



3 Reasons Your School Needs Manners of the Heart Social Emotional Learning Curriculum

- 1.** Research shows a high correlation between students with strong social-emotional skills and performance in school.
- 2.** The emotional center of the brain is the first region to receive and process incoming information. Each episode of learning must first run through the filter of our emotions (our hearts).
- 3.** Relationships with others are essential to a sustainable learning experience.

What makes Manners of the Heart so effective?

- Research has proven using Manners of the Heart yields up to a 15-point gain in school performance score and an average decrease of 30% in discipline referrals.
- Our schools have reported up to 34% increase in reading proficiency.
- Our curriculum teaches respect by showing students how to deal with negative emotions in a way that develops maturity in decision-making.
- Teachers are much more effective when they spend more time teaching and less time dealing with disruptive students.
- Embedded in all of our lessons are engaging, relatable stories, situations, and strategies instructing through 23 weeks of emotional growing attributes such as respect and civility.
- Principals who use Manners of the Heart report seeing as much of a positive change in their faculty, as is evident in their students.
- Manners of the Heart presents one attribute (lesson) which is the same focus, at the same time for all grades PreK-5. This continuity and scaffold presentation encourage contiguous learning experiences which are age appropriate with application pertinent to the grade level.
- Manners of the Heart engages families in the social emotional growth of their children through weekly newsletters offering suggestions for reinforcement of the lessons taught at school.
- Manners of the Heart positions students to learn regardless of their family dynamic or social demographic and equips them to become all they are meant to be.

For more information on how your school can benefit from these great assets contact:

Manners of the Heart | info@mannersoftheheart.org | (o): 225-383-3235 | <https://mannersoftheheart.org/>