



## **Embedding Tier 1 Expectations within Academic Lessons**

*A few ideas to get started...*

### **Social Studies**

1. Discuss how an historical event occurred because of conflict. Generate solutions about how the conflict could have been resolved
2. Identify a character in history who exemplified a Tier 1 expectation (i.e., Respect, Responsible, Caring, etc.).

### **Language Arts and Reading**

1. Discuss how characters in a novel demonstrated or did not demonstrate respect. Have students rewrite the story with the character showing respect.
2. Assign a reading in which the moral of the story aligns with a Tier 1 expectation.

### **Fine Arts (Music, Art, Computers, Graphics)**

1. Students compose a song/rap, poem, etc. using the expectations.
2. Students design a poster depicting one of the expectations.

### **Science and/or Math**

1. Students count the number of tickets redeemed monthly for prizes and graph them. Include the ratio of tickets to student, number of tickets distributed per teacher, etc.
2. Use the scientific method to investigate a Tier 1 problem behavior.

### **Service Learning**

1. Older students develop story/picture books using the expectations to share with younger students.
2. Pair a high school student with an elementary student to model the expectations.

### **FCAT Writing Prompt**

1. Persuasion: Students identify what they think the school's expectations should be and why.
2. Expository: Student identify the school's expectations and describe what each expectation means to them.

### **General**

1. Use each expectation as a "Word of the Week" on word walls
2. Look up synonyms and antonyms for the expectations