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MAKE YOUR mental health A PRIORITY

SEL LAUNCHPAD

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Virtual Calming Room Hope these help you

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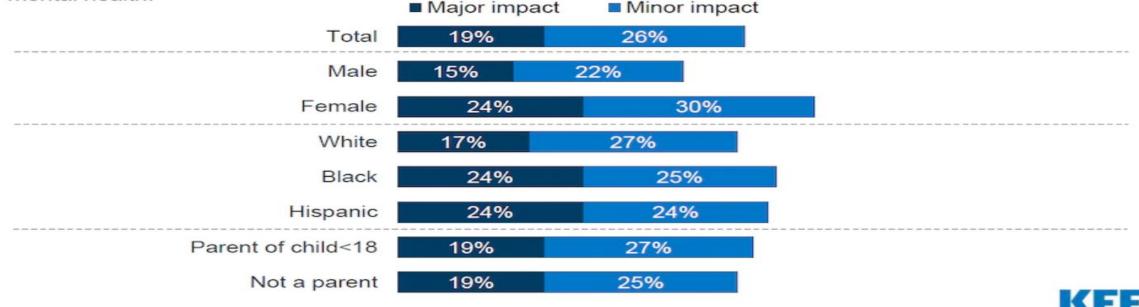
Mental Health Data

Recent Harris Poll says 7 out of 10 teens report having mental health struggles since COVID 19 (in addition to the poll below)

Figure 8

Significant Shares Say The Coronavirus Has Had A Negative Impact On Their Mental Health

Percent who say they feel that worry or stress related to coronavirus has had a negative impact on their mental health:



SOURCE: KFF Health Tracking Poll (conducted March 25-30, 2020). See topline for full question wording.

Emotional Intelligence Competencies THOUGHTS



THE MORE HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS A CHILD HAS, THE MORE LIKELY THEY WILL RECOVER FROM TRAUMA AND THRIVE.

Bruce D Perry

Anchor Point Adult

With all the crazy things happening right now it is easy for a student to get lost or drift off. Creating a strong connection to a calm, caring educator is critical.

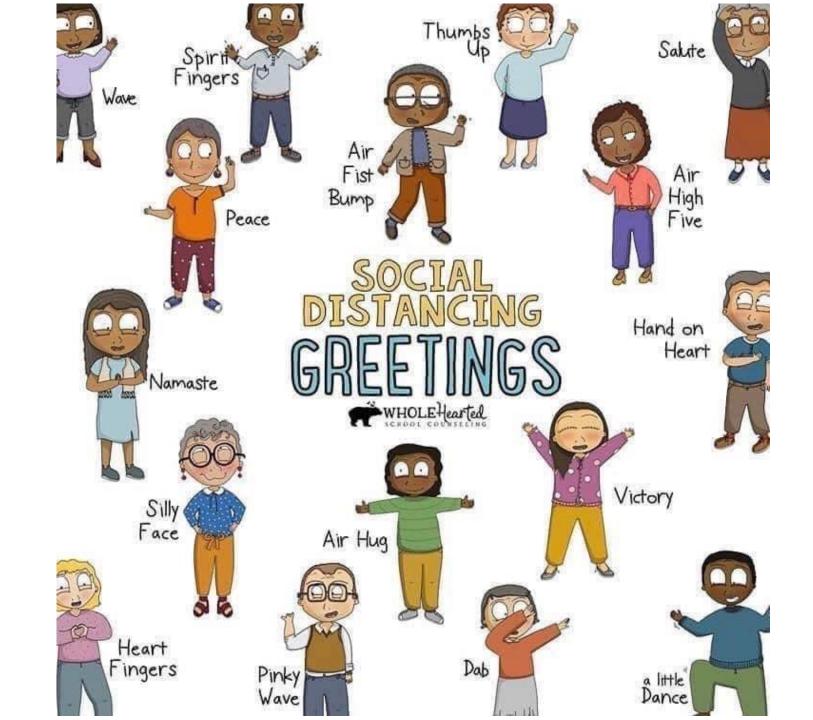
Each adult is assigned a group of students, that are their students. Whether they are remote, in person, or blended they need to have a meaningful check in on their students regularly. They make note of student needs and connect them to resources. They help students navigate assignments and the virtual classroom. They monitor student access, health, safety, and mental health. They create safety, trust, and connection. THE ANCHOR POINT ADULT

Building relationships remotely

- Phone Calls (easy and hard to beat)
- Post Cards (mail moves mountains- donors choose- pizza delivery- drive, jog, bike by deposits- let's go for a walk)
- Games & Interactive Kit (Skittles Colors- Netflix hangout, Scattergories, Bingo, Pictionary, code names)
- Zoom Hang Outs Apples to Apples, Pet Parade, Binge or Cringe,
- Circles (shout outs, roses and thorns, appreciate-apology-aha, would you rather, campfire, most likely to etc....)
- Scavenger hunts Bitmoji Classrooms- "put a finger down" all trendy ideas.

