Building Community

PBIS expectations can also be taught throughout

Lesson Topic	Lesson Objective	Related Literature	Common Language	Practice / Activities	Other Ideas
1. Meet-Up Expectations	Create expectation chart for meet-ups: *sounds like *looks like *how to transition Kindness, Effort, Respect, Responsibility	The Day You Begin by Jacqueline Woodson Read Aloud	Kindness Listening Respectful Supportive Participate	-Create an Anchor Chart with Meet-Up expectations	15-20 min max Tie in what we normally do into lesson
2. Getting to Know Each Other!	Students will learn about each other: *similarities *differences *common activities	The Name Jar by Yangsook Choi Read Aloud A Bad Case of Stripes by Sean Astin Read Aloud	Kindness Listening Respectful Supportive Participate	Artifact Assignment: Bring in a special "artifact" from your house (Tie in to VS.2f). Must fit into a brown paper lunch bag - Design your bag to show special things about yourself. 2-3 students volunteer each day to share their bags and artifacts.	

3. What is a Community?	Students will define from what they already know what a community is and how it works. Students will identify their class as their school community. Students will create a community by helping create expectations for the classroom, share ways to handle problems, and discuss ways to work as a community.	THE ECT OF	Cooperation Respect Encouragement	Video What is a community? Video Creating positive classroom community Create Community Poster defining the words (Ex. work in pairs, assign a word to each student)	-Entourage: Similar to rock, paper, scissors – except when you lose you start cheering for the person who beat them. You become their "entourage." Eventually, there are only 2 students left and a whole lot of cheering! Discussion: What are some situations when you might need an entourage at school? -Kid President video - 20 Things We Should Say More Often
4. We live in a Diverse World!	Students will identify how they are unique. Take it a step further and discuss why differences are important, and how we still function and thrive together.	We're all Wonders R.J. Palacio Read Aloud	Diverse Respect	- Create a team name and/or motto for your class. Design a banner to hang outside of your classroom showing off your name and motto. Consider a vote if there are many options! -Consider taking your class on a walk to view the mottos of other classrooms.	