The Counselor Connection

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This month's character trait: CITIZENSHIP

So What is It?

Citizenship is shown by positively contributing to the community while respecting authority and the law.

Why is it Important?

Being a good citizen is important because by obeying rules and helping our community, we make the world we live in a better and safer place.

Citizenship in a Digital World

As virtual students, we need to show digital citizenship to help ourselves as well as our classmates learn and become successful.

Terms to Know about Citizenship in a Digital World

Digital Citizenship: being able to use technology & the internet safely and responsibly

Digital Citizen: someone who uses information technology to be a part of society

Digital Etiquette: treating others the way you would want to be treated online: with respect and kindness

Digital Footprint: a trail of little bits of information that someone leaves behind every time they are online

Cyberbullying: the use of technology (computer, phone, tablet, etc.) to purposely be unkind to someone

November at a Glance

11/11 Veteran's Day – no school

THANK YOU VETERANS

11/22-23 Teacher Professional Development (no student contact)

11/24-26 Thanksgiving Break

Thanksgiving Break No School

11/30-12/2 – FLVS Professional Development Days (no student contact)

I Can Be a Good Digital Citizen by…

- Speaking to my teachers and classmates with respect and kindness
- Remembering to mute my microphone when it is not my turn to speak
- Making sure my device is charged
- Logging in to my class or DBA on time
- Posting appropriate and only class related comments in the chat box
- Using the restroom prior to being on camera
- Making sure that my work area is free from distractions, so I can pay attention
- Dressing appropriately for school
- Keeping my video camera on when in class or taking a DBA
- Eating before or after being on camera

We're here to help!

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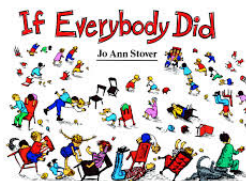Serving counties Alachua through Hardee, alphabetically, plus Hillsborough.

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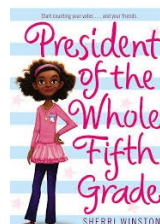Serving counties Osceola through Washington, alphabetically.

I ALWAYS WONDERED WHY SOMEBODY DIDN'T DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT, THEN I REALIZED I AM SOMEBODY.

Check out these books!

President of the Whole 5th Grade
By: Sherri Winston

If Everybody Did
By: Jo Ann Stover