



Team Building Day!

Let's take the time to build relationships through discussing respect and growth mindset!

What will we do today?

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and what it looks like.

Talk about what a
classroom community
should look like and what
I expect.

Look at growth mindset
and what makes it so
GREAT!

Letting others know they count.

Each of you have a piece of paper on with your name on it. We are going to play a game called, “Scoot.” This is how you play:

1. You have a marker that I have given you. When I say, “Go” you will be given a few moments to write something about that person whose name is in front of you.
2. When I tell you to “Scoot” you must move to the next desk beside you and do the same thing.
3. By the end of the class, you will have a page that has all of your classmates’ writing on it.



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Once you are back to your seat (where you started), find the person whose name is on the paper on your desk and hand it to them. Next, do the following:

1. Read the words written on your page.
2. Flip the paper over and divide it in half.
3. On one side, you are going to write the things you “like” and the other side you will write the things you “dislike.”



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Respect = Ms. Thurman's expectations

When responding to any adult, you must answer by saying "Yes ma'am" or "No sir." Just nodding your head or saying any other form of yes or no is not acceptable.

Make eye contact. When someone is speaking, keep your eyes on him or her at all times. If someone makes a comment, turn and face that person.

If someone in the class wins a game or does something well, we will congratulate that person.

During discussions, respect other students' comments, opinions, and ideas. When possible, make statements like, "I agree with John, and I also feel that..."

If you win or do well at something, do not brag. If you lose, do not show anger. Instead, say something like, "I really enjoyed the competition, and I look forward to playing you again," or "good game," or don't say anything at all.

If you are asked a question in conversation, you should ask a question in return.

Me: "Did you have a nice weekend?"

You: "Yes, I had a great time.

What about you?"

"Always say thank you when someone gives you something."

"When you are given something from someone, never insult that person by making negative comments about the gift."

"Surprise others by performing random acts of kindness. Go out of your of your way to do something kind and generous for someone at least once a month."

While you are with a substitute teacher, you will obey the same rules that you follow when I am with you.

Use manners when dealing with food: be neat, use your napkin and silverware - never play with your food...it's rude.

After we eat, we will clean up after ourselves.

Stand up for what you believe in.

Accept that you are going to make mistakes. Learn from them and move on.

No matter what the circumstances, always be honest.

Be the best person you can be.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iGuT9-_Y5J4

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