

# National Make a Friend Day

National Make a Friend Day is February 11<sup>th</sup> and provides an opportunity to meet someone new and (hopefully) make a new friendship. Through friendships, people are exposed to new perspectives and are challenged by new ways of thinking. Friendships promote community and working together.

**Description of the Activity:** In this activity, you will explore and reflect on making connections with others in your community by taking action and responding to three (3) questions. The response to each of the three (3) questions is required to be at least 3-4 sentences in length in order to earn SSL credit.

**How SSL Hours Are Earned:** Complete the activity according to the below instructions and earn one (1) SSL hour.

**Deadline for this activity is: Friday, March 4, 2022**

If you have any questions, please contact Hoover MS PTA at: [HooverMSPTA@gmail.com](mailto:HooverMSPTA@gmail.com)

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Please submit ALL the below REQUIRED information and responses to: [HooverMSPTAwhm@gmail.com](mailto:HooverMSPTAwhm@gmail.com). In the subject line of the email write "National Make a Friend Day."

- 1) Student Last Name
- 2) Student First Name
- 3) Grade
- 4) Student's email address (Do NOT use your MCPS student email address. If you do not have a personal email, provide the email address of your parent/guardian. We need an email address to send your SSL form.)
- 5) Take action: During the month of February 2022, have a conversation with someone new at school or someone you haven't spoken with for some time. After your conversation, answer all three (3) questions below.
- 6) Question One: Who did you speak with, how did you start the conversation, did you learn something new or different from the person, will you continue to speak with this person? **\*\*Response is required to be at least 3-4 sentences in length in order to earn SSL credit.\*\***
- 7) Question Two: What are some of the benefits of meeting new people? **\*\*Response is required to be at least 3-4 sentences in length in order to earn SSL credit.\*\***
- 8) Question Three: How will having the conversation with someone new motivate you in your actions with others in your community? What do you think the effect will be on your community? **\*\*Response is required to be at least 3-4 sentences in length in order to earn SSL credit.\*\***