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VALUES MATTER MIAMI**



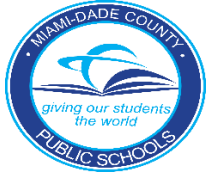
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	Lesson Title	Lesson Description	Essential Question	Lesson Targets
Citizenship	Lesson 1 Warning! Citizenship in Progress	Students explore what it means to be a good citizen at home, school and in the community. This lesson allows students to participate in a discussion related to citizenship.	How do you demonstrate good citizenship?	Students will be able to... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop an understanding of the concept of being a good citizen.
	Lesson 2 If It's to Be, It's Up to Me!	Students learn to identify behaviors associated with being a good citizen. Students are given the opportunity to design their own community project.	What are the responsibilities of a citizen?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn the behaviors associated with being a good citizen.
	Lesson 3 Ask What You Can Do for Your Country.	Students learn the importance of being a good citizen. Through a virtual fieldtrip to our nation's capital, students engage in conversations about patriotism and citizenship.	How do you demonstrate good citizenship at your school?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify ways in which they demonstrate good citizenship at school.

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Citizenship	Digital Citizenship Lesson (Grades 6-8)			Students will be able to ...
	A Creator’s Responsibilities	Students reflect on their responsibilities as creators and users of creative work.	What responsibilities do you have to respect others’ creative work?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consider ethical questions about real-life decisions young creators make in exercising their creative rights and responsibilities. Understand that piracy and plagiarism are irresponsible and disrespectful behaviors that have ethical and legal implications. Brainstorm solutions to dilemmas creators might encounter.



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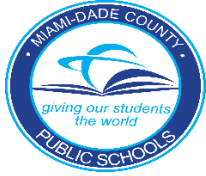


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Pursuit of Excellence	Lesson Title	Lesson Description	Essential Question	Lesson Targets
	Lesson 1 Oath of Excellence	Students learn about the importance of courage, motivation, and goals in the pursuit of excellence. After participating in a virtual field trip to Times Square, they are able to create their own oath of excellence.	How do you strive for excellence?	Students will be able to... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop an understanding of the concept of pursuit of excellence.
	Lesson 2 The Sky Is the Limit!	Students learn strategies for setting academic goals. Students are motivated to set high goals and to reach those goals by taking a virtual fieldtrip to the sky.	Why are academic goals important when striving for excellence?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn behaviors associated with the pursuit of excellence.
	Lesson 3 Dream Builders	Students begin to understand that the first step toward their career goals is a successful high school experience. Students will learn about high school requirements and will be asked to think about how they can pursue excellence in education.	Are you ready to be successful in high school?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify ways in which they demonstrate pursuit of excellence.



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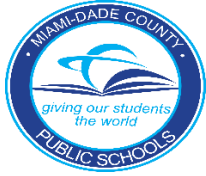
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Pursuit of Excellence	Digital Citizenship Lesson (Grades 6-8)			Students will be able to...
	Rights, Remix, Respect	Students reflect on the differences between taking inspiration from the creative work of others and appropriating that work without permission.	What should you consider when you use other people's creative work?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define the key concepts of inspiration, appropriation, copyright, and fair use and examine how they relate to creative work. Understand the legal and ethical debates that surround using other people's creative work. <p>Consider the perspective of the original creator, potential audiences, and the broader community when using others' materials.</p>

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November 2016

Homeless Awareness Month

Miami-Dade County Public Schools Division of Student Services Project Up-Start <http://studentservices.dadeschools.net/projectupstart/>

National Homeless Organization: <http://nationalhomeless.org/about-us/projects/awareness-week/>

National Coalition for the Homeless: <http://nationalhomeless.org/projects/awareness/index.html>

Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week is on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/Hunger-and-Homelessness-Awareness-Week-285603738126399/timeline/>

The National Coalition for the Homeless: <http://nationalhomeless.org/>

Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust: <http://homelesstrust.org/>

World Kindness Day – November 13, 2016

Resort 2 Kindness: http://www.resort2kindness.org/?page_id=2923

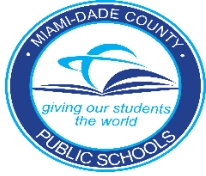
<http://www.cute-calendar.com/event/world-kindness-day/18525.html>

America Recycles – November 15, 2016

America Recycles: <http://americarecyclesday.org/>

America Recycles Day is on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/AmericaRecyclesDay>

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Transgender Day of Remembrance - November 20, 2016

GLAD: <http://www.glaad.org/tdor>

Human Rights Campaign: <http://www.hrc.org/campaigns/transgender-day-remembrance>

Transgender Day of Remembrance is on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/transdayofremembrance>

