KY SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK
TOOLKIT

Be INCREDIBLE
REVEAL YOUR SUPERHERO

KY SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK - OCTOBER 21-27, 2018

I PLEDGE TO BE:

**STRONG**
Strong and make good choices to improve myself and my school.

**UNDERSTANDING**
Understanding of others and realize everyone is unique with varied talents.

**POWERFUL**
Powerful by reporting to an adult, or sending an online tip.

**ENCOURAGING**
Encouraging when a fellow student needs reassurance.

**RESPECTFUL**
Respectful of others and treat everyone as I want to be treated.

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The Kentucky Center for School Safety announces Kentucky Safe Schools Week, is set for October 21–27, 2018.

This year’s theme is “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!”

Being incredible is being the best you can possibly be. Every student has incredible super skills and talents that make them unique and strong. We need our students to ban together with school staff and the community to create a “family-like” culture at school. Incredible super powers can be used fighting against bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, conflict, hate and violence while spreading empathy, compassion and respect. As quoted from the Disney “Incredibles 2” movie “It’s time to make some wrong things right, help us bring Supers back into the sunlight!”

This year’s campaign highlights the word SUPER and the qualities necessary to bring “Supers” into the sunlight!

S-Strong, U-Understanding, P-Powerful, E-Encouraging and R-Respectful!

Kentucky Center for School Safety encourages schools across Kentucky to participate.

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INTRODUCTION

Here are a few things to know about this year's Ky Safe Schools Week 2018:

October is Bullying Prevention Month and the Kentucky Center for School Safety is proud to announce this year's Kentucky Safe Schools Week is set for October 21–27, 2018. This year’s theme is “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” KCSS stands on the belief that everybody should enjoy school equally and be treated with respect. Community members, educators, students and parents are encouraged to “Be Incredible” during Kentucky Safe Schools Week.

Being incredible is being the best you can possibly be. Every student has incredible super skills and talents that make them unique and strong. We need our students to ban together with school staff and the community to create a “family-like” culture at school. Incredible super powers can be used fighting against bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, conflict, hate and violence while spreading empathy, compassion and respect. Fighting to solve these issues may be as easy as leaving an online tip. Students can be a “Silent Hero” and help without fear of retaliation. The Kentucky Center for School Safety offers to partner with schools and provide a “free” online reporting tool, the S.T.O.P! TIPLINE. The tip line encourages students, parents or community members, who know of an unsafe situation in school, to anonymously pass on that information to school personnel by using a digital format. Check it out at www.ky sécur -------------------------------------------------------------------------------

As quoted from the Disney “Incredibles 2” movie “It’s time to make some wrong things right, help us bring Supers back into the sunlight!” This year’s campaign highlights the word SUPER and the qualities necessary to bring “Supers” into the sunlight!

Reveal your super powers...
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During Safe Schools Week the KCSS website supplies a variety of teaching aids along with the online pledge and Kentucky Safe Schools Week Tool Kit loaded with resources such as daily announcements, activity pages, PowerPoint presentations, lessons, videos, scenarios, interactive websites and much more. Resources will also be available for school administrators, parents and community involvement at www.kysafeschools.org/ssw.php

The Kentucky “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” campaign is sponsored by the Kentucky Center for School Safety. This observance coincides with the national campaign. America’s Safe Schools Week is sponsored by the National School Safety Center. “I support and encourage all Kentuckians to get involved and help solve the bullying issues in the schools across our Commonwealth. Joining together, we can make a personal commitment to reduce intimidation and harassment in our schools, while we work to improve culture and build relationships.” said Jon Akers, Executive Director, KCSS.

