## LEAVE 'EM KINDER" TOUR

## MUSIC WITH A MESSAGE - BRINGING SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL) TO LIFE



## ABOUT JON

Jon Berman, M.Ed., is a professional educator and entertainer who has instructed students and led groups since 1993.

- He has been certified as a public school teacher, school counselor and principal.
- Jon has been described as the "child whisperer" when dealing with some of our most challenging students.



## FOR MORE INFO OR TO BOOK JON AT YOUR SCHOOL

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This program for middle school students (GRADES 4-8) is meant to make kids laugh, learn empathy, be kinder to each other and learn how to deal with their own anxieties a little better

- Includes memorable original songs, engaging examples, group discussion, amusing anecdotes and lifelong lessons that will make a lasting impact with kids.
- Encourages student growth through self-examination and reflection that can be applied to real life and daily struggles.
- Designed to run multiple times throughout a day and fit within an hour-long block during "specials" so that it does not take away from instruction time.

"It's brilliant!" - dawn (parent / pta member)

We'll cover TOPICS that address the core competencies of Social Emotional Learning (SEL) with songs such as:

- "Milk Came Out of My Nose" Different perspectives or views of a single moment. Also, embarassing situations! SELF-MANAGEMENT
   HEAR IT NOW!
- "Jonny Misses Recess" Kids say "it's a free country!" That doesn't mean there won't be consequences. Here's the truth no one wants you inside for recess. No one. Everyone wants a break from you. No really, you're not that fun. OK, you are that fun, but everyone needs a break. RESPONSIBLE DECISION-MAKING
- "They All Are Against Me" We all share a little bit of blame even
  if we don't realize it. RELATIONSHIP SKILLS
- "Where Do I Fit In?" Most people want to be in a group. But the
  decisions made today will impact choices in the future. Addresses
  expectations of others, as well as drugs/choices. SOCIAL AWARENESS
- "What's Your Point?" We can disagree and still work and live together. One size will never fit all. SELF-AWARENESS

...AND MORE!