GLSEN: <http://www.glsen.org/node/7025>

Equality Action Florida: <http://www.eqfl.org/transactionfl>

The Alliance: <http://www.glbqtalliance.com/>

Switchboard: Helpline 305-646-3600 and <http://switchboardmiami.org/category/who-we-are/>

Safe Schools: <http://safeschoolssouthflorida.org/>

Pridelines: <http://www.pridelines.org/>

YES Institute: <http://www.yesinstitute.org/>

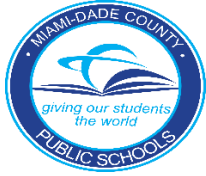
Jewish Community Services program: <http://jcsfl.org/programs/lgbt-adults-family/>

National Parental Involvement Day – November 21, 2016

National Education Association: <http://www.nea.org/tools/17360.htm>

Florida Department of Education Family Engagement/Parental Involvement:

<http://www.fldoe.org/schools/family-community/activities-programs/parental-involvement.stml>



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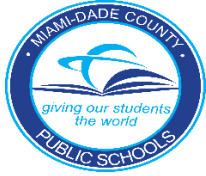
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December 2016

World AIDS Day – December 1, 2016
 aids.gov: <https://www.aids.gov/news-and-events/awareness-days/world-aids-day/index.html>
 Center for Disease Control: <http://www.cdc.gov/Features/WorldAidsDay/index.html>
 World Aids Day: <http://www.worldaidsday.org/>
 United Nations: <http://www.un.org/en/events/aidsday/>
 AIDSinfo: <https://aidsinfo.nih.gov/education-materials/hiv-aids-awareness-days/173/world-aids-day>
 AIDS 2016: <http://www.aids2016.org/>

Special Education Day - December 2, 2016
 Miami-Dade County Exceptional Student Education: <http://ese.dadeschools.net/>
 Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System/South: <http://fdlrs-south.dadeschools.net/>
 Exceptional Student Education - Florida Department of Education: <http://fldoe.org/academics/exceptional-student-edu/>
 Special Education Day: <http://specialeducationday.com/>
 National Association of Special Education Teachers: <http://www.naset.org/>

International Volunteer Day – December 5, 2016
 Miami-Dade County Public Schools: <http://www.dadeschools.net/community.asp>
 Miami-Dade County Gov. Parks and Recreations: <http://www.miamidade.gov/parks/volunteer.asp>
 United Nations: <http://www.unv.org/what-we-do/intl-volunteer-day.html>



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January 2017

No Name Calling Week - January 18-22, 2017

No Name Calling Week is on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/nonamecallingweek>

GLSEN <http://www.glsen.org/nonamecallingweek>

<https://nationalsave.org/event/no-name-calling-week/>

Dr. Martin Luther King Day – January 20, 2017

<http://www.nationalservice.gov/MLKDay>

<http://www.history.com/topics/black-history/martin-luther-king-jr>

<http://www.biography.com/people/martin-luther-king-jr-9365086>

National Mentoring Month - January 2017

Big Brothers Big Sisters: http://www.bbbs.org/site/c.9iILl3NGKhK6F/b.9357007/k.F57A/2016_National_Mentoring_Month.htm

Mass Mentors: <http://massmentors.org/content/national-mentoring-month-2016>

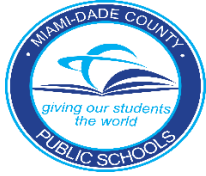
Federal Register: <https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2016/01/06/2016-00114/national-mentoring-month-2016>

Mentoring Resource Center: <http://mentoring.opcd.wfu.edu/national-mentoring-month-2016/>

Corporation National and Community Services: <http://www.nationalservice.gov/special-initiatives/national-mentoring-month>

http://www.nationalmentoringmonth.org/get_involved/thankyourmentorday/

<https://immentor.org/blog/national-mentoring-month-2016>



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National Thank You Month – January 2017

All About Autism: <https://allaboutautismbni.com/2015/01/29/national-thank-you-month/>

Work Smart, Live Smart <http://worksmartlivesmart.com/national-thank-you-month/>

Human Trafficking Prevention Month – January 2017

Miami-Dade Office of the Attorney General: <http://www.miamisao.com/services/humantrafficking/index.htm>

Miami-Dade Police Department: <http://www.miamidade.gov/police/problems-human-trafficking.asp>

Kristi House: <http://www.kristihouse.org/sex-trafficking/>

The National Child Traumatic Stress Network: <http://nctsn.org/resources/public-awareness/human-trafficking>

Federal Bureau of Investigation: https://www.fbi.gov/news/news_blog/human-trafficking-prevention-month-raising-awareness-of-a-devastating-crime

Florida Jewish History Month - January 2017

Florida International University: <http://jmof.fiu.edu/education/fjhm/>

<http://www.jewishheritagemonth.gov/about/>

Miami-Dade Public Schools: <http://socialsciences.dadeschools.net/weeklybrief.asp>