



**THREE VILLAGE
CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The mission of the Three Village Central School District, in concert with its families and community, is to provide an educational environment which will enable each student to achieve a high level of academic proficiency and to become a well-rounded individual who is an involved, responsible citizen.

*Arrowhead Elementary School
Marisa Redden, Principal
Tanya Hurowitz, Assistant Principal*

January 05, 2024

Dear Arrowhead Families,

We will once again be participating in the Great Kindness Challenge Week on January 22nd through January 26th. This is a national event devoted to performing as many kind acts as possible. The week will be filled with fun activities, acts of kindness and showing your spirit of kindness. The goal is to create a school culture of acceptance, tolerance and unity.

The events and activities we have planned are:

- We will be having Great Kindness Challenge Kick-Off assemblies on Friday, January 19th to introduce all the students to the following week of kindness.
- "The Challenges". There is a list of kindness challenges that the students are encouraged to complete during the Great Kindness Challenge Week (see back)
- We will have a "Mitten Tree" where there will be cut out mittens with acts of kindness written on them for students to perform.

In addition, all week we will have Kindness Spirit Days:

- **Monday.....January 22rd We are Fans of Kindness:** Wear sports team attire
- **Tuesday.....January 23th Kindness Makes Us Glow:** Wear Neon or bright colored clothing
- **Wednesday.....January 24th Kindness is a Superpower:** Dress like your favorite superhero
- **Thursday.....January 25th Peace, Love and Kindness Day.** Wear Tie Dye or 60's clothing
- **Friday.....January 26th Dream about Kindness:** Wear your pajamas

To learn more about the Great Kindness Challenge, please visit: www.greatkindnesschallenge.org

With Kindness,

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The Great Kindness Challenge.

JUNIOR EDITION

Your Kindness Matters!
Complete as many acts of kindness as you can in one week. Have Fun!

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Kind Acts

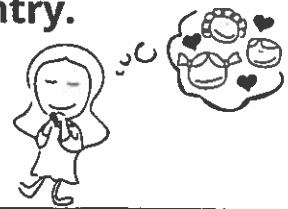
Invite a new friend to play.



Smile at 25 people.



Make a wish for a child in another country.



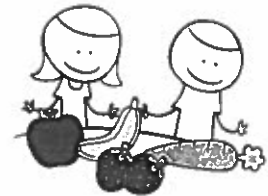
Give your friend a High Five.



Compliment 5 people.



Be kind to yourself and eat a healthy snack.



Decorate 5 hearts and give them to friends.



Entertain someone with a happy dance.



Lend a pencil to a friend.



Help someone up if they fall down.



Thank someone who has helped you.



Create your own kind deed.



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SCHOOL EDITION

Your Kindness Matters!
We challenge you to complete as many acts of kindness as you can in one week. Have fun and smile big knowing that you are changing the world for good!

Kind Acts

grades
2-6

- o Smile at 25 People
- o Compliment 5 People
- o Tell a Joke and Make Someone Laugh
- o Be Kind to Yourself and Eat a Healthy Snack
- o Draw a Picture and Give it to Someone
- o Help a Younger Student
- o Pick Up Trash Around Your School
- o Cut Out 5 Hearts and Give Them to Friends
- o Say "Good Morning" to 10 People
- o Write a Thank You Note and Give it to Someone You Care About
- o Invite a New Friend to Play with You
- o Sit with Someone New at Lunch
- o Stand Up for Someone in Need
- o Make a Bookmark for a Friend
- o Hold the Door Open for Someone
- o Thank Your Bus Driver
- o Listen to Your Teacher the First Time
- o Write a Thank You Note to the Nurse or a Special Teacher
- o Give Your Friend a High Five
- o Entertain Someone with a Happy Dance
- o Help Someone Up if They Fall Down
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