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COVID-19 MESSAGING: PSS Support for IP, SP and FET

The focus this week is on positive ways of managing discipline:

Good day Principals, please provide parents with some tips on positive ways of managing discipline when needed.

Connection before Correction

- Be a role model to them, children mirror you
- Put yourself in your child's situation when something happens
- Listen to what he/she says
- Show him/her how to set things right not point to their faults
- Be kind but firm, show empathy and respect
- Treat mistakes as opportunities to learn
- Focus on solutions and possibilities