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Rise and shine, I.S.201! This is William Chen of class 852 speaking to you for today's Motivational Monday on behalf of the S.E.A.L Team!

As you all know, we are officially in the month of November now! Because it is a new month, allow me to introduce you to the new person on our H.E.A.R.T Heroes Calendar, Marie Curie! If you don't already know about her, Marie Curie is a significant physicist and chemist in our history who pioneered research on radioactivity, discovered elements like polonium and radium, developed mobile x-ray units during the first World War, and was even the first woman to win a Nobel Prize! Her work paved the way for our modern discoveries in both physics and chemistry. If you didn't already know some of these facts about her, that's perfectly fine! Marie Curie didn't depend on her initial knowledge but used her curiosity to come across all the amazing achievements she's made. Making an impact isn't solely just having your name be known, but rather how others are genuinely affected by you.

And like Marie Curie, today's affirmation is, *"I am proud to keep learning and growing."*

Thanks for listening and have a Make Change Monday!

SEAL Team pledge:

We are the Dyker S.E.A.L. Team

Positivity is our dream

We teach it every day

To help others live the optimistic way

We learn to control our emotions and feelings

So, we always have effective social dealings

No stone left unturned; no person left behind

Every member of our team has the power to be kind

We spread kindness to our friends, families, and those who need a smile

When facing hardships and adversity, the S.E.A.L. Team goes the extra mile

