

# HAZELWOOD EARLY CHILDHOOD

**Family Support PBIS Newsletter** 



# **NOVEMBER: "TAKE CARE OF YOUR SCHOOL" MONTH**

### **Practicing Spot's Rules**

#### Take Care of your HOME by:

- Cleaning up your toys.
- Cleaning your room.
- Helping rake leaves.

#### Take Care of your SCHOOL by:

- Walking on the sidewalk to stay off of flower, rock and fences.
- Throwing trash in the trash cans.
- Putting your coat and backpack in your cubby.
- Walking in the hall with a quiet "inside voice."

# **Behavior Tips for Picky Eaters**

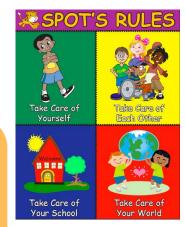
- Avoid power struggles by giving kids choices about what they eat. You pick the options and they make the choice.
- ★ Involve children in planning, shopping and preparing the food. Kids are more willing to eat if they help to cook the meals.
- ★ Introduce one new food item per meal and encourage them to to try one bite. If they won't try it then have them at least touch or kiss it. This helps to desentize them to new/non-preferred foods.
- ★ Create a healthy snack box that kids can choose from, filled with "parent approved" treats. Put the box in an accessible location for your child.
- ★ Kids like to "dip" foods! Provide lite ranch dressing for veggies or yogurt for fruit.

## Books & Videos for Teaching "Take Care of Your School"

Lola Goes to School

A school song: "My School Is Fun" by Alyssa Liang

<u>Clean Up is Fun - Children's Cleaning Song - Kids</u> <u>Songs by The Learning Station</u>





# Community Resources for Domestic Violence

- National Domestic Violence Hotline: 800-799-7233 Hotline Website
- ALIVE: <u>Programs and Services</u>
- Legal Advocacy for Abused Women
- ➤ Legal Services of Eastern Missouri
- Crime Victims Center
- > Redevelopment Opportunities for Women
- > Safe Connections
- > Saint Martha's Hall
- Weinman Center at UMSL