

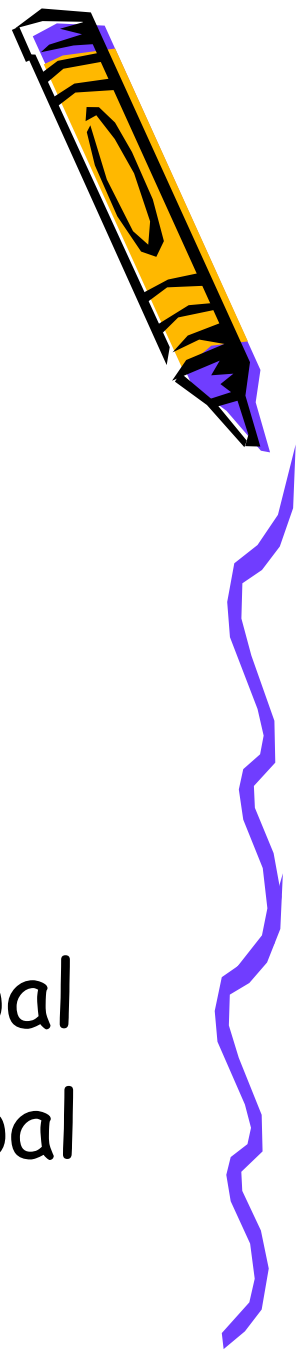
# Be a Friend, Not a Bully!



# At Utica & Newton Elementary Schools...



# Our Leaders Are...



- Mr. Hartley, Superintendent
- Ms. Gorius, Newton Elem. Principal
- Mr. Ballinger, Utica Elem. Principal



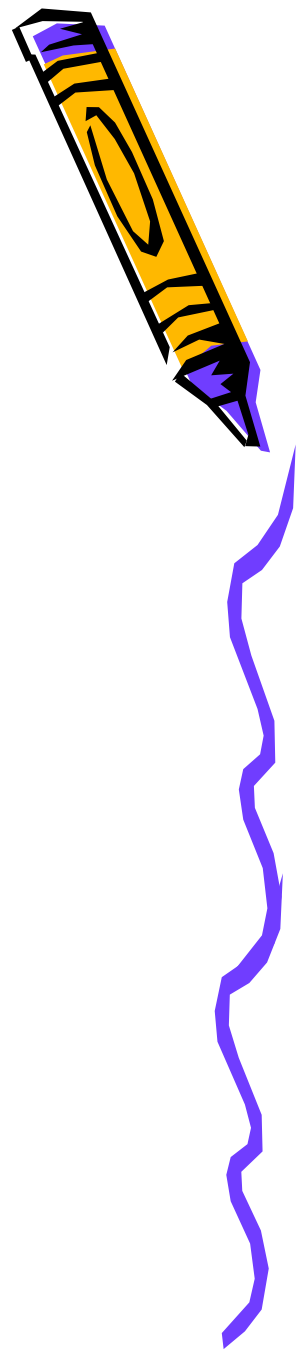
We strive to Keep  
Utica Redskins Safe!