Let’s make the “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” campaign the best ever!
SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK WEB PAGE

On this web page, you will find many resources and materials for your Ky Safe Schools campaign, including:

Get your school and community involved and prior to Ky Safe Schools Week promote it in your area; in the newspaper, on the radio, on your school website, there is no limit!
- Ky Safe Schools Week Toolkit
- Ky Safe Schools Week Poster
- How to Take the Pledge Flyer
- Sample Press Release
- PSA for Radio Spots

Use the Daily Announcements and Activities pages to get the students involved.
- Elementary School Daily Announcements
- Middle and High School Daily Announcements
- Daily Attire Activities
- Lessons and Web Ideas
- Daily Food Ideas
- Ky Safe Schools Week PowerPoint
- Bullying PowerPoint
- Proclamation Sample
- “Incredible” Creative Ideas
- Coloring Sheet Activity and Superhero Mask Template

Promotionals to encourage students are provided such as stickers/badges, bookmarks, tokens, etc..
- Ky Safe Schools Week Badges or Stickers
- Bookmarks Promoting Ky Safe Schools Week
- “Be Incredible” Tokens for Ky Safe Schools Week
- “Be Incredible” Token Certificate
- Ky Safe Schools Week Theme Song

Logos and Signs to use in promotions and photo ops.
- Large “Be Incredible” Sign
- Large Ky Safe Schools Week Logo Sign
- Large Ky Safe Schools Week Logo-Pledge Sign
- Large Ky Safe Schools Week Pledge Sign
- Large Ky Safe Schools Week Poster

Take the online “Be Incredible SUPERhero...” Pledge Against Bullying
- Print your very own certificate

Resources for Ky Safe Schools Week
- Educators
  - Teacher Resources
  - Handouts
  - PowerPoints and Videos
  - Administrator Resources
- Students & Parents
  - Student Resources
  - Parent Resources
- Community

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Quick Tip:

Share this poster with fellow teachers, administrators and community members to increase awareness of Ky Safe School Week. You can include the poster as an email attachment, hand out at meetings or hang it on the wall for others to see.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:

Display this handout in the teachers’ lounge, in the hallway on bulletin boards and places where community members can feel empowered to take the online “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” Pledge Against Bullying.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:
Customize the verbiage on this press release template to reflect the events during your Ky Safe Schools Week, and send to local media outlets.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:
This sample script is a great way to publicize your Ky Safe Schools Week event through radio broadcasting. Simply change the wording in the script to reflect your campaign activities, and submit it to your local stations.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:
These daily announcements can be read to students and staff over the course of Ky Safe Schools Week to increase awareness of the “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” campaign.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
DAILY ATTIRE ACTIVITIES

Quick Tip:
Use these ideas when planning your Ky Safe Schools Week campaign.

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Quick Tip:
Use these resources when planning lessons and activities during Ky Safe Schools Week.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php

Web Ideas and Lessons for Safe Schools Week 2018
National Bullying Prevention Center - Classroom Toolkits - There are activities for younger students, as well as middle and high school. Also, a student-created toolkit is listed with videos, music and artwork designed by students for other students to use. This is a way to start a dialogue with your students. They can be part of the solution as they work together to stop bullying.

Be Internet Awesome: Helping middle-school kids be safe and kind online. Includes a free web-based game called Sunday and an educational student curriculum on digital citizenship and safety. Google partnered with Internet Keep Safe Coalition and educators across the country to create a classroom curriculum with lesson plans, activities and worksheets that align with the International Society for Technology in Education’s Standards for Students. STE has awarded these lessons with its Seal of Alignment for Readiness. The game includes a section on “Kind Kingdom” — “It’s Cool to Be Kind”.

Developing Empathy Through Retold Fairy Tales - KET Education – PBS Learning - Learning about empathy helps students connect to others within their family, class, community, and beyond. As an optional extension activity, students write about an experience from their own life regarding empathy.

Prep for Teachers. Examine the media resources to familiarize yourself with the lesson content.

Common Sense Education - Lessons on “bullying”:

- **Screen Out the Mean** - (Grades 3-7) What can you do when someone is mean to you online? Students will be able to: ... analyze online behaviors that could be considered cyberbullying, explain how to deal with a cyberbullying situation, and recognize the importance of engaging a trusted adult when they experience cyberbullying.

- **What’s Cyberbullying?** (Grades 3-5) What is cyberbullying, and how do you deal with it? Students will be able to: ... empathize with the targets of cyberbullying, recognize some of the key similarities and differences between in-person bullying and cyberbullying, and identify strategies for dealing responsibly with cyberbullying.

- **Cyberbullying: Crossing the Line** (Grades 6-8) When does inappropriate online behavior cross the line into cyberbullying, and what can you do about it? Students will be able to: ... analyze online bully behaviors that “cross the line” and learn about the various ways that students can be cyberbullied, including flaming, deceiving, and harassing.

