



Oaks Elementary...Be the Change Week!

January 14th -18th, 2019

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As a part of our Affective Education program, Oaks Elementary will kick off our "Be the Change Week" January 14-18, 2019. We invite all students, parents and the community to participate this week in an effort to end teasing, social aggression and bullying at our school. We are a No Place for Hate campus where our goal is to develop positive connections, understanding and tolerance for everyone. Throughout the week, our students and staff will be engaged in a variety of activities that will foster a safe positive environment for ALL at Oaks Elementary.

How can we make a difference?

Following the Oaks Vision:

"To foster a safe positive environment where students, family and community members are accepted. We are committed to developing an engaging community that inspires learning".

- **You Matter Monday, January 14:** "United we stand up against bullying." Pledge with your child to stand up & speak out against bullying.
 - Wear blue, National Anti-bullying color-to show it is important to you.
- **Twice as Nice Tuesday, January 15:** "Lasso a new buddy and say howdy!" Talk with your child on how to make a new friend.
 - Wear your favorite western clothing and commit to making a new friend at school.



- **Wacky Wednesday, January 16:** "Inside Out Day- Show that you are a good friend on both the inside and out." Share with your child on the characteristics of a good friend.
 - Wear clothing inside out or mix-matched, to show diversity.





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- **Team Up Thursday, January 17: "Team Up Against Bullying"**
 - Wear your favorite team shirt/jersey to show that you are ready to stand up and speak out against bullying.
 - OAKS PTA sponsors the Dennis Lee assembly on Bullying at 1:00 pm & 2:00 pm



- **Fun Friday, January 18: "Be Somebody's Super Hero!"**
 - Wear superhero shirts, capes or costumes to show that you are willing to be a true friend and help others in need!



Along with the dress up days, we will have important messages from our NPFH student members each day on the announcements!



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