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Classroom Guidance: The way we guarantee that we see every student at Mt. Vernon is through classroom guidance. The counselors teach in each classroom twice a month for 45 minutes. Classroom guidance lessons are determined by academic, personal/social, and career competencies that must be met according to the Hall County Public School System and the American School Counselors Association.

Small Groups: Small groups (a.k.a. “Lunch Clubs”) are created on an as needed basis depending on time constrictions and the number of potential participants. Small groups are conducted in 3rd – 5th grades during the students’ lunch time to reduce the time they are out of the classroom. Groups run throughout the school year, so please contact us if you would like for your child to participate in a group.

Peer Ambassadors: The Peer Ambassador Program is designed to promote cooperation and mutual respect among students, teachers, administrators, and parents.

Red Ribbon Week: <http://www.redribboncoalition.com/>
http://www.usdoj.gov/dea/ongoing/redribbon_factsheet.html

Core Essentials Character Education: <http://www.coreessentials.org/>

Good Touch/Bad Touch: www.goodtouchbadtouch.com

Always Changing (5th grade only):
<http://www.pgschoolprograms.com/puberty/>

Centerpoint Mentor Program: <http://centerpointgainesville.com/>