- **Cyberbullying & Digital Drama** - Common Sense - Digital Citizenship Lessons [K-12] Students can learn what to do if they are involved in a cyberbullying situation as well as ways of how to stop cyberbullying by exploring the roles people play and the individual actions — both negative and positive — can impact their friends and broader communities.
Quick Tip:
Use these menu ideas to coordinate with your meals during Ky Safe Schools Week.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php

Daily Food Ideas for Kentucky Safe Schools Week 2018:

Monday:
- Strong and make good choices to improve myself and my school. (Teaching Resiliency)
- "S" Day - "Super Sloppy Joe or Spaghetti" day

Tuesday:
- Understanding of others and realize everyone is unique with varied talents. (Empathy)
- "U" Day - "Under Dog or Hotdog" day

Wednesday:
- Powerful by reporting to an adult, or sending an online tip. (Self-Reliance, Anger Management)
- "P" Day - "Power Pizza" day

Thursday:
- Encouraging when a fellow student needs reassurance. (Compassionate and Responsive)
- "E" Day - "Extra Incredible Hero Sandwich" day

Friday:
- Respectful of others and treat everyone as I want to be treated. (Include Self Control and Impulse Control)
- "R" Day - "Rocket Power Roll up Wraps"
Quick Tip:
Personalize the wording to reflect your school and community during Ky Safe Schools Week, and have local government leaders sign your proclamation.

Find this on: 
kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:

Here are a few great resources for your Ky Safe Schools Week campaign classroom planning.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
COLORING SHEET ACTIVITY AND SUPERHERO MASK TEMPLATE

Quick Tip:
Printouts of these sheets could be made available as fun activities during the school day.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
KY SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK BADGES OR STICKERS

Quick Tip:
Print these on sticky paper and cut-out or laminate. Use them for your Ky Safe Schools Week campaign participants to proudly wear during your events.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
Quick Tip:
These bookmarks are great for spreading the word about your Ky Safe Schools Week campaign. This bookmark includes text from the online “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” Pledge Against Bullying. Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php
“BE INCREDIBLE” TOKENS FOR KY SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK

Quick Tip:
Customize and handout as “tokens” for good behavior during Ky Safe Schools Week.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php

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“BE INCREDIBLE” TOKEN CERTIFICATE

School Name

CERTIFICATE

is hereby granted to:

Student Name

For helping to create a “family-like” culture in our school

Quick Tip:

Customize and hand out as awards at the end of Ky Safe Schools Week. Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php

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**Quick Tip:**

Teach students how to chant their own lyrics to this song during assemblies and Ky Safe School events. Classes can make a music video to share with the entire school.

Find this on: kycss.org/ssw.php

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Kentucky Safe Schools Week 2018

**Theme Song**

“Incredibles 2” Theme Song

**Ideas:**

- Create your own lyrics as a class project

  - or

- Use this theme song during presentations

  - or

- Use behind morning announcements

[Link to “Incredibles 2” Theme Song](#)
LOGOS AND SIGNS

Quick Tip:
Post these around school to increase awareness of Ky Safe Schools Week.
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Quick Tip:

Bring classes of students to the computer lab to take the online “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” Pledge Against Bullying. Print the students' completed certificates and hang them together on a bulletin board in the hallway or in your classroom.

Take the Online Pledge at: www.kycss.org/sswpledge
ONLINE “BE INCREDIBLE SUPERHERO” PLEDGE AGAINST BULLYING CERTIFICATE

This certifies that
Suzy Student
has taken the
Kentucky Center for School Safety
Be Incredible SUPERhero... Pledge Against Bullying

and hereby pledges to be:

1) Strong and make good choices to improve myself and my school.
2) Understanding of others and realize everyone is unique with varied talents.
3) Powerful by reporting to an adult, or sending an online tip.
4) Encouraging when a fellow student needs reassurance.
5) Respectful of others and treat everyone as I want to be treated.

Jon Akers
Executive Director

Completing the Online “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” Pledge Against Bullying:

After you have completed the pledge, a link will allow you to print your personalized certificate. Display it proudly on your wall for others to see. If your class is taking the pledge, you can hang all of the certificates together in your classroom or on a bulletin board in the hallway.

