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# ***Be Kind Spring: May 1-31***

Simple acts of kindness can change the world! Mark the activities as you complete them. Return your sheet with any 10 (or more!) squares completed and you'll be entered into a drawing to win a pack of plantable pencils. **See reverse for more details.**

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| Add books to a Little Free Library <b>OR</b> donate food, toys, etc to a local organization | Do your school and homework without complaining or being reminded                  | Make a craft or homemade gift and give it to someone                              | Write a haiku or draw a picture for someone special                                      | Upcycle or repurpose something in your recycling bin         |
| Give someone a sincere compliment, <b>OR</b> surprise them with a friendly wave             | Learn a new joke and make someone laugh  | Make a sign with a kind message for your windows <b>OR</b> write it on a sidewalk | Walk in someone else's shoes: read a biography   | Move a neighbor's newspaper to their front doorstep          |
| Give a little extra love to a pet or a plant, <b>OR</b> hug a tree                          | Teach someone a new trick/skill/song <b>OR</b> learn something new and show others | Thank a server/cashier <b>OR</b> make a thank you card for an essential worker    | Take a nature walk, <b>OR</b> make a bird feeder (pine cone + peanut butter + bird seed) | Let someone go ahead of you in line <b>OR</b> take your turn |
| Ask your parents or grandparents what life was like when they were your age                 | Set the table <b>OR</b> help make a meal   | Be kind to the earth! Don't use a car today.                                      | Let someone else choose the tv show, game, or activity                                   | Sweep someone's sidewalk <b>OR</b> do their yardwork         |
| Call someone just to say hello, <b>OR</b> tell a family member that you love them           | Paint a "Kindness Rock" (i.e. add a kind message to a rock) for someone to find    | Read a book to another person, <b>OR</b> just look at the pictures together       | Do a chore without being asked, <b>OR</b> clean up someone else's mess                   | Offer to carry something for someone else                    |
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# ***BE KIND SPRING CHALLENGE***

**May 1 - May 31**

## **WHAT TO DO**

1. Choose at least 10 acts of kindness (see reverse!).
2. Mark each challenge as you complete it.
3. Fill out the entry form below. (You can participate as an individual or work together as a family. Please print legibly.)
4. Return your completed sheet by **Saturday, May 31**:
  - a. Scan/email to: [tpadal@palatinelibrary.org](mailto:tpadal@palatinelibrary.org)
  - b. Bring it to the Main Library's Youth & Teen Services Desk.
  - c. Give it to staff at the North Hoffman or Rand Road Branch.

## **ENTRY FORM**

**My name is:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(individuals and families welcome!)

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_