O.H. Anderson Equity and Innovation

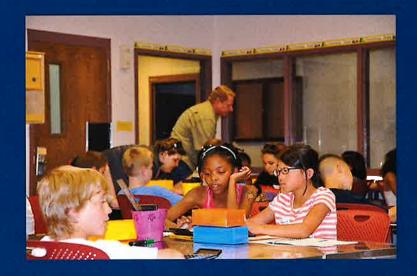
Mahtomedi School Board Presentation Thursday, Jan. 4th, 2018

Learning Targets

- We will have a shared understanding of some of the strategies and resources to support the work of equitable instructional practices and an inclusive school community
- We will have a shared understanding of how we are fostering innovation and creativity through a Media Center Maker Space

Equity

- Student-centered instructional strategies and equitable learning environments
 - Group work / practices
 - All voices heard
 - Talking Stick
 - Talking Tokens
 - Task Cards



Equity-Second Step

A researched-based curriculum to explicitly teach and practice social-emotional competencies



- All students grades 3-5
- 15-20 Lessons per grade level
- Aligns with social-emotional standards

Second Step Lessons/Concepts

Accepting Differences

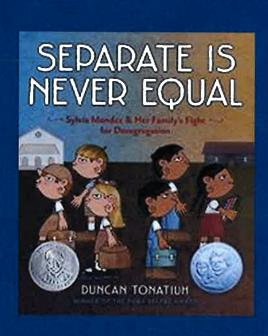
- Having Empathy
- Accepting Differences
- Predict how others may feel when teased for being different

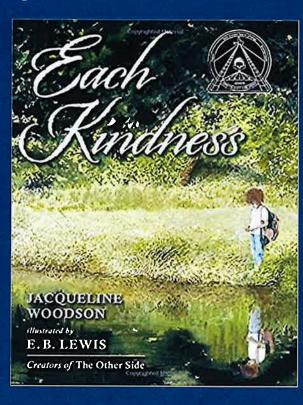
Showing Compassion

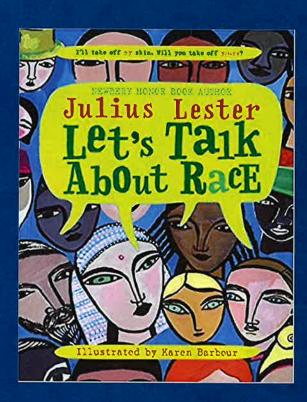
Using kind words and actions



Equity-Diversity Lessons







Innovation-Imagine, Creativity, Critical Thinking

Discovery and the joy of learning...

Codeybots are robotic tools that support imagination, creativity, and critical thinking skills.



Group competition



Individual music interpretation

Discovering speech recognition

O.H. Anderson Mission

At O.H. Anderson we educate the whole child in a positive and safe learning environment where we value academic and social growth.



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