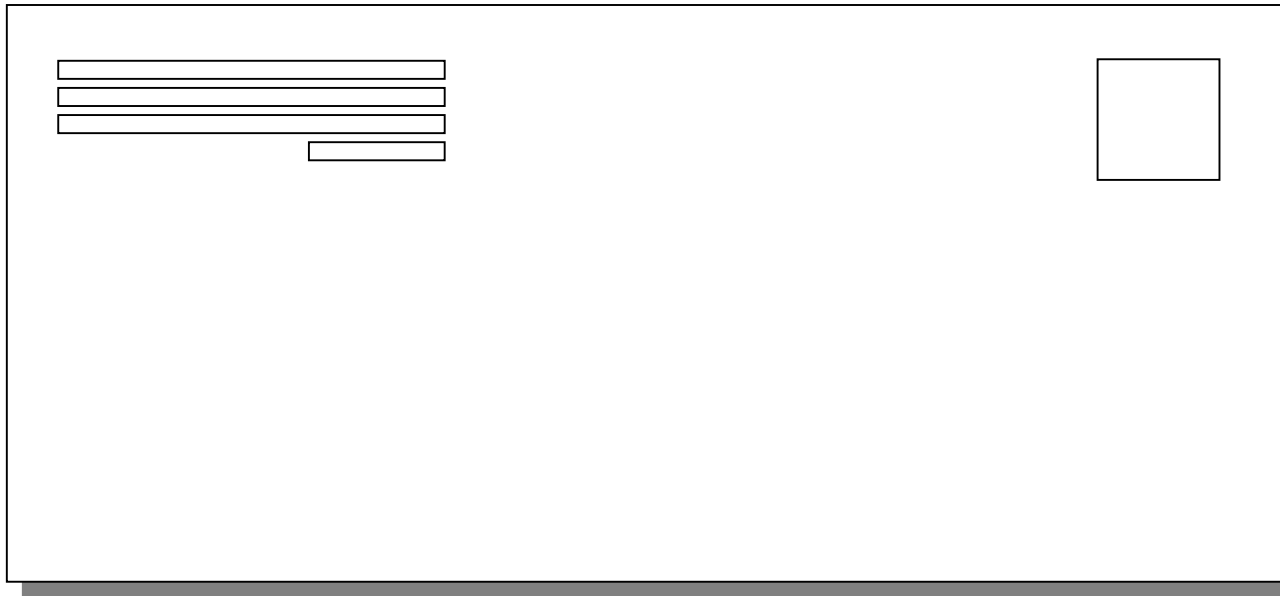
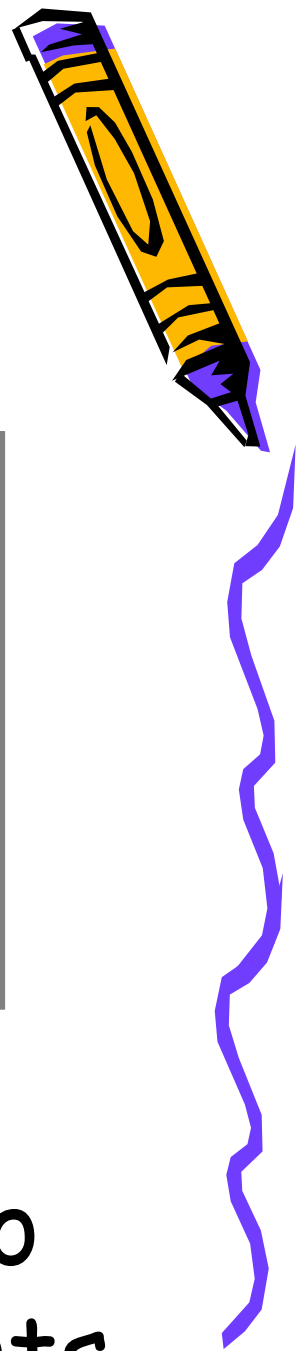
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Let's look into how  
to stay safe...



At the beginning of this  
school year....



...all students received a  
"No Bullying Contract" to  
be signed by their parents.



The "No Bullying" Policy was adopted by our North Fork Local Board of Education.



