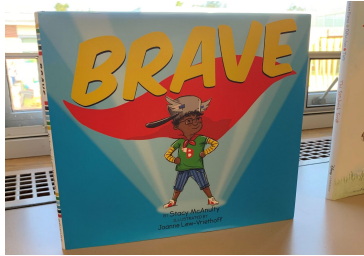




A new day is a new opportunity to make something happen!

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**“Great works are performed not by strength but by perseverance.” - Samuel Johnson**

### [The Student Engagement Trap, and How to Avoid It](#) [by Kripa Sundar](#)

**Reopening Behind the Scenes** Last week I was able to visit many of our Distance Learning classrooms. I plan to visit the remaining distance classes this week. It is great to see all of our students engaged in their learning tasks. Over these first few weeks, students are exploring the *Brave New World* unit of Choose Love. At my house we recently talked about being brave when we get our flu shots. [You can use this link for information about Chatham Health’s flu clinics!](#) We are excited to be welcoming back Scarlett Lewis, the founder of Choose Love, for our Family and Community Night this Tuesday at 6:00. [Please find the zoom link on our updated flyer here.](#) Have a great week *choosing love!*

**Welcome & Celebrations** Please **welcome** to our team Jill Lenti! Congratulations goes to Adam Parks for completing **20 years** of service at Hebron Public Schools!

**Social Emotional Learning** Let’s continue our drive into the SEL framework using CASEL as our resource. This week we look closer at relationship skills: the ability to establish and maintain healthy and rewarding relationships with diverse individuals and groups. The ability to communicate clearly, listen well, cooperate with others, resist inappropriate social pressure, negotiate conflict constructively, and seek and offer help when needed.

Communication                      Social Engagement  
Relationship-Building              Teamwork

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