

Cowden-Herrick Schools

Cool Tools

Areas for Discussion or Role-Playing

How to Talk with an Adult

Monday	There are times that an adult <b><u>must</u></b> give a directive. Not wanting to follow that directive does not give you the right to get belligerent. Teachers must make decisions regarding their class. There may be times that you may not like or agree with that decision.
Tuesday	Being mad does not give you the right to do or say anything you want. If you are mad it can be a pivotal moment. Think before you speak.
Wednesday	At no time should a student raise his or her voice to a teacher. If you are having a problem, raising your voice or yelling at a teacher will <u>never</u> solve the problem. It will only create additional problems.
Thursday	When you are talking with a teacher look at them. If you talk to the floor or the sky, it makes you look insincere.
Friday	If a teacher initiates a conversation, it is rude to walk away when the teacher is talking. When you talk with a teacher wait until the conversation is over before you walk away.