

Dear Lockeland Families.

October 24th- 28th Lockeland will participate in the annual Red Ribbon Week campaign. Red Ribbon Week is an important tradition as a national symbol of early drug prevention. Red Ribbon Week began in 1985 to honor fallen DEA Agent Enrique Camarena. Citizens in his hometown of Calexico, California decided to honor his memory by wearing Red Ribbons the last week of October. The Red Ribbons symbolize the need to reduce the demand for bad drugs through prevention and early intervention. By participating in Red Ribbon Week, students pledge to make safe and healthy choices for life.

We have planned an exciting week which includes daily dress out themes to support and guide students to make life long healthy choices. Students who participate in the daily dress up themes do not have to wear standard school attire during Red Ribbon Week. Lockeland students will participate in activities that encourage healthy living and making safe choices for life. Classroom Guidance lessons will focus on the correct use of medicines, who can give students medicine, and safe & unsafe choices.



Lockeland's 2016 Red Ribbon Daily Themes are:



Monday, October 24th - LOVE YOUR SELFIES / RED RALLY

Wear as much red clothing as you can to show your support for Red Ribbon Week – all students will sign a healthy living pledge

Tuesday, Oct. 25th - LEADERS SOCK IT TO UNHEALTHY CHOICES

Wear crazy socks

Wednesday, Oct. 26th - MY FUTURE IS BRIGHT WITH MY GOALS IN SIGHT

Wear your college team gear (jerseys, t-shirts, hats, or colors)

Thursday, Oct. 27th – LEADERS SLEEP ON UNSAFE CHOICES

Wear your pajamas (Please remember that real shoes must be worn (no slippers) and PJ's must be school appropriate)

<u>Friday, Oct. 28th – OUR CHARACTER COUNTS- LEADERS MAKE HEALTHY</u> CHOICES

Dress up as your favorite book character to wrap up our exciting week! (Students will participate in a school wide parade at 8:15am, please join us! ②)

Please join us in spreading the message about the importance of living a healthy lifestyle by showing your support for Red Ribbon Week!!!!

Thank you!

Ms. Denning-Lockeland School Counselor

Public Notice/Accessibility Statement

To request an accommodation please contact your building principal Christie C. Lewis at 258-1330. (Interpreters for the deaf or hard of hearing must be requested seventy-two [72] hours prior to the event.)