



1 - SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL)

# **OBJECTIVES**

- WHAT IS SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING?
- THE PARENT'S ROLE: SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING AMONG YOUTH AND ADOLESCENTS
- POST-PANDEMIC: SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING TRENDS/CHALLENGES/OUTCOMES
- THE EDUCATOR'S IMPLEMENTATION OF SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING WITH STUDENTS

# SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING

- ADOLESCENT CHILDREN MAKE UP 16% (1.24 BILLION) OF THE GLOBAL POPULATION
- SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING IS A SKILL SET ASSOCIATED WITH HUMAN DEVELOPMENT BY SUPPORTING ACADEMIC SUCCESS AND OVERALL WELL-BEING
- SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING IS DESIGNED TO POSITIVELY IMPACT AN INDIVIDUAL'S
   PERSONAL AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AS WELL AS INCREASE HIS OR HER COMPETENCY LEVEL
   TO MAKE POSITIVE LIFE CHOICES

# **EXAMPLES OF SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL SKILL TOPICS**

- SELF-ESTEEM
- FRIENDSHIP
- GROWTH MINDSET
- MINDFULNESS
- ANGER MANAGEMENT
- STRESS REDUCTION
- CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT
- COPINGSKILLS

#### SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING BUY-IN AND SUCCESS PROCESSES

- RECOGNIZING THE SIGNIFICANCE OF FAMILY AND COMMUNITY
  - STAKEHOLDERS: YOUTH, PARENTS, SCHOOLS, EDUCATORS, AND COMMUNITY
- NEGOTIATING SENSITIVE REALITIES ASSOCIATED WITH SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT
  - WHAT IS OUR YOUTH FACED WITH IN TODAY'S SOCIETY?
- FACILITATING TIME AND CARE
  - LISTENING AND INTERPRETING THE EXPERIENCES OF OTHERS
- ACCOUNTABILITY
  - ARE YOU SERVICING IN YOUR ROLE TO THE HIGHEST DEGREE ?

# THE PARENT'S ROLE: YOUR CHILD'S SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING COMPASS

### **UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD**

- CHILDREN ARE SENSITIVE TO SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCES AS A RESULT OF HOW
  THEIR BRAINS PROCESS STABILITY (CONTINUANCE WITHOUT CHANGE) AND PLASTICITY (THE
  BRAIN'S ABILITY TO CHANGE OR ADAPT)
- CHILDREN BUILD THEIR IDENTITIES, ESTABLISH BEHAVIORS, GAIN SOCIAL KNOWLEDGE, AND SHAPE BELIEFS BASED ON THEIR SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCES
- THE "I KNOW MY CHILD" PHENOMENON

AS A PARENT, YOU ARE YOUR CHILD'S GREATEST ADVOCATE FOR HIS OR HER SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

# PLEASE CONSIDER:

- DOES YOUR HOME ENVIRONMENT PROMOTE HEALTHY SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCES FOR YOUR CHILD?
- HOW DO OR HOW WOULD YOU ADDRESS SOCIAL OR EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCES CONCERNING YOUR CHILD?
- HOW DO OR HOW WOULD YOU RATE YOUR CHILD'S ABILITY TO MANAGE SOCIAL OR EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCES?
- WHAT SUPPORT MAY BE NEEDED TO HELP ME WITH MY CHILD'S SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT?

# POST-COVID: SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING TRENDS/CHALLENGES/OUTCOMES

# **OUR WORLD CHANGED FOREVER**

- THE COVID PANDEMIC RESULTED IN A WIDESPREAD PANIC, THREAT, AND INTERRUPTON OF NORMS
- IMPACT ON GLOBAL COMMERCE
  - SOCIAL MEDIA DOMINATION
  - EMPLOYMENT DEPLETION
  - BANK FREEZES/RECESSION
  - DIGITAL CURRENCY RISES AS THE "NEW" WORLD RESET
- IMPACT ON EDUCATION
  - SCHOOL DISTRICTS ARE FORCED TO INTEGRATE AND MOVE TO VIRTUAL AND ONLINE TEACHING/LEARNING PLATFORMS
  - ON-SITE LEARNING IS NO LONGER "SAFE"
  - STUDENTS' ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES ARE FRACTURED
  - EDUCATORS ARE OVER-EXTENDED
- IMPACT ON MENTAL HEALTH
  - INCREASED STRESS
  - HEALTH AND PHYSIOLOGICAL CONCERNS
  - ISOLATION

- TRAUMA
- GRIEF
- DEPRESSION

#### POST-COVID: ADVANCING CHILD SUCCESS AND DEVELOPMENT

- SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING GUIDANCE FROM EXPERTS SHOULD BE A PRIORITY
- MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO UNDERSTAND YOUR EMOTIONS AS WELL AS YOUR CHILD'S EMOTIONS
- SUPPORT THE EDUCATORS IN YOUR SCHOOL DISTRICT
- MAINTAIN SENSITIVITY TOWARDS THE SCHOOL CLIMATE
- UTILIZE COMMUNITY RESOURCES AND FORM PARTNERSHIPS

# EDUCATORS: HOW WE IMPLEMENT SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING IN OUR SCHOOL

#### RICHMOND COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM

SANFORD HARMONY SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING CURRICULUM

PANORAMA EDUCATION STUDENT SUCCESS

#### **SANFORD HARMONY**

Unit 1

Diversity & Inclusion

Unit 2

**Empathy & Critical Thinking** 

Unit 3

Communication

Unit 4

**Problem Solving** 

Unit 5

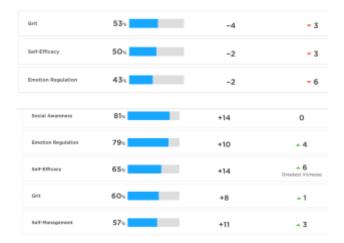
**Peer Relationships** 

# **PANORAMA EDUCATION**



# 2 - **FALL 2021 RESULTS**

# **GRADES 3-5**



3 - **PRE-K - GRADE 2** 



#### 4 - MERRY OVERVIEW

#### PRE-K - GRADE 5

#### SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING: OUR PROJECTION AT A. BRIAN MERRY ELEMENTARY

- ENHANCED STUDENT ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE
- CULTURE RESPONSIVE EXPOSURE AND AWARENESS FOR ALL STUDENTS
- PEER ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES
- ADVANCING THE TEACHER-STUDENT RELATIONSHIP

# **PARENT RESOURCES**



#### PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME

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# **QUESTIONS / COMMENTS**

THANK YOU

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