THIS WEEK'S NOOK ACTIVITY IS HERE!!



SPRING COLORING

Stop by the nook table at OHP for coloring sheets to relieve your stress!

WHY COLOR?



Studies find that structured coloring reduces perceived stress, negative mental states, and can relieve anxiety.

Daily coloring is a simple and effective self-care activity!

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