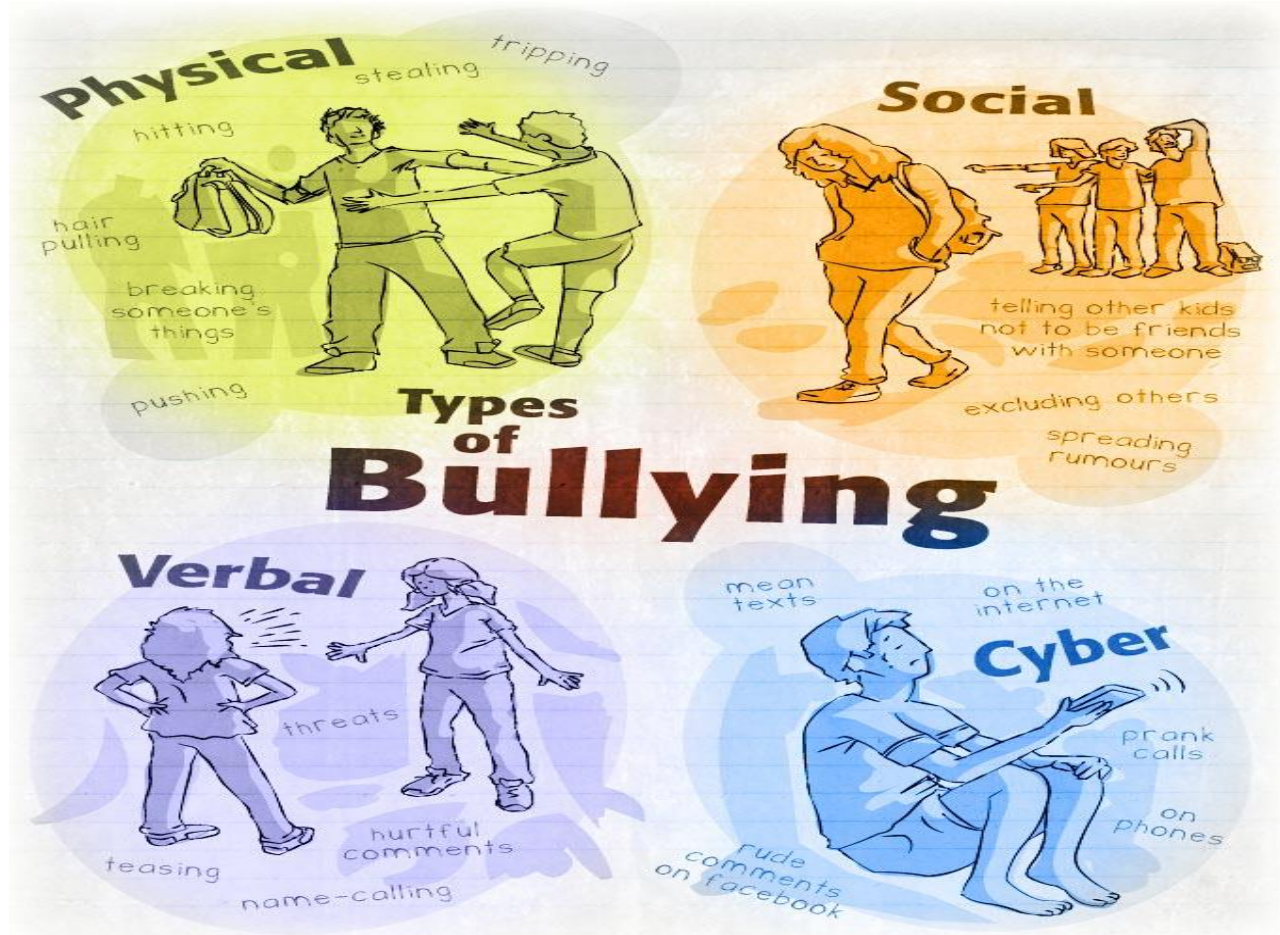


Enforcing "No Bullying"  
is one way to  
keep students safe.





# Bullying is **REPEATED** behavior...



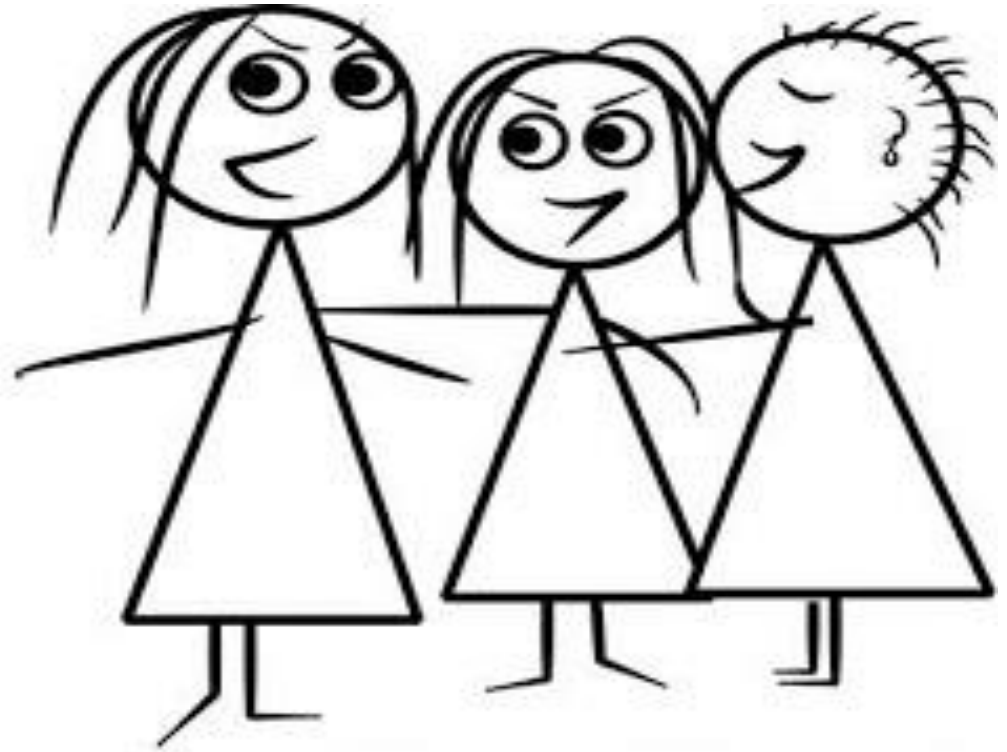
In Physical Bullying...