SKITTLES GETTING TO KNOW YOU

FOR EVERY		TELL US
Red		One thing that makes you HAPPY.
Orange		One thing that makes you SAD.
Green		One thing that makes you ANGRY.
Yellow		One thing that makes you EXCITED.
Purple		One thing that makes you AFRAID.



How to Co-Regulate

Provide Warm, Responsive Relationship

Structure the Environment Teach/Coach Self-Regulation Skills Put a finger down if during school closures: You got a new pet Watched all episodes of Tiger King Stayed in bed until after 2pm more than 5 times Had an awkward family event over zoom Made a homemade mask If your cell phone usage averaged over 8hrs Had to use a toilet paper "alternative" **Completed a puzzle** If you now hate the word "unprecedented" If you found yourself missing school





Anchor Point Strategy

Week at a glance

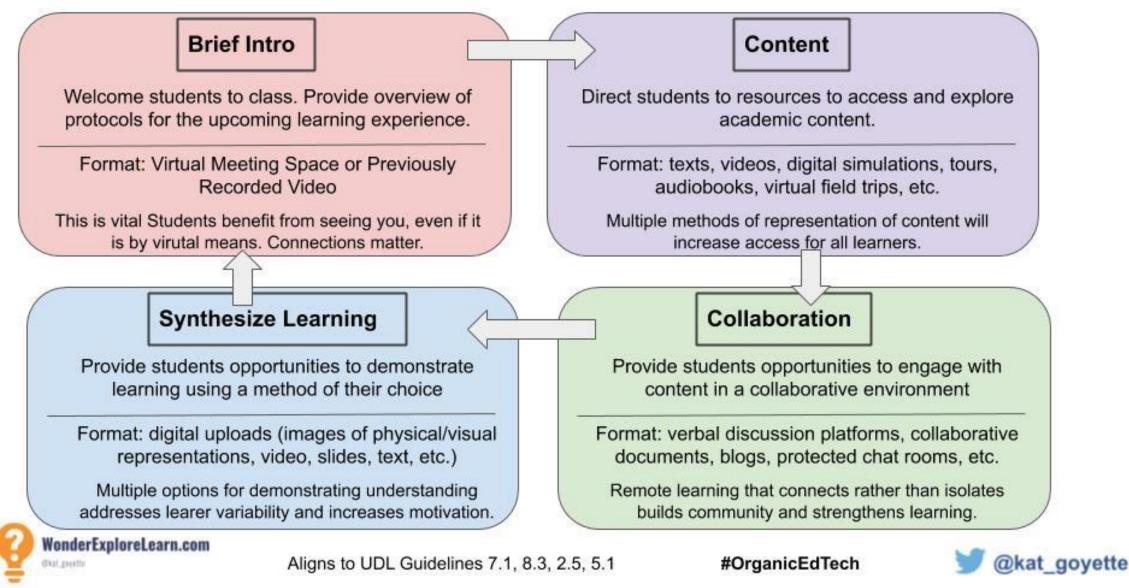
- Every child Anchor Point Calm Caring Connected Educator
 - "Adopt" your students- these are your kids- much fewer students to check on but much deeper check in. (instead of checking on all 180- deeper check on <30)
- Check in Monday- Zoom-etc... (hybrid this could whichever in person day)
 - How are you doing? What do you need? (health, mental health, technology etc..)
 - Introduce the SEL lesson and add your authentic self and experience
- Asynchronous SEL Lesson
 - Online with research based virtual design
 - (School-Connect "EQ from Home or School" or other)
- Office Hours
 - Any questions or support? One on one chat- check in follow up.
- Check Out Friday
 - Collaborative discussion with support materials-
 - What did you find important, what did you disagree with, what do you want to learn more about, how can you apply this SEL lesson in your life.