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Did you know?

Wow! Last year, the “Get Involved and Get it Solved” STOP the Bullying! pledge had over 42,000 total pledges. Help us make this year’s pledge even more successful!
Teacher resources for Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- Ky Safe Schools Week Lessons & Web Ideas (KCSS)

Below are quick links to accompany the Ky Safe Schools Week Lessons & Web Ideas

- Digital Literacy and Citizenship Curriculum (commonsensemedia)
- Bullying Lesson Plans (Education World)
- Stopbullying.gov (Federal government website managed by the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services)
- PACER’s Site 4 Teens (PACER’S National Center for Bully Prevention)
- Kids Against Bullying Site (PACER’S National Center for Bully Prevention)
- Thinkfinity - High Interest Novel for Struggling Readers - 6-90 minute sessions for 9-12 graders

- Lesson Plans - NetSmartz (netsmartz.org)
- YouTube Animated Story of Spookley - Elementary Lesson Plan
- A Frill a Minute (PBS LearningMedia)
- Helping Drew (PBS LearningMedia)
- Counselors & Media Specialists Bullying Book Discussion Guide (Random House Inc)
- Olweus Bullying Prevention Program - School-wide bullying prevention program
- FREE RESOURCE: Operation Respect (www.operationrespect.org)
- Safe Schools For Kids Video (Kentucky State Police)
- KCSS Bullying Website Page (KCSS)

Find this and more at: www.kycss.org/ssw.php
**EDUCATORS: HANDOUTS**

From KY Safe Schools Week Web Page (www.kycss.org/ssw.php)

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### Handouts for use during Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- **Myths of Bullying Handout** - (KCSS) Topics on this handout include: “Shattering the Myths of Bullying”, “You Can Help”, and more

- **What is Bullying? Handout** - (KCSS) Topics on this handout include: “Characteristics of those who bully”, “Alarming Stats”, and more

- **Student Bullying Handout** - (KCSS) Topics on this handout include: “What is Bullying?”, “Are you bullying others?”, and more

- **Parents’ Bullying Handout** - (KCSS) Topics on this handout include: “What is Bullying?”, “Have they been guilty of bullying someone else?”, and more

- **Bullying: Suggestions For Educators** - (KCSS) Educate the school staff and students on the real definition of bullying

- **Conflict vs. Bullying and Telling vs. Tattling** - (KCSS) Talk with your students using these handouts

- **Bullying Prevention Checklist** - (KCSS)
  Jon Akers, Executive Director of KCSS, offers suggestions for principals to consider when establishing bullying/harassment standards within their respective schools

- **KCSS Mean Girl Bullying Handout** - (KCSS)
  Parent Tips and Suggestions

- **From PACER** - Talk to Your Child About Bullying (English and Spanish)

- **Social Media/Internet Safety** - (KCSS)
  Be aware when using social media accounts, even disappearing content sites, that IP addresses are being logged by the site.

- **“Kindness Counts” bookmarks** - (KCSS)
  Everyday, let’s enjoy reading and show kindness, helping make our schools a great place to learn and grow

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PowerPoints and Videos for use during Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- **Safe Schools Week 2018 PowerPoint Presentation** - Use as an overview for Ky Safe Schools Week
- **Bullying PowerPoint Presentation** - Explains what bullying is and how to deal with situations if you feel like a victim
- **Cyber Bullying PowerPoint Presentation** - A brief overview of cyberbullying and includes a definition, statistics and communication
- **Sexting PowerPoint Presentation** - An overview of sexting which includes a definition, the consequences and the ramifications if caught with sexting photos
- **Suicide Prevention: Roll of a Teen** - A brief overview of suicide prevention which includes facts, risks and roles
- **Mean Girls, Beware the Pack is Back!!!** - As school begins we need to be aware that “The Pack is Back”
- **Bullying 101 Powerpoint from Bullying Symposium** - The Who, When and Why of Bullying
- **Wheel of Bullying** - Interactive question and answer covering bullying prevention has a “Wheel of Fortune” format
- **Billy Bully Lesson** - (By Ana Galan) Use PowerPoint of visual aids to reinforce good behavior, counting and sequence
- **Bullying Prevention PowerPoint: Project Respect** - Learn how to combat bullying and create a safer learning environment
- **Bullying Prevention PowerPoint** - To be used with school administrators when dealing with bullying problems in their schools
- **The Foundation for a Better Life** creates public service campaigns to communicate positive values

Find this and more at: www.kycss.org/ssw.php
Educators: Administrator Resources

From KY Safe Schools Week Web Page [www.kycss.org/ssw.php]

Resources for educators include: teacher resources, handouts, PowerPoints and videos, and administrator resources.

