

*Forest Street School Technology*Ms. Irving, Technology Coordinator
Common Sense Implementation Plan Sy 18-19



All students need digital citizenship skills to participate fully in their communities and make smart choices online and in life."

-Common Sense Media

Hello Forest Street Family,

It's that time of year and I am excited to start our digital citizenship lessons with our students through Common Sense Media. The Common Sense Curriculum empowers students to think critically, behave safely, and participate responsibly in our digital world. It is filled with lesson plans, videos, student interactives, and assessments, as well as, professional learning and family outreach materials. The program addresses real challenges for teachers and students to help navigate cyberbullying, internet safety, and other digital dilemmas. Let's work together to continue to be a Common Sense School/District.

Just as the curriculum was implemented last year, I hope to continue our efforts as we teach our students how to be good digital citizens. Each grade level, through their Social Studies class, will focus on a different Digital Citizenship Unit. There are five lessons in each unit. The <u>lesson plans</u> are already created for you and are downloadable on the Common Sense website. I have the first two lessons printed out for your convenience and will provide them to you. All you have to do is review the plans and teach the lessons according to the timeline below. This is a district initiative and we can only be successful with your help! If you are a new teacher to Common Sense Media, then you will need to <u>register</u> with Common Sense to gain access to the materials and resources. Below please review the Implementation plan for the 2018-2019 School Year. Feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued support!

Grade/Social Studies	Common Sense Unit	Lesson Dates
K (Kiage/Antunes/Hanson)	<u>K-2 Unit 1</u>	Lesson 1 Nov. 29th/30th
1 (DeMartini/Kiernan)	K-2 Unit 2	Lesson 2 Dec. 20st 21st
2 (Sbarro/Bilica	K-2 Unit 3	Lesson 3 Jan. 31st/Feb. 1st
3 (Romain)	3-5 Unit 1 New lessons this yr	Lesson 4 Feb. 28th/Mar. 1st
4 (Donnerstag)	3-5 Unit 2 New lessons this yr	Lesson 5 Mar. 28th/29th
5-7 (Canares)	5th Grade (3-5) Unit 3 New lessons this yr 6th Grade (6-8) Unit 1 7th Grade (6-8) Unit 2	common sense DISTRICT