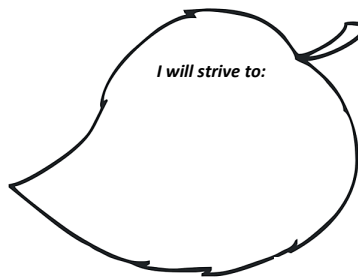


## SPAW Strive: Leaf Activity

This activity is meant to encourage students and staff to identify a way in which they want to strive. A sense of community is built once all of these goals are combined to create the leaves of a tree.

1. Selected individuals would go into classes and lead a discussion on the word "strive". Using the "strive" magnet as a resource, the adults and students would discuss ways in which the students could strive.
2. The students and participating staff would then pick one area in which they want to strive and write it on a leaf. (See attached for a leaf cutouts)
  - a. The discussion leaders would encourage the students and staff to monitor their progress.



3. Once created, the "leaves" would be placed on a tree. (See the tree below for an example. Feel free to make your own tree using construction paper etc.)



4. At the end of the SPAW, the discussion leaders would meet back up again in the classrooms with the students to reflect on how the strive goals went.

