

Restorative Justice Edgemont Elementary School



RJ circle this week!

Welcome to the Week of Respect. In our circles we dove a bit deeper into The 3 Bee's and what it means to be a respectful peacemaker in our Montessori school.

Respect is treating others as you and they want to be treated.

A **peacemaker** is someone who creates peace by ending conflict.

Mindfulness- Letting go breath. Relax and as you exhale allow yourself to let go of anything that is "stuck" to you.

Team Building Game: Respect 4 corners.

Check in questions of the week:

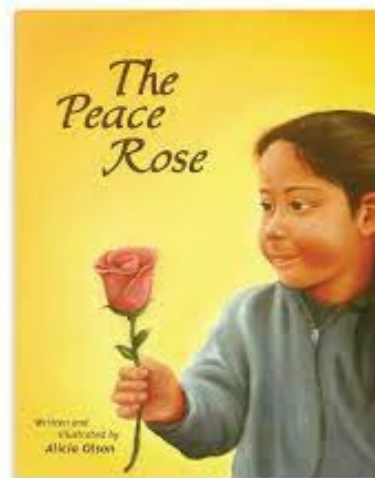
Name. How are you? How do you want to be treated at school?

What is your favorite cookie?

Activity/Discussion: Scenarios-

The Montessori practice of using a peace rose as a means to solve problems or end conflict was introduced, discussed and practiced in circle this week. Classes each received a rose and a book thanks to the PTA! The photo shows our 5th graders in action using the peace rose in their classroom.

Book: [The Peace Rose](#)



Restorative Justice (RJ) is an indigenous philosophy that emphasizes building relationships. If there is a need to repair harm caused by conflict and wrongdoing, restorative justice provides an opportunity for everyone impacted by an incident to come together in a safe space to address their feelings and needs, and reach a resolution that heals and restores relationships.