...Somebody gets hurt.



In **Social Bullying**...  
Someone is not  
included.



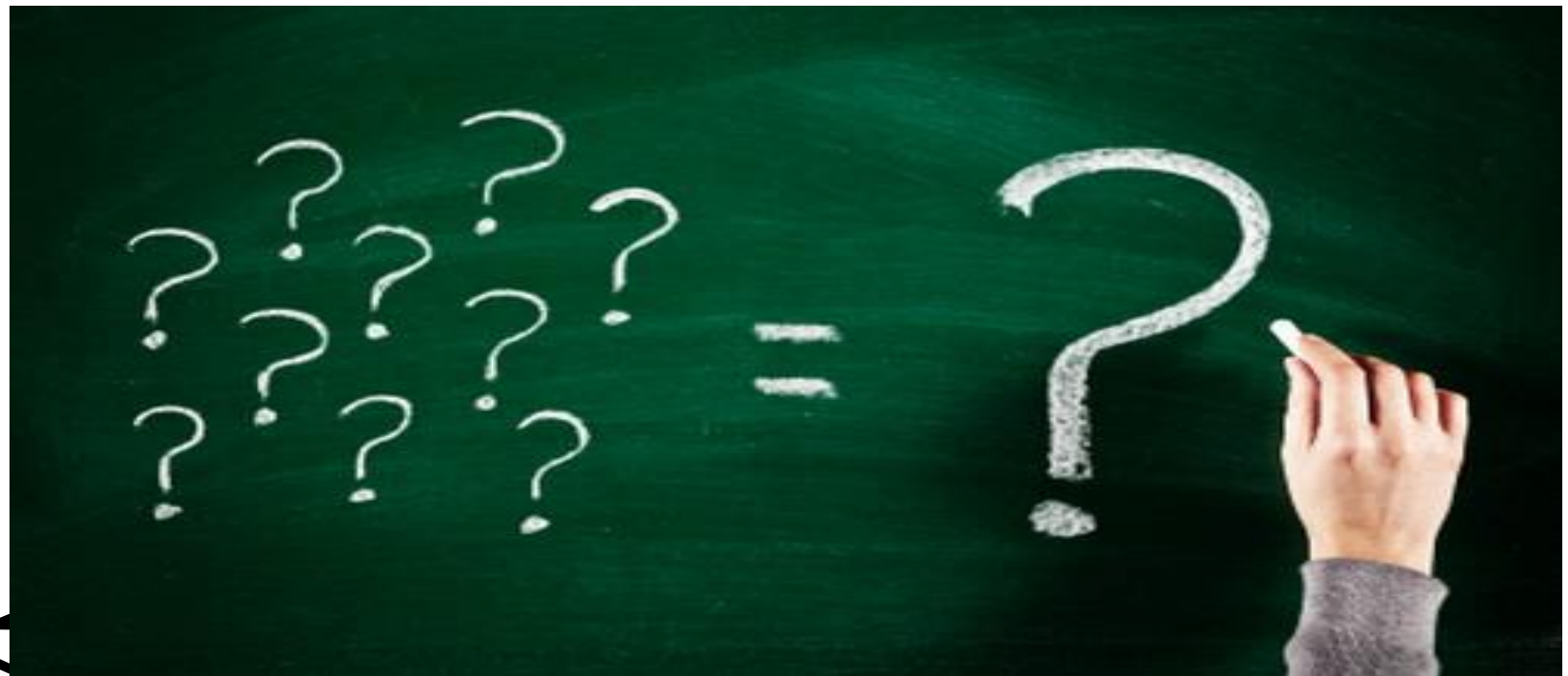
In **Verbal Bullying**...  
Words are not nice.



In **Cyber Bullying**...  
Online communication is  
inappropriate.



When a bullying incident is reported, the following questions are asked....



Was the act intentional?



