Bullying Education:

Please see resources on the G-Drive – Faculty Folder – Bullying Folder

October is Bullying Prevention month. On October 25th we will have an all school Anti Bullying Assembly from 8:40-9:15am.

<u>Incorporate the following discussions into your lesson plans:</u>

Week of August 17th: Review Strategies for dealing with Conflict with your class (See handout).

Week of August 22nd: **What is Bullying?** (3rd – 8th should include Cyber Bullying)? Discuss this question with your class. Have your students (as a class) develop a definition. Have your class design a poster with their definition and submit it to me by Monday 8/29/16. It is my intention to hang these up in the Commons.

Week of September 6th: **What does the bible say about bullying?** Discuss this question with your class. (See "Bullying Presentation", G-Drive – Faculty Folder – Bullying Folder). Have your class select a verse and state how the verse relates to bullying, or have your students create a Wordle using bible verses and descriptive words. Submit this to me by Monday 9/12/16. It is my intention to hang these up in the Commons.

Week of September 12th:

Are you a target? / Do you bully? (www.pacer.org/bullying/classroom/elementary/ele-lesson-plan.asp)
Discuss these questions with your class. Have your class write a prayer that could be said to ask for forgiveness when we act like a bully, and/or help when being bullied. Submit a copy to me by Monday 9/19/16 and post a copy in your room as a reminder for your students.

Week of September 19th: **How do we respond to bullying?** Discuss this question with your class. Keep a record of their ideas and post them in your classroom.

Week of September 26th: **What steps can be taken to prevent bullying?** Discuss this question with your class and keep a record of their ideas.

THE CULMINATION! (For 3rd-8th Grade): October 3rd – 12th, your class is to develop a plan to lead the October 25th Bullying Assemble (Content & Delivery). October 13th or 14th Schedule a time for your class to present their ideas to me. I will select a class to lead the assembly on the 25th. The selected class will also have a pizza party on October 25th.

Week of October 17th: Plan a buddy activity with an Anti – Bullying focus.