## IT'S A FOX THING

## STUDENT ADVOCATE PROTOCOL

At the beginning of each school year students will be asked to choose 1 school personnel member to be their advocate for that year. Once groups are formed the students and their advocate will meet together as a group once a month. The advocacy dates will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month at 1:30. Each group will identify themselves with a special name and symbol. Kindergarten students will be randomly assigned an advocate among staff.

The advocate will address the following with their assigned group:

- What is an advocate?
- What can I do to help you?
- Build relationships among group members. Ex. Assign 6<sup>th</sup> grader to a 1<sup>st</sup> grade student to look out for on bus, hallway, or restroom.
- The advocate may find it necessary to meet with a student one on one.
- Use time to do team building activities.
- ♣ Plan special activities for your group.
- Once symbol and name is decided upon symbol will be placed on the workplace of the advocate for easy access by the student.

