



## **Welcoming Week Drawing**

## DID YOU KNOW?

Across America, the week of **September 8-17** is WELCOMING WEEK. Welcoming Week is a chance to bring together neighbors of all backgrounds and build strong connections.

WELCOMING means to help others feel like they belong so that we can all live and learn together.



At the beginning of school, your teachers play games with you to help you learn each other's names or find things you have in common—for example, who in your class love dogs, soccer or arts and crafts? Teachers do this so everyone feels welcome!

Draw a picture to answer the question...."when I want to make someone feel welcome I ...."





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## HOW TO WIN!

- 1. Think about times when you have felt welcome and included and then think about what you can do to be a welcoming person!
- 2. Take a piece of 8 1/2" x 11" paper and draw a picture of what you would do to make someone feel welcome.
- 3. Write a sentence or two to describe your picture. (A grown up can help.)
- 4. On the back, write your name, school, your parent's phone number & email.
- 5. Drop your picture off at the **Needham Community Council**, **570 Hillside Avenue OR Learning Express**, **53 Chestnut Street by SEPTEMBER 30**.
- 6. Pictures will be displayed on the windows of the Needham Community Council.
- 7. On October 5, we will randomly draw 9 names to win Learning Express gift cards!