Did the act occur more than once?

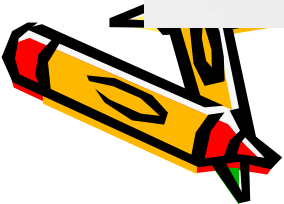




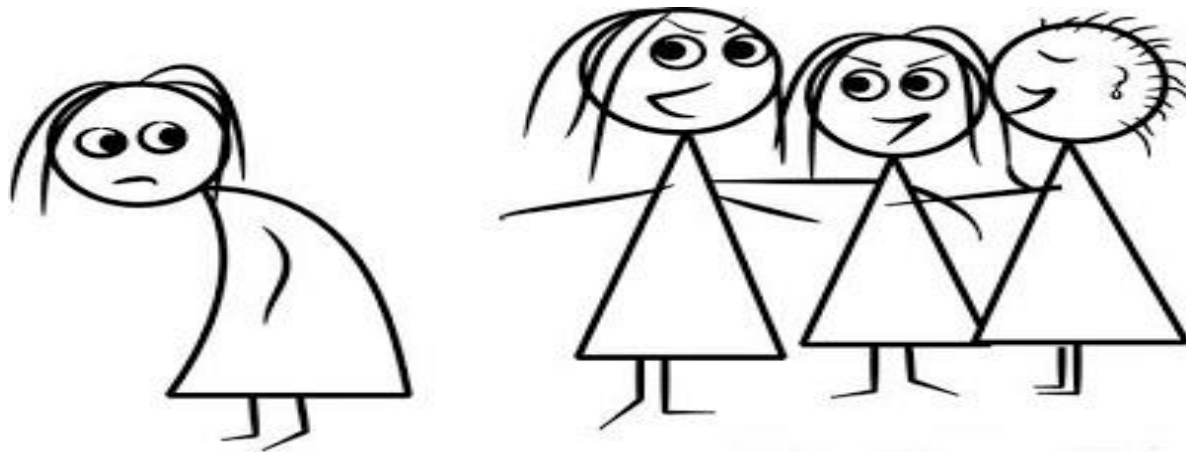
Did the act cause mental  
or physical harm?



Was the act severe,  
persistent or pervasive  
(spreading)?



Was there a negative impact on the educational, physical or emotional well-being of the other student?



When a bullying incident is reported, an **Investigation** takes place.



# The bullying incident is... Documented in Writing



Steps are put in place to:  
**Eliminate the Further  
Act of Bullying**



# Parents are notified with Confidentiality in Mind



# So what are examples of **NOT** Bullying?

Accidentally bumping into someone is  
**NOT** bullying...





Pushing, shoving, tripping  
that happens **once...**

**...Is not bullying**



Choosing to hang out with  
someone else...

...Is **Not** bullying



Bullying is **aggressive**,  
**repeated** behavior...

That is **on purpose** and happens **over**  
**and over** again...



So, How can we  
Prevent Bullying?

**NO  
BULLY'S  
ALLOWED**



#1 Stick up for yourself  
and others...

Tell the Bully to "Stop!"