Check In- by Coach Rudy

Click image for "how to host a check in" video

- Find a talking piece or virtual
- Norms:
 - Open up and speak your truth
 - The speaker has our full and undivided attention and support
 - What is said in circle stays in the circle
- Everyone shares
- How are you feeling on a scale of 1-10 today, give me a feeling word (ie I am feeling about a five, I am somewhat <u>frustrated</u>).
- Tell me why you think you are feeling that way.
- Knock for support or "jazz hands" in virtual (facilitator help)

Remote Learning Lesson Design



School-Connect's Digital Solution for SY 2020/21 "EQ from Home and School"

36 S-C Digital Solution Modules and every lesson includes: Video Based Instruction designed for seamless transition from remote to hybrid to in person Research/Evidence based lessons Collaborative "check in's" & "check outs" strategy and prompts Writable PDF's compatible with LMS and Google Classroom Video Close Captioning in English and Spanish Handouts also available in Spanish



Lessons facilitated by SELMaster Teacher and School-Connect Co-Author, R. Keeth Matheny. To support users, S-C Digital Solution subscriptions include opportunities to attend scheduled training webinars with Keeth.



Current, relevant, proactive, and research based SEL and mental health supports for students in a time of real need.

https://school-connect.net/digital-solution



School-Connect's NEW EQ from Home or School

DS1: Returning to Learning with Trauma-Informed Supports

DS1.1: Getting to Know You DS1.2: Checking in with Ourselves and Others DS1.3: Moving from Surviving to Thriving

DS2: Creating a Supportive Learning Environment

DS2.1: Agreeing on Common Goals DS2.2: Tuning In To Others DS2.3: Practicing Active Listening DS2.4: Utilizing Collaboration Skills

DS3: Studying Effectively Remotely and/or On Campus

DS3.1: Managing time DS3.2: Focusing and Prioritizing DS3.3: Studying Smart DS3.4: Preparing for Tests

DS4: Managing Stress Amidst COVID and in the Future

DS4.1: Understanding the Cause and Effects of Stress

DS4.2: Gaining Mastery Over Stressors DS4.3: Analyzing Emotional Management Strategies DS4.4: Applying Emotional Management Strategies DS4.5: Incorporating Mindfulness

DS5: Bouncing Back from Challenges

DS5.1: Bouncing Rather Than Breaking DS5.2: Understanding Grief and Loss DS5.3: Recognizing Healthy and Unhealthy Levels of Emotions DS5.4: Tending and Befriending

DS6: Building an Empathetic and Inclusive Community

DS6.1: Understanding Empathy for Others DS6.2: Appreciating Diversity DS6.3: Preparing for Courageous Conversations DS6.4: Tapping into Problem-Solving Skills DS6.5: Apologizing and Forgiving

DS7: Navigating Relationships in tight quarters

DS7.1: Understanding Group Dynamics DS7.2: Making Relationship Deposits

DS7.3: Building a Family Social Contract DS7.4: Solving Problems and Boosting Relationships DS7.5: Using Your Resiliency Skills

DS8: Making Plans for Your Future

DS8.1: Envisioning Your Future DS8.4: Setting and Achieving Life Goals DS8.5: Taking Full Responsibility DS8.6: Staying the Course and Choosing Wisely

EQ@Home or School School-Connect's NEW Digital Solution Click HERE to learn more!



Shelter in place learning

More focus on SEL More virtual support More student choice & games More collaboration Less Synchronous and More Asynchronous More flexibility and understanding Less busy work & repetition Less grading more feedback

Tips: Teach virtual procedures Create a virtual social contract



You make the difference!

Please help us reach more!

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ExSELent Things to Google

- CASEL
 - (collaborative for academic social and emotional learning)
 - <u>www.casel.org</u>

School-Connect

- (Research and evidence based curriculum used in the class-co-author- now in over 2000 secondary schools)
- www.school-connect.net
- Confident Kids Confident Parents
 - <u>https://confidentparentsconfidentkids.org/</u>
- Social and Emotional Learning, Austin ISD
 - <u>www.austinisd.org/academics/sel</u>

- Teaching Tolerance ***
 - <u>www.tolerance.org</u>
- National Dropout Prevention Webinar Solutions
 - December 2015 Episode
- Eric Jensen (Teaching with Poverty in mind / Engagement)
- Aspen Institute SEAD
 - <u>http://nationathope.org/</u>
- SEL Launchpad (my website)
 - <u>www.SELlaunchpad.com</u>

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