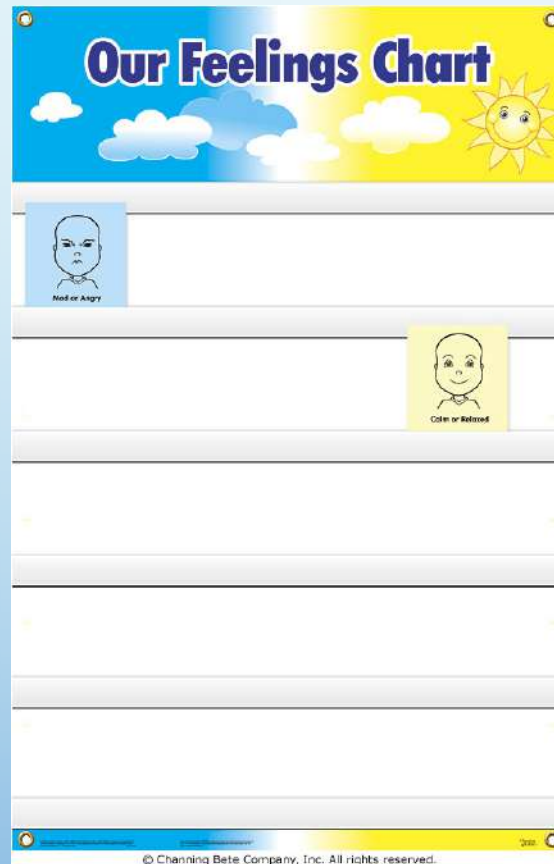
****THESE CONCEPTS AND SKILLS WILL BE REINFORCED AND DEVELOPED AS CHILDREN MOVE THROUGH THE GRADES****

WHAT DO WE DO IN CLASS?

Kid of the Day



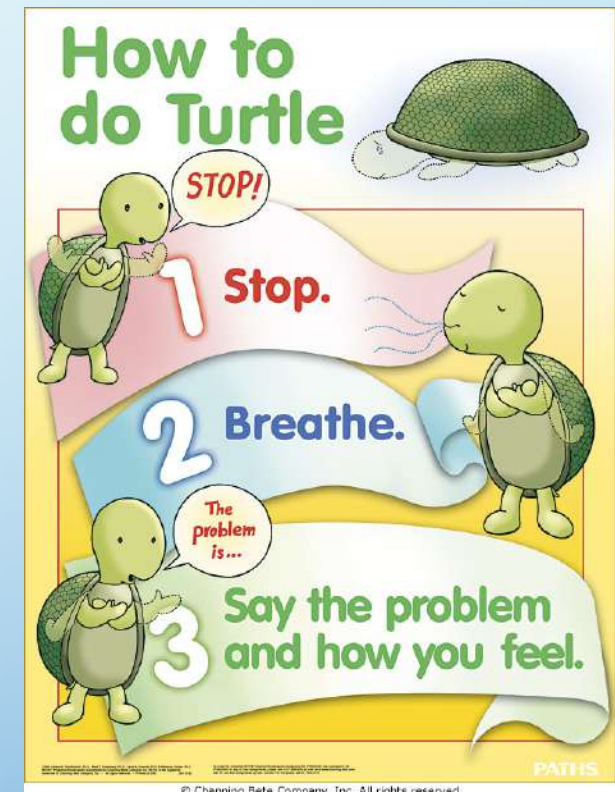
Feelings



Role Plays



Self Management



WHAT IS LUNCH BUNCH?

- SMALL GROUP, SKILL-BASED COUNSELING
- MEETS ONCE EVERY 6 DAYS DURING LUNCH
- REFERRALS MADE BY TEACHERS AND PARENTS
- GROUPS RUN 8 WEEKS, THEN WE ASSESS AND DISCUSS CHILD'S PROGRESS AND DETERMINE FURTHER ACTIONS

KINDERGARTEN LUNCH BUNCH TOPICS

- SELF CONTROL
- SOCIAL SKILLS
- FAMILY CHANGES
- SELF ESTEEM
- NEW STUDENT

HOW CAN WE COMMUNICATE?

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