

Good Character means doing the right thing even when no one is looking.

Knowledge gives power and good character earns respect.

## Mrs. Chirichiello's School Counselor's Chronicles



**Kelly Kids are blasting off with Good Character !**

# 6 Pillars of Character Education

Kelly School is having School Spirit Days to help celebrate our monthly themes of the **6 Pillars of Character Education**. Please note that these clothing themed days are **optional** and there is no need to purchase any new clothing. Each color correlates to a specific character trait to guide students as a memory aide.

## RESPECT

**(October 1st)** - Wear Blue to "Stomp out Bullying" for World Day of Bullying Prevention.

**(October 2nd)** - Wear Yellow/Gold. Think of the Golden Rule: "Treat others the way you want to be treated." Use good manners, consider everyone's feelings, accept differences, use kind hands and kind words, honor age and authority.

## TRUSTWORTHINESS

**(Nov 1st)** - Wear Blue— True Blue— Tell the truth, do what you say you will do, stand up for your friends, family and country.

## CITIZENSHIP

**(Dec 3rd)** - Wear Purple— Think of the purple heart given to soldiers. Do your part for your school, community and country. Obey the laws and rules. Protect the environment.

## FAIRNESS

**(Jan 3rd)** - Wear Orange— Think of dividing an orange into equal sections to share fairly with friends. Play by the rules, take turns and share, stand up for others, win or lose but do it fairly.

## CARING

**(Feb 1st)** - Wear Red— Think of a heart. Be kind, help others, listen to others, say something nice, show you care, forgive others.

## RESPONSIBILITY

**(March 1st)** - Wear Green— Think of being responsible for your garden or money. Do what you are supposed to do, always do your best, use self-control, think before you act, be accountable for your choices, do your homework and chores.