

## Westwood Elementary School

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## **People That Build Me Up Activity**

At Westwood, we are asking all students from Senior Kindergarten to Grade 5 to complete the yellow form, "People That Build Me Up". This form allows our team of Educators to identify who your child views as a peer that builds them up. When completing this form with your child, please be aware that we are intentionally not asking about "friends", rather, classmates that make them feel good about themselves, students that they work well with in the classroom or those students that they enjoy playing with outside. Sometimes, these peers may be friends, but at other times, they may be peers that they feel comfortable around and may not necessarily refer to them as a friend.

Additionally, we are interested in having children share with us how they view themselves as learners and what aspects of school that they enjoy. There are no "right" responses here. We are trying to capture their voice and how they view themselves as learners within Westwood.

<u>Children that can complete this independently during free time in class will complete this form in school;</u> however, some students may be bringing this form home to complete with a caregiver. Thank you for your assistance with this task.

You only need to complete the front page of the form. The back is for school use only.

We will then use this information to help us make a variety of school based decisions (e.g., possible new clubs, classes for next year, improving our instructional program and varying activities in the classroom.)

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to the main office.

We kindly ask that the form is returned no later than Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you in advance for helping us learn more about your child.

Regards,

Mr. Azzopardi

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