

Southwest Institute for ViolenceFree Learning

OUR Mission: SWIVL works to create a ViolenceFree environment through personal investment.

**Stopping
Animal
Cruelty is Key
to Creating
ViolenceFree**

❑ All services provided by SWIVL increase personal and social capacity to accomplish goals and mobilize resources to promote a ViolenceFree environment.

❑ SWIVL works with other public and private organizations to take a systemic approach to ending all forms of violence, including animal cruelty, child abuse, and domestic violence. Formed in 2003 as a 501(c)3, SWIVL is a nonprofit organization established to respond to the growing state of violence and discord in our families, communities, nation, and world.

❑ SWIVL promotes the view that violence can be eliminated or mitigated through the development of a culture of success - beliefs and attitudes that encourage a personal progressive culture and social independent climate.

SWIVL Takes a System-Wide approach to ending all forms of violence, including animal cruelty, child abuse, and domestic violence.

SWIVL Investigates the Pattern of power and control underlying animal and family abuse.

SWIVL Develops and Promotes educational, training, and advocacy programs based on the intrinsic value of all sentient beings.

SWIVL Programs & Campaigns

- Strength-Based Education
- Spay & Neuter Program
- Human Education Curriculum
- Humane Charter Schools
- Animal Rescue & Sanctuary
- School Culture of Success

The SWIVL school-community curriculum offers students an opportunity to develop a powerful work ethic, accountability, self-reliance and resiliency. Through a positive, compassionate relationship with farmed and companion animals, students of all ages gain a strong respect for themselves and others.

The SWIVL approach focuses on talents and strengths – not deficits and weaknesses – and creates a teaching and learning environment filled with energy, creativity and opportunities for personal and social success, – fundamental to a ViolenceFree environment.



Connect with SWIVL

- Join Community Think Tanks
- Form SWIVL Book Clubs
- Create Humane Schools
- Internships with SWIVL
- Organize Local SWIVL Chapters
- Learn about Healthy Living
- Volunteer with SWIVL
- Make a Tax Deductible Donation

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