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Good morning! It's Sophia from 731 and I'm here this Words of Wisdom on behalf of the S.E.A.L Team.

Today, I want to talk to you about an essential topic: civic responsibility. As middle school students, you play a vital role in our community and have the power to make a positive impact.

Civic responsibility means being an active and engaged citizen, taking part in the decisions and actions that shape our society. It's about understanding that we all have a role to play in making our community a better place. By exercising our rights and fulfilling our responsibilities, we contribute to the well-being of everyone around us.

When we embrace civic responsibility, we become advocates for change, no matter how big or small. Whether it's volunteering for local organizations, participating in community events, or simply treating others with kindness and respect, every action counts. Your voice matters, and your actions can inspire others to get involved too.

Today, let's remember the words of Mahatma Gandhi: "Be the change you wish to see in the world." This quote reminds us that it all starts with us, with each individual choosing to make a difference. By being responsible citizens, we can create a community that values inclusivity, equality, and compassion.

So, how can we practice civic responsibility? It can be as simple as picking up trash in our schoolyard, showing respect for our classmates and teachers, or actively participating in school initiatives. Remember, even small acts of kindness and responsibility have a ripple effect that can transform our school and beyond.

Thanks for listening and have a Working For a Better Tomorrow  
Wednesday 😊

SEAL Team pledge:

We are the Dyker S.E.A.L. Team  
Positivity is our dream  
We teach it every day  
To help others live the optimistic way  
We learn to control our emotions and feelings  
So, we always have effective social dealings

No stone left unturned; no person left behind

Every member of our team has the power to be kind

We spread kindness to our friends, families, and those who need a smile

When facing hardships and adversity, the S.E.A.L. Team goes the extra mile

