

January 2016

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Our school is in partnership with you regarding your child's/children's personal safety.

At Roosevelt & Alliance Charter Elementary Schools, a personal safety program will be presented in the **1st, 3rd and 4th grade classrooms** which includes a presentation on Protective Behaviors. The presentation is being done by the Prevention Educator from REACH Counseling Services, Inc. of Winnebago County. Children will learn that it is okay to say "NO" to confusing or uncomfortable touch, discuss strategies of self protection and learn that they are never at fault in cases of abuse.

Children will be encouraged to tell a trusted grown-up who can help them. They will identify two or three adults they can trust and are then asked to share the names of trusted adults with a parent. Parents are invited to share in their child's experience, either through attending the presentation, or discussing the topic with them at home.

If you would like to attend the Protective Behaviors Program, please see the schedule below for your child's class time. Thank you.

Tuesday, February 23rd:

9:00-10:00 3-Connor, 3-Lennon & 3-Rossing
12:45-1:15 3-Ruthven
2:00-2:30 1-Connor, 1-Lennon & 1-Rossing
2:35-3:05 1-Michlig

Thursday, February 25th:

8:30-9:30 4-Cates & 4-Cercone/Markman
9:30-10:30 4-Reader

The Roosevelt/Alliance kindergarten, second and fifth grade students receive this information during classroom Guidance with Mrs. Wunderlich. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Mrs. Wunderlich at 751-6970 (Ext.18116.)