Public institutions cannot be wholly sealed off from the communities they serve. Nor should they be. And physical barriers alone do not address the underlying conditions that lead to school shootings.

—John Rogers, p. 22

The best approaches to creating positive school cultures to support students’ well-being provide power under kids rather than asserting power over them.

—Bryan Goodwin and Lisa M. Jones, p. 82

Let students affected by trauma know that there is nothing they can do that will make you love them less.

—Rita Platt, p. 42