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Dear Families,

This week, our school community will focus on the Other People Mindset of ***Knowing That My Words and Actions Affect Others***, which means having an awareness that everything that we say and do can affect others — and our relationships with them.

Whether we speak, email, text, or post, our words and actions can have a positive or negative effect. The words and actions we choose can lift others up or bring them down, and they also impact us. When we all think carefully about our words and actions and show respect and care for those around us, we create a happier and healthier community.

To practice and encourage this Other People Mindset at home, please visit The Positivity Project's mobile-friendly P2 for Families (available in [English](#) and [Spanish](#)), where you will watch a video together and discuss a quote and three questions. Below are links to this week's P2 for Families lessons. Click on the grade level that best meets your child's needs.

Pre-K-K	Grades 1-2	Grades 3-5	Grades 6-8	Grades 9-12
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Thank you for your support!

Respectfully,

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Other People Mindset (OPM)

Knowing that my words and actions affect others



"The right word spoken at the right time can make all the difference in building people up. Choose well." -Michael Hyatt

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

Everything you say or do can help or hurt others - and your relationships with them.

WHY DOES IT MATTER?

Your words have an impact on the people around you. When you see a classmate working hard on something, let them know, "You're doing a great job!". Your kindness will help encourage them to keep going, and make your friendship stronger too!

