

## T.A.P.

T.A.P. stands for “tolerance awareness program,” and is a club that helps raise awareness for bullying. The club is for eighth graders. T.A.P. is run Ms. Steinman and Mrs. Lavene, and consists of sixteen eighth graders. The students make videos and posters for anti-bullying.

Mrs. Lavene explained, “Our goal is to eliminate bullying around campus. This club is a great way to promote a happier campus, and for students to have a voice for eliminating bullying.”

The T.A.P. meetings take place the first and third Wednesday of each month. The students are currently working on the character counts trait for January. They have become part of “safe school ambassadors” as well. The T.A.P. club started last year in seventh grade Humanities. The students in the classes had to come up with different ideas to help prevent bullying on campus.

Ms. Steinman said, “The more kids that are aware of the bullying problem, the more kids will eliminate it out of their daily lives.” Most students find T.A.P. a great way to keep bullying out of school.

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