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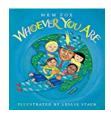
## Toking with Trees Be Bigger

## **Great Resources on RESPECT!**

"Be Bigger" - For lower and upper elementary students. Explores hurt feelings between friends and how to treat friends with respect.

"Do Unto Otters" - For lower and upper elementary students. Explores the common notion of "treat other as you want to be treated". Reviews respect and manners.





"Whoever You Are" – For lower elementary students. Explores the differences and similarities between children, whoever and wherever they live. Aims to teach children to respect differences.

Above information and additional information on RESPECT found here:

<a href="http://talkingtreebooks.com/best-character-education-resources/books-respect.html">http://talkingtreebooks.com/best-character-education-resources/books-respect.html</a>
You can look for additional resources at my website: <a href="http://bachemartinschoolc.wixsite.com/mysite">http://bachemartinschoolc.wixsite.com/mysite</a>

## **SCHOOL SELECTION INFO**

On Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, the School Selection Process opens and operates through an online portal and application. The process will be for 2018-2019 fall admission. This process will close on Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup>.

A few notes on the School Selection Process:

- ✓ Parents and students can log onto the school selection process through the student or parent portal found at <a href="https://www.philasd.org">www.philasd.org</a>
- ✓ The process is for application to School District of Philadelphia public schools, only! Charter schools, Catholic schools and private schools each have their own application process. Please contact those schools directly to for application details.
- ✓ You can apply for up to 5 School District schools
- ✓ If you are a parent of an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student and are applying to High Schools, please contact me so we can review your student's 7<sup>th</sup> grade transcript and discuss any questions you may have about admission criteria for Special Admission and City Wide high schools.
- ✓ THE HIGH SCHOOL FAIR IS SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>! Ask your 8<sup>th</sup> grader for the info they received from Ms. Cocca about dates and times!
- ✓ For more information, please visit: https://www.philasd.org/studentplacement/services/school-selection/