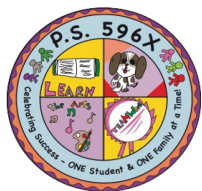


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Dear P596X Families,

What is the book of the month?

We have selected books that relate to our ReThink social/emotional curriculum. Bi-monthly, teachers and coaches will collaborate to unpack each book and design lessons, adaptations and resources to support the book's topics. Our goal is to build on our students' knowledge and understanding of social emotional concepts through literacy, vocabulary, writing, and discussions!

How can you get involved?

We would really love for the activities we complete at school, to also be reinforced at home. For starters, tune in to hear Principal John read the March/April Book ***Every Little Letter*** by ***Deborah Underwood*** during a special pajama read aloud! You can find this video on our school website: www.p596x.org. Below, you will find resources and activities for the book. This includes the targeted vocabulary words, and some fun activities you can do at home or in the community with your child!

Here's the plan...

	<p>March - April Book of the Month: <i>Every Little Letter</i> by Deborah</p>	
<p>Domain Area: Self-Management Focus Area: Problem Solving</p>		
<p>CRSE Connection: Demonstrate cooperation and teamwork by using active listening and communication skills to resolve conflict.</p>		

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Academic Vocabulary Words	letters, wall, words, same, different, little, big, city, built, idea, love, trust, tear, brick, sad, safe, afraid, wonder, together, friend, protect, courage, cooperate, pleasant, dangerous, hopeless, curious, extraordinary
Objective	Students will learn how to cooperate with others to solve a problem.
Suggested Activities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Read Every Little Letter with your child or watch the YouTube Video by clicking on the link below. Every Little Letter• Identify a problem and talk about the steps to solve it with your child Example: If I am hungry I can... If I don't feel well I can...• Have your child go on an alphabet hunt. Hide letters around your home and work together to find them!
Supplemental Texts: <i>We're Better Together</i> by Eileen Spinelli https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GiA_sa1uyGA <i>Stuck</i> by Oliver Jeffers https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZbjgDn0rqFg <i>That Fruit is Mine</i> by Anuska Allepuz https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YgGziHxpB0k	