

## MINDFULNESS MAY

To promote mental health month, the Kids Being the Change and the Staff of Onanole School have a variety of activities planned this month.

- 1. The Kids Being the Change put up a wonderful bulletin board with mindfulness handouts available for anyone looking for additional ideas. They will also share information regarding the board and mental health strategies through a Teams presentation on Monday, May 2nd.
- 2. On May 4<sup>th</sup>, our school welcomes Val Caldwell into our 5/6 and 7/8 classrooms to teach us about on-line safety, as well as for a parent evening session in the evening.
- 3. Joyful activities: A variety of activities to celebrate the opportunity for our cohorts to mix outdoors will be provided throughout the month. Play = Joy = Positive Mental Health
- 4. Drop everything and practice mindfulness breaks.
- 5. The Resilience Summit Sessions for Parents with Mrs. Ryznar. (please see Mrs. Ryznar's post)
- 6. Scheduled class sessions with Mrs. Lindsay using the resource: Nemours KidsHealth the Web's most visited site about children's health I encourage parents to use this resource when your child has "big" questions for you regarding health, that are tough to answer.