



Friday Feature...



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Therapy Dog Program

Readington Middle School has launched a very successful therapy dog program school-wide. Korra, RMS's certified therapy dog, works on Thursdays alongside School Counselor Mrs. Ellen Goodfellow. Korra helps students with conflict resolution, peer mediation, reading with confidence, and reducing stress. The program has been so well received and successful that Mrs. Goodfellow along with Mr. Charleston, the Principal, and Dr. Hart, the Superintendent, were asked to present at the New Jersey School Counselor Association winter conference at Rowan University. This was one of the largest-attended sessions at the conference estimating around 75 attendees. Mrs. Goodfellow, Mr. Charleston, and Dr. Hart illustrated the process RMS used to seek necessary approvals, garner support, and launch such a program. Currently, the administration is looking to collect quantitative data to illustrate all of the positive outcomes for the middle school.

Congratulations on a successful program and conference presentation!



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