



FCPS K-5 Caring School Community Social Emotional Learning Curriculum Scope and Sequence

K-1	Weeks 1-10		Weeks 11-17		Weeks 18-23	
	NOTE: Weeks 1-30 should be taught sequentially					
	Starting the Year <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn rules and procedures • Get to know one another 	Building the Classroom and School Community <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn table jobs • Act in safe, friendly and responsible ways • Begin working in pairs • Learn cooperative structures • Get to know people who work in the school • Meet and begin working with older buddies 	Being a Responsible Learner and Community Member <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in activities that include read-aloud, drawings, writing, and mathematics • Practice social skills such as taking turns, looking at the speaker, and reporting what a partner said • Work independently for increasing lengths of time • Explore what it means to be responsible 	Getting to Know My Feelings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in activities that include body awareness, movement, and storytelling • Develop self-awareness • Recognize and name emotions • Cultivate positive emotions • Express emotions 		
K-1	Weeks 24-29			Week 30		
	NOTE: Weeks 1-30 should be taught sequentially					
	Caring About Others <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in activities that include read-aloud, writing, and mathematics • Imagine how others feel • Act in kind, caring and helpful ways • Express interest in others • Express appreciation for others 			Ending the year <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflect on the classroom community 		



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2-5	Beginning of the year	Topic Weeks (Can be taught in any order)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Week 1: Getting to know one another • Week 2: Agreeing on norms • Week 3: Taking care of our classroom and ourselves • Week 4: The home-school connection • Week 5: Making school a happy place • Week 6: Developing empathy • Week 7: Feelings and challenges • Week 8: People who work in our school • Week 9: Planning for buddies • Week 10: Meeting our buddies 	School Life	Character Education
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparing for assemblies • Preparing for field trips • Preparing for a substitute teacher • Preparing for tests (grades 4-5) • Returning from Vacation • Welcoming new students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alike and different (grades 2-3) • Friendship • Gratitude • Happiness and creativity (grades 2-3) • Kindness • Courage (grades 4-5) • Perseverance (grades 4-5)

2-5	Topic Weeks (Can be taught in any order)	Open Week	Closing Week
	Social Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mean behavior (grade 2) • Bullying (grades 3-5) • Cheating (grades 2-3) • Exclusion • Misbehavior outside of class • Mishandling belongings • Unkind speech • Resolving conflicts • Teasing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create your own week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflecting on the classroom community