# #2 Report Bullying...

## Tell an Adult Immediately



# #3 Ask and Accept Help



# #4 Discuss Bullying and How it is Harmful

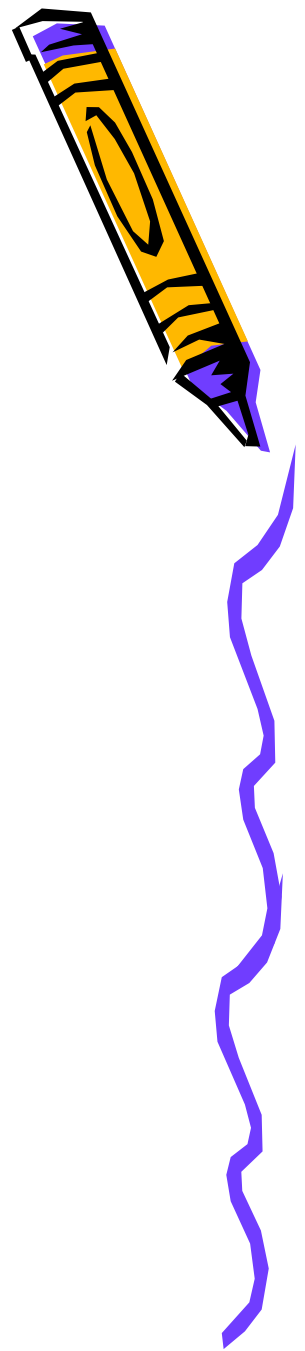
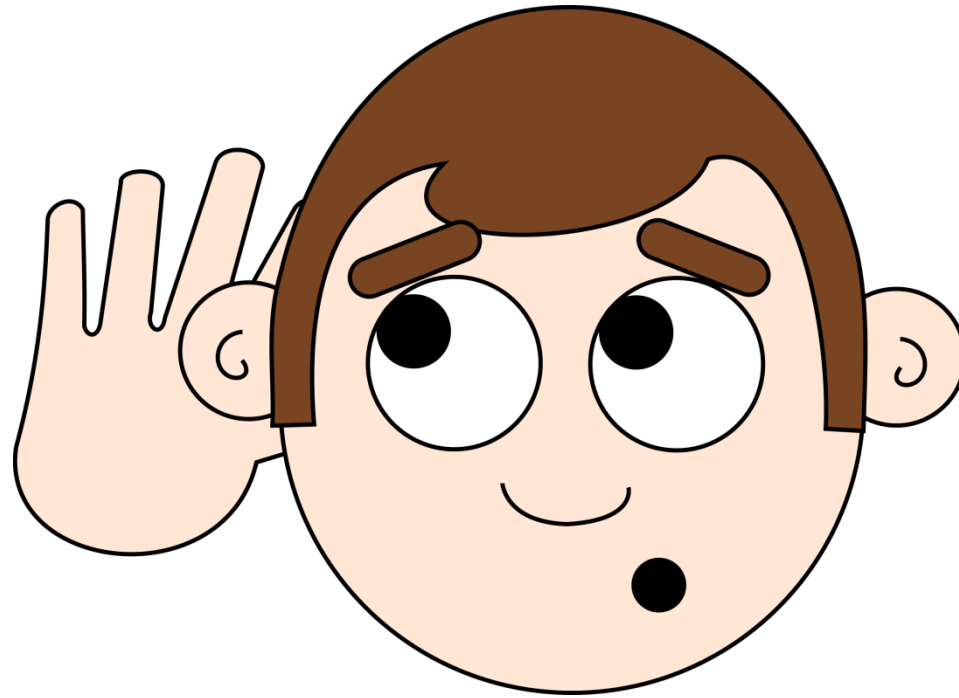


**NO**  
**BULLYING**





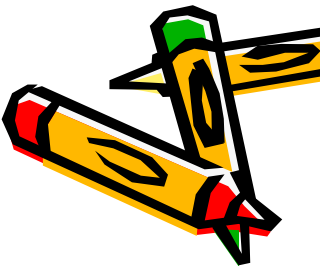
# #5 Listen to What Others Have to Say



# #6 Model Proper Behavior

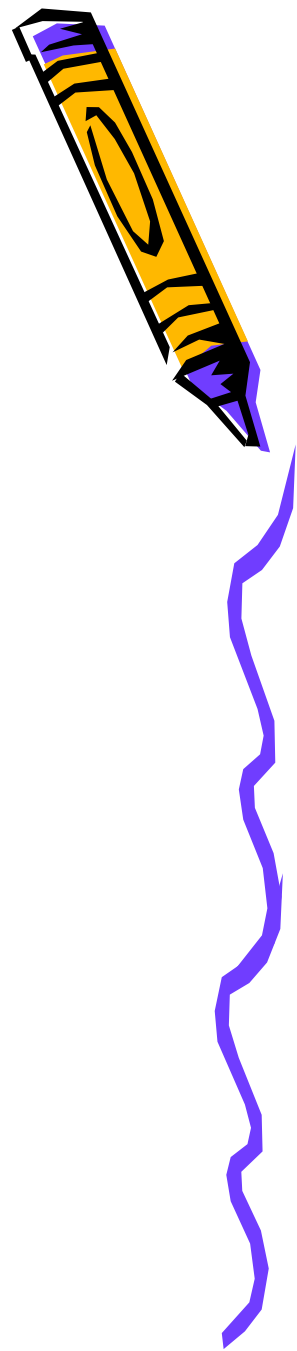


# #7 Make Behavioral Expectations Clear



# #8 Learn the School Rules

Be Respectful  
Be Responsible  
& Be Safe!



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Together we can create a  
Safe School Environment!



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