

Fox Middle School
Arnold, Missouri
Grades 7–8

Character–Caught on Tape

The Fox Middle School's Teen Leadership class produces videos every two weeks highlighting school activities, events, and students. The class, which has 15–20 students, receives training on video equipment as well as video editing software. Class members take video and photos of students engaged in social and academic events during the school day and at after-school events. These videos, combined with music and photos, are part of the school news program called *FMS News* and are shown in the cafeteria every other week during lunch for all 500 students. Included in these videos are “*Character – Caught on Tape*” segments, which are written and performed by the Teen Leadership students. The purpose of these character segments is to remind students of the character trait of the month and to put the character trait into action in terms that the students can relate to. The Teen Leadership students work closely with the Character Council class to identify strategies and assess the needs of our student body. Students throughout the school look forward to the days when the videos are shown at lunch.

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