

MEDIATORS • SITE COORDINATORS • ADVOCATES

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TAP NEWS

May Announcements

- May is Mental Health Awareness Month! Take time this month to share with your friends and family how your TAP skills positively impact your peers' mental health.
- The Induction for newly trained mediators will be held in early fall 2019!
- You can email TAP photos and stories to <u>engagement@isjl.org</u> to be included in next month's newsletter.

SPOTLIGHT ON GRADUATING SENIORS



TAP is proud to recognize our graduating seniors! Congratulations! We can't wait to see how you apply your conflict resolution skills as you enter your next chapter.

STRATEGY OF THE MONTH

Staying Sharp During Summer Break



- Practice good empathy skills when you're in a fight with your sibling.
- Mediate conversations between characters in the shows you are going to binge watch.
- Consider that people's emotional needs change when they are not in school.
- Have fun!

Graduation Regalia

TAP mediators who have been involved for three or more years are eligible for TAP graduation regalia (according to school rules).

Site Coordinators, contact your TAP Staff to learn more.

LOG YOUR MEDIATIONS

New Google Form Makes Logging Easier



Mediators and Site Coordinators, click the link below to access a Google Form to quickly and easily log your mediations.

Click here to fill out the form.

PRACTICE ROLEPLAY

ANIYA:

I thought Kamari knew that we were only going to date until graduation. I definitely said it to him multiple times and he just probably wasn't listening. I like him and all, but I don't want anyone to tie me down when I'm about to graduate.

KAMARI:

I thought Aniya and I were going to be together forever. She talked like we were going to get married and now she says we're breaking up. I swear she never said anything about breaking up and now I'm so sad I don't know what to do. **Impact Statement for ANIYA:**

Impact Statement for KAMARI:

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