

PEP TALK

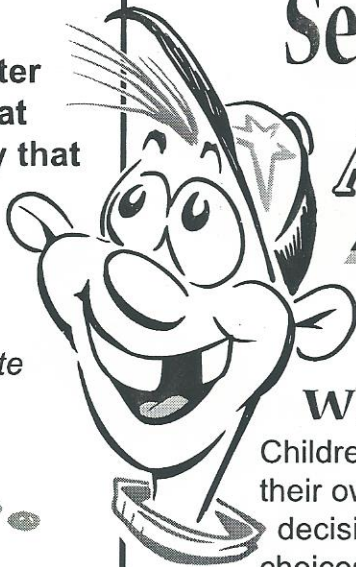
Parents and Educators Partner (PEP) and Talk

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What is PEP TALK?

PEP TALK is a monthly newsletter that links learning experiences at school with home. It is one way that Parents and Educators Partner and talk about needs, expectations, and instruction.

If you need to talk, please send a note to school. Call and schedule a visit with us.



Theme This Month

Self Awareness...

All About



Why is self awareness important?

Children learn self control and how to manage their own behavior. Help us learn to make decisions and assume responsibility for our choices.

Skills this month...

- * Name our body parts
- * Tell how we use our body parts
- * Name different clothing articles (shirt, pants, shoes)
- * Discuss how people are alike and different
- * Tell why every person is special



Parents encourage early language and literacy development by...

- * Reading and talking with your child
- * Having conversations and practicing listening
- * Modeling how to listen, think, do

Things we are learning to do:

- * Listen and look at the person talking
- * Speak with kind words and lower voice tones
- * Wait patiently for a turn to talk
- * Be a good friend and help others
- * Listen and think before we act



Connecting

Learning at School & Home

1. Read and talk with your child to build vocabularies & word meanings
2. Help us to describe things according to their shape, size, color, & how they are used.
3. Play rhyming word games to teach our ears to hear beginning & ending sounds in words (cat, bat, rat).
4. Use kind words to communicate expectations & needs.

