

## November 2017 Word of the Week

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| Sun.   | Mon.          | Tue.  | Wed.  | Thu.   | Fri.  | Sat.  |
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| 5 Social Skill for the month: HELPING OTHERS | 6 help Video  | 7 Make a collage of all the different ways we help others. song | Role play situations where people need help.  | 9 Talk about volunteering: volunteer ideas Pick a class activity to volunteer.   | Take photos and videos of students helping. Writing about it to send home!                                      | 11  |
| 12   | 13  vesterday | 14 today  | 15 Compare and Contrast video   | Take photos of students or activities each day to display during morning meeting. Make a timeline.                           | 17 Keep a journal: use text, drawings and photos. Have moveable tabs to denote Yesterday vs. Today              | phones of the past  past vs. present                              |
| 19   | 20            | 21  | 22  | 23   | 24  | 25  |
| 26   | 27<br>FAR     | 28 NEAR   | Continuing the concept of time and adding spacein the far past (long ago) vs. near past (recently) Compare History using a time line. | These words are relativeDallas is far unless compared with China. Map the school to see who/what is near and who/what is far | Dec 1  Play games that denote moving far or near.  Play in large spaces like the gym or on the playground games | near and far song young  video  website with historical timelines |
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November is of course all about Thanksgiving. <u>HELPING OTHERS</u> is a way to show gratitude and thankfulness just as the Indians and Pilgrims did so long ago. The concept of past and present are a focus this month. Teaching yesterday/today and far/near through the lens of history. Comparing how things were then to how they are now can be a fun and concrete way to learn these sometimes difficult concepts.