

Vision

Become lifelong learners

Ensure personal best character at home and in school

Approach learning opportunities with positive attitudes

Remain respectful and responsible citizens

Partner with all stakeholders to encourage success

Ambitiously pursue academic growth

Work towards proficiency in all academic areas

Strive to be safe and peaceful contributors to society

Every month we will be focusing on one aspect of General Herkimer's Vision Statement.

This month the focus will be:

Ensure personal best character at home and in school

What does this look like: Do your best to become what you are capable of becoming.

What are some examples:

Show your personal best in the following ways:

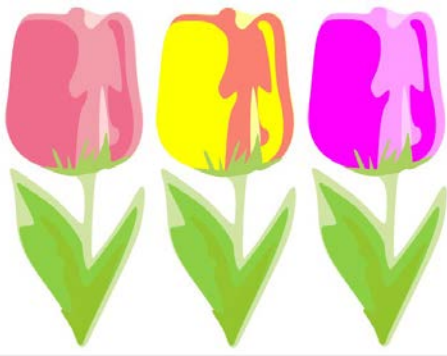
Confidence: You must believe in yourself if you expect other to believe in you.

Determination: continue to work hard toward your personal goals.

Cooperation: Be more interested in finding the best way, not having your way.

(Promote hard work and self-control at home by acknowledging small successes with your child in order to motivate them to continue this at school)

- **Life Skills Focus: Perseverance:** to Keep at it.
- Taken from Susan Kovalik LIFESKILLS



General Herkimer Elementary

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APRIL 2019

**SPRING PICTURE MONEY IS DUE
 PLEASE RETURN EITHER PICTURES
 OR MONEY TO SCHOOL.**

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

April 8th through April 11th from 9:30-2:00

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

1. Original Birth Certificate
2. Current Shot Record & Physical
3. Proof of Residency (National Grid bill, Water

MAGNET & UPK

Applications 2018-2019 School Year

Magnet Applications are in the main office and due back to administration by May 24th. UPK applications are also in the main office.

What Does a School Social Worker Do?

The role of a social worker varies depending on where one is located. At General Herkimer, the school social worker's primary concern is the *health and safety of our students*. Some duties include:

Duties of the School Social Worker at General Herkimer Elementary

1. IEP counseling
2. Referrals to Community agencies for services for students and their families
3. Crisis Counseling and referral
4. DSS liaison for CPS interviews
5. Schedule, facilitate, and document IST meetings via RTI EDGE
6. FBA/BIP creation with Parent and IST Team
7. Develop Safety Plans
8. Create Student Contracts
9. Prepare PINS paperwork
10. Facilitate community Bullying Programs and make teacher schedules for such
11. Superintendent/Manifestation Hearings
12. Hold Retention meetings and follow up meetings
13. Chair CSE committees
14. Mediations
15. Assist Teachers
16. Principal Support
17. Complete Social Histories
18. Document all duties above

If you need to reach me for any reason, please call 315-368-6608.

APRIL

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
1	2 ELA STATE ASSESSMENTS	3 ELA STATE ASSESSMENTS	4	5  Ice Cream \$1.00
8	9	10 Popcorn Sale \$1.00 Ride for Missing Children	11	12 NO SCHOOL
15	16	17	18	19
SPRING BREAK!!				
22 NO SCHOOL	23	24	25	26  Tomato Pie Sale \$1.00
29	30 PBIS Assembly 10:00/2:00 1 st grade Performs			

NYS TESTING

GRADES 3 - 8

NYS MATH

May 1st and 2nd

Grades 4 & 8

NYS SCIENCE

Begins May 22nd

Please make sure your child is in school and **punctual** during testing days. Also, give your child a good night's rest and a healthy breakfast in the morning. Your Support is appreciated. 😊