

# Respect

**Essential Question:** How will I show respect to myself and others?

## Pre-Survey

- Y    S    N    I treat other people the way I want to be treated.  
Y    S    N    I respect myself by setting high standards for myself.  
Y    S    N    I respect people's differences.  
Y    S    N    I solve my problems calmly and respectfully.  
Y    S    N    I never intentionally ridicule, embarrass, or hurt others.

## Discussion Questions

- What does respect look like?  
Who do you need to respect?  
Do all adults deserve your respect?  
What is a proud moment you have of being respectful?  
Who do you need to show more respect to?  
What are the effects of disrespect?  
How can showing respect be difficult? Sometimes?  
Is there anything you dislike about the way people treat each other here at school? Do you know of any disrespectful behavior? Describe it. How do you feel about it?  
What do you like most about the way people treat each other here at school? Does it have anything to do with respect?  
What is a bully? Is bullying an act of disrespect? In what way? Are there bullies here at school? Can someone be a bully without meaning to be? How?

## Quotes to Discuss

- "Let every man be respected as an individual and no man idolized" -Albert Einstein  
"One of the most sincere forms of respect is actually listening to what another has to say"  
- Bryant H. McGill  
"I firmly believe that respect is a lot more important, and a lot greater, than popularity"  
-Julius Erving  
"That you may retain your self-respect, it is better to displease the people by doing what you know is right, than to temporarily please them by doing what you know is wrong"  
-William J. H. Boetcker