Administrator resources for Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- S.T.O.P.! Tipline: Safety Tipline, Online Prevention (KCSS)
- Bullying Prevention Checklist (KCSS)
- Bullying in Schools (Department of Justice)
- Community Action Plan Materials (stopbullying.gov)
- FREE Hotline: What You Can Do to Help End Bullying (National Suicide Prevention Lifeline)
- OnGuardOnline.gov (Federal Trade Commission)
- From SAMHSA - Get Know Bullying, the free app from SAMHSA that can prevent bullying
- Bullying Surveys
  - Basic Elementary and High School Bullying Climate Survey (Character Counts)
  - Community Survey about Bullying (bullying.org)

- School Wide Bullying Survey (KSDE.org)
- Cyber-Bullying Survey (stopcyberbullying.org)
- Create a survey on Survey Monkey for free
- Incident Reporting Forms
  - Bullying Reporting Form (KSBA)
  - Sample Incident Report (Character Counts)
  - Bully Buster incident reporting form (Character Counts)
  - Sample Bullying Prevention and Intervention Incident Reporting Form (MA Dept of Ed)
  - Sample Incident Report Form (OK Dept of Ed)
- Kentucky Bullying Law
  - Kentucky Bullying Laws (lrc.ky.gov)
  - State Educational Agency Model Anti-Bullying Policies (KY Dept of Ed)
  - Map of State Bullying Policies & Laws (stopbullying.gov)
  - Kentucky Anti-Bullying Laws & Policies (stopbullying.gov)
  - US Education Department Releases Analysis of State Bullying Laws (US Dept of Ed)
  - KET Health Three60 Video Program: “When Children Are Cruel” (KET)
  - Assess Bullying (stopbullying.gov)
  - Safe Schools For Kids Video (KY State Police)

Find this and more at: [www.kycss.org/ssw.php]
Studnets Resources for Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- Lesson Plans - NetSmartz (netsmartz.org)
- PACER’s Site 4 Teens (PACER’S National Center for Bully Prevention)
- Kids Against Bullying Site (PACER’S National Center for Bully Prevention)

Parents Resources for Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- From SAMHSA - Get to Know Bullying, the free app from SAMHSA that can prevent bullying
- Common Sense Media addresses top parenting concerns including cyberbullying, cell phone guidelines, character and life skills, etc.
- OnGuardOnline.gov - (The Federal Trade Commission) Has many free downloads and videos available for schools and communities

- NEA’s 10 Steps to Stop and Prevent Bullying - Whether you are a parent, an educator, or a concerned friend of the family, there are ten steps you can take to stop and prevent bullying
- FREE Hotline: What You Can Do to Help End Bullying - (National Suicide Prevention Lifeline)
- The Kentucky Center for School Safety website has a “Parent Resource” page with materials, handouts, etc. from this site and others that might be useful

Find this and more at: www.kycss.org/ssw.php
COMMUNITY

Community Resources for Ky Safe Schools Week include:

- Ky Center for School Safety invites every community across the Commonwealth to “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” It will take a personal commitment and here are tools to use during the Ky Safe Schools Week Campaign.
  - Poster/Flyer
  - How to Take the Pledge Flyer
  - Press Release (Sample)
  - PSAs for Radio Spots
  - Proclamation
- Community Action Plan Materials - The Bullying Prevention Materials are research-based resources that can help you lead bullying prevention efforts in your communities. Bullying can be prevented, especially when the power of a community is brought together. Community-wide strategies can help identify and support children who are bullied, redirect the behavior of children who bully, and change the attitudes of adults and youth who tolerate bullying behaviors in peer groups, schools, and communities.
- Successful Community Efforts to Prevent Bullying – Edutopia - The strongest anti-bullying campaigns include students, faculty, parents—and the larger community as well. Involving the whole community in bullying prevention ensures that not only the students and staff but also the parents and the larger community work toward shared goals of kindness, inclusion, and acceptance. This approach begins with parent education and moves to getting the community involved in the school. Finally, getting the school involved in the community promises a greater possibility for sustained change. This article suggests ideas for parent and community involvement in anti-bullying activities.

