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IONVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

AT IONVIEW,
BE THE CHANGE YOU WISH TO SEE IN
THE WORLD!

Hello Ionview!

Another week of Remote Learning has come and gone. Having had the opportunity to visit a number of classes this week what stands out is the positivity that our students continue to display. We see many smiles and the energy that we get to enjoy everyday when learning in person remains.

The week of May 3rd to 7th is Children's Mental Health week and I know our teachers will be sharing a variety of activities that students can do both as a class, individually, and with their families. We encourage students and their families, if able, to get outside to unplug from technology and enjoy fresh air and outdoor amenities when able to do so.

We will continue to update the community as we receive updates regarding vaccinations, access to resources, and any other learning opportunities that are available to the Ionview community. A reminder, which we will resend the various parent/guardian information sessions being organized by our community support work Mr. Keane next week. These sessions are designed to be timely and supportive to the needs of the community.

Ionview be well, stay safe, and we will see you soon!

Mr. Gordon and Ms. Fox-Casey

BUILD CHARACTER
BUILD SUCCESS

Character Trait for May

Integrity

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY GOES TO:

Have a wonderful birthday Ionview Scholars! Your birthday pencil awaits once we return to school

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May 7th



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Summer School Opportunity:** For interested Ionview families please see link to summer school offerings for the summer of 2021. Most programs run from 9 to 12 in the month of July. This link will take you to the full list of summer school programs and the area of focus. Please note that each school has an individual registration link and space is on a first come first served basis. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to us:

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Innovation/Elementary-Summer-School>

2. **May's Character Trait of the Month is Integrity:** Integrity is the act of following ones moral and ethical convictions and doing the right thing in all circumstances regardless of whether some is watching or not. Some simple ways to build integrity for students at home:
 - **Establish Positive Habits:** Much of integrity is the building of positive habits. Constantly doing positive actions leads to positive outcomes in life.
 - **Boost Empathy:** By promoting empathy children are more likely to halt behaviours that are hurtful to others.
 - **Know What you Stand For:** As parents have a list of virtues and beliefs that act as our moral code and by having this, we are able to model, guide and teach our children
 - **Walk the Talk:** If our children see us (parents) living a life of integrity they are more likely to strive towards living this way
 - **Let Your Word Stand:** Follow through is the baseline for integrity. Whether it is reading a story later or following through on a consequence---follow through is integrity in action
3. **Bike Safety:** With warmer weather on it's way children will be outside participating in activities such as bike riding. A couple of tips to ensure the safety of our kids:
 - Make sure all children/youth under the age of 18 wear a helmet as the Ontario law requires this
 - Ensure children are riding in a safe space
 - Teach children how to steer, break and ride in a straight line
 - Do a safety check everytime they ride a bike, scooter or skateboard to ensure they are in good working order
 - Always walk a bike across an intersection
 - Be a good role model - wear a helmet and safety gear yourself. Children copy what adults do.

IONVIEW POSITIVE WORDS

