March SEL Theme

FRIENDSHIP

Friendship can be defined in a number of ways. Often, friends are people that we have a trusting relationship with. Friends are people that we have fun with; we respect them, and they respect us! We have common interests, passions, and values.

Many of us make our closest friends here at school! We can also form meaningful bonds with people on our sports teams, in our after-school activities, or within our communities! Friends can be found everywhere.

The warm Mister Rogers famously said, when one sees scary things to "Look for the helpers. You will always find people who are helping." This is a great way to look for and seek our friendships! Friends help one another!

Classroom Activities

Community Circle Questions:

- 1. What does it mean to be a good friend?
- 2. How has someone been a good friend to you?
- 3. What do you want to do more or less of as a friend?

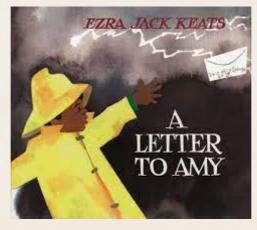
Whole Class Activity & Discussion:

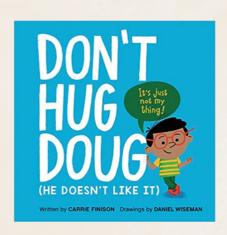
"What We Have in Common" <u>Friendship Worksheet:</u>

"At recess... In the classroom..."

Books to be borrowed or read by Ms. Julia or hyper-linked read aloud if available







Home Activities

Boundaries Discussion Prompt & Worksheet

