

*Linden Celebrates
Red Ribbon Week
October 21st - October 25th*

Every October home and school communities across the country celebrate Red Ribbon Week. The red ribbon symbolizes an anti-drug effort which is a comprehensive nationwide drug and alcohol education program that started after the 1985 death of DEA Agent Enrique (Kiki) Camarena.

The Red Ribbon Campaign is designed to: support substance-free lifestyles, support the understanding that “fun” can be drug free, recognize the value of all members of our community, encourage neighborhood prevention planning and activities, create awareness concerning the problems related to substance abuse, and build community coalitions to implement substance abuse prevention strategies.

In celebration of Red Ribbon Week, we will be conducting the following activities at Linden. Teachers will be implementing lessons in an effort to promote awareness about living a tobacco-free, drug-free, and alcohol-free lifestyle. During Red Ribbon Week, students will have the opportunity to sign a pledge against substance abuse. You can support Red Ribbon Week by encouraging, supporting, and discussing our school wide activities with your children.



Monday, October 21st – It’s **CRAZY** to do Drugs!
(Wear crazy socks and/or crazy hair!)

Tuesday, October 22nd - Put a **LID** on Drugs
(Wear your favorite hat)



Wednesday, October 23rd - **TEAM UP** Against Tobacco
(Wear your favorite sports team gear)

Thursday, October 24th- **SADDLE**-up Against Drugs
(Wear your Western Gear)



Friday, October 25th- **DREAMING** of a Drug Free World
(Wear your Pajamas to school)

Thank you for your continued support as we wouldn't be able to do it without you.

Linden Faculty and Staff