Find this and more at: www.kycss.org/ssw.php
POWERPOINT PRESENTATIONS

Here are some helpful PowerPoint Presentations. You can use these presentations in their entirety, or individual elements:

- **Safe Schools Week 2018 PowerPoint Presentation**: Use this PowerPoint to assist you in your Safe Schools Week 2018 planning.

- **Bullying PowerPoint Presentation**: This PowerPoint explains what bullying is and how to deal with it if you feel like a victim.

- **CyberBullying PowerPoint Presentation**: This downloadable PowerPoint is a brief overview of cyberbullying and includes a definition, statistics and communication.

- **Sexting PowerPoint Presentation**: This PowerPoint is an overview of responsible cell phone use and the dangers of sexting. It includes the consequences and the ramifications if caught with (sexting) photos.

- **Suicide Prevention PowerPoint Presentation**: Role of a Teen: This downloadable PowerPoint is a brief overview of suicide prevention and includes facts, risks and roles.

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SCHOOL CAMPAIGN

When planning your school campaign during Ky Safe Schools Week, here are a few things to consider:

- Every school is unique, and therefore the campaign should be adjusted to fit individual needs.
- Emphasis will be placed on the theme “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!”
- Try to involve all students in the campaign. Everyone is needed to help make the school a safe place.

Various school districts across Kentucky have great ideas about how they plan on participating in Ky Safe Schools Week this year. Here are just a few of the many ideas:

- Some schools use the Daily School Announcements on the PA system or Closed Circuit TV.
- Some will have a spirit day where everybody can “Be Incredible” and they wear the school’s logo or ball team shirts! They will print stickers for students to wear or attach to their notebooks. You can have students take the pledge before school or at lunch. Also one day, students could wear a theme color to emphasize school safety. Don’t forget to send us a picture and we will put it on the website.
- A school could focus on a different part of the “BE INCREDIBLE, Reveal Your SUPERhero!” Pledge each day during SSW lunch and have handouts and resources with posters and bookmarks available for the students. A club or the SRO could man the display table, just an idea... also a computer for the students to take the pledge could be available at this time.
- Some schools will have a service club that will paint a large banner to go up in the lobby of the school along with other activities throughout the week.
- Some of the media specialists will have the bookmarks available for students in the library during SSW week and devote the computers before and after school for students to take the online pledge.
- Others will be posting the pledges in the halls and on the walls along with some of the handouts about bully prevention, cyberbullying, sexting, conflict/bullying, telling/tattling as reminders to the students during this week.
- TRTs and computer teachers will use the cyberbullying and digital citizenship resources during SSW and talk about self-control and self-esteem online. They will use STLP students to teach some of the younger students about acceptable use of technology and helping them take the pledge.
TIPS ON USING THE KY SAFE SCHOOLS WEEK HANDOUTS

Here are some tips on using any of the Ky Safe Schools Week Handouts to help you get the word out about your campaign:

- Bring copies of the handouts to your local police stations and doctors’ offices to distribute in the waiting area.
- Have the handouts displayed in your offices for parents and others to see, pick up, and read.
- Parents can share handouts with their children in a one-on-one talk about bullying issues, and discuss how they can “Be Incredible”.
- Put information from the handouts into your school newsletter or website (you can break up the information over the course of several editions).
- Distribute copies of the handouts at PTA meetings to share with parents so they can educate others about bullying.
- Students can use the information from handouts to write an article about bullying in their school newspaper.
- Use elements from the handouts for planning lessons (this information can be adapted for different age groups).
- Include the handouts in a packet at the beginning of the school year.
- Use handouts when working in compliance with bullying laws.
- Distribute the handouts at health and safety fairs.
- Counselors: Use the handouts in one-on-one talks with parents and students about issues with bullying.
- Remember to share photos of your Ky Safe Schools Week campaign with KCSS.

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