

5th Grade Girls' PEER SUPPORT COMMUNITY

SESSION II

WEDNESDAYS, 3:15-4:30 pm

FEB 3 - MAR 23 D, 2016

Group Facilitator: Lily Cardasis, MA, MFTI
Assistant facilitator: Sarah Irene Ashley, CASA
Wellness Intern, USF BA Psychology candidate

Due to high demand, we're delighted announce that we'll be offering another session of our popular 5th grade peer support circle this semester! As a part of our Kindness is Cool: Bullying Prevention program, the goal of this group is to create a space of safety for girls to speak their truth while listening to others with openness and non-judgment. Within the safety of our supportive circle, we hope to strengthen resilience, encourage development of healthy self-esteem, and deepen intimacy and empathy in middle school relationships.

Group projects are varied in form and focus, and shaped largely by participant collaboration. This semester we will be reflecting on topics suggested by group members last semester such as introversion/extroversion and gender constructs/identity, and continuing to explore a variety of other relevant issues through discussion, journaling, and artistic mediums.

TO REGISTER:

Email Lily at cardasiscounseling@gmail.com, or sign up at http://www.cardasiscounseling.org/student-wellness-groups.

<u>Please note</u>: Registration is required for all session II participants, including students who participated last semester

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