

Respect

Thinking and acting in a positive way about yourself and others.

Children with Respect:

- Listen to others.
- Keep unkind words to self.
- Play fairly and wait for their turn.
- Use polite words.
- Do what they are told by the person in charge when they know it is the right thing to do.

Other words that mean Respect:

- Acceptance
- Equality

Books that teach Respect:

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| • Be Polite & Kind | PK-KN |
| • Know & Follow Rules | PK-KN |
| • Respect & Take Care of Things | PK-KN |
| • Share & Take Turns | PK-KN |
| • Join in and Play | PK-KN |
| • Hands are Not for Hitting | PK -1 st |
| • Words are Not for Hurting | KN-2 nd |
| • I Don't Care! (Respect) | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Stand Tall Molly Lou Mellon | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Odd Velvet | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Tacky the Penguin (Respecting Differences) | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Pickle Chiffon Pie (Words match Actions) | 3 rd -4 th |
| • The Crayon Box that Talked (Acceptance) | 4 th -5 th |
| • What if Zebras Lost their Stripes? | 4 th -5 th |

Websites that teach Respect:

<http://therespectdiversityfoundation.org/websites-for-kids-teens/>

<http://www.teach-nology.com/tutorials/teaching/respect/>

http://www.educationworld.com/a_lesson/lesson/lesson294.shtml

http://www.educationworld.com/a_curr/curr232.shtml

<http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/article/teaching-diversity-place-begin-0>

RESPONSIBILITY

Doing what you are supposed to do even when others are not looking.

Children with Responsibility:

- Complete their assignments.
- Think before they act.
- Accept consequences.
- Help others.

Other words that mean Responsibility:

- Dependability
- Reliability

Books that teach Responsibility:

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| • Know and Follow Rules | PK - KN |
| • I Just Forgot | PK - KN |
| • You Can Count on Me | PK – 1 st |
| • What Have You Done Davey? | KN – 2 nd |
| • Being Responsible | 1 st – 2 nd |
| • Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse | 2 nd – 3 rd |
| • Arthur's Pet Business | 3 rd – 5 th |
| • Strega Nona | 3 rd – 5 th |
| • Rules | 3 rd – 5 th |

Websites that teach Responsibility:

- www.thelearningcommunity.us
- www.empowerparents.com
- www.ikeepsafe.org
- www.kidssource.com

Self-Discipline

Being in control of all you say and do.

Children with Self-Discipline:

- Make good choices.
- Control their words and actions.
- Are patient with other children.
- Take responsibility for their actions.

Other words that mean Self-Discipline:

- Self-Control
- Moderation

Books That Teach Self-Control:

- No David
- When Sophie Gets Angry
- Lilly's Purple, Plastic Purse
- Hands are Not For Hitting
- Words are Not For Hurting
- Officer Buckles and Gloria
- The Tortoise and the Hare
- Listen Buddy
- Listen and Learn
- Whole body Listening
- The Berenstain Bears "Get the Gimmies" or "And the Bad Habit"

Websites that teach Self-Discipline:

www.parentingscience.com

www.imom.com

www.crosswalker.com

Perseverance

Continuing to try to do something that is difficult even when it is hard to do and others give up.

Children with Perseverance:

- Complete their assignments.
- Try again when they fail.
- Are willing to make mistakes.

Other words that mean Perseverance:

- Determination
- Diligence

Books that teach Perseverance:

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| • Try and Stick With It | PK-KN |
| • The Carrot Seed | PK-KN |
| • The Little Engine that Could | PK-1 st |
| • How to Catch a Star | PK-1 st |
| • Mathew's Dream | PK-2 nd |
| • Ruby's Wish | KN-2 nd |
| • Salt in his Shoes | KN-2 nd |
| • Flight School | KN-1 st |
| • Whistle for Willie | 1 st -2 nd |
| • The Tortoise and the Hare | 1 st -3 rd |
| • Farmer Duck | 1 st -3 rd |
| • Billy Jean, Bicycle Queen | 2 nd -4 th |
| • Brave Irene | 4 th -5 th |

Websites that teach Perseverance:

www.meaningfulmama.com

www.wonderteacher.com

www.teacherhub.com

www.momentsaday.com

Compassion

Being kind and caring about other people's feelings.

Children with Compassion:

- Try to help others.
- Comfort others who feel sad.
- Try to understand how others feel.
- Listen when others are talking.

Words that mean Compassion:

- Empathetic
- Considerate
- Kind
- Caring

Books that teach Compassion:

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| • Understand and Care | PK-KN |
| • Have You Filled a bucket Today? | KN-1 st |
| • Heartprints | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Chester's Way | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Giraffes Can't Dance | 2 nd -4 th |
| • Those Shoes | 3 rd -4 th |
| • Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed | 3 rd -5 th |

Websites that teach Compassion:

- www.b-inspiredmama.com
- www.rootsofaction.com/art-kindness
- www.kidsworldcitizen.org

HONESTY

Telling the truth and acting in a trustworthy way.

Children who are Honest:

- Tell all and only the truth.
- Keep their promises.
- Never steal.
- Do not cheat.

Other words that mean Honesty:

- Integrity
- Trustworthiness

Books that teach Honesty:

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| • Be Honest and tell the Truth | PK-KN |
| • Ruthie and the Not So Teeny Tiny Lie | PK-1 st |
| • The Berenstain Bears and the Truth | PK-1 st |
| • It Wasn't Me! | KN-1 st |
| • Jamaica's Find | 1 st -2 nd |
| • Franklin and Finders Keepers | 1 st -3 rd |
| • Ricky Sticky Fingers (Stealing) | 1 st -3 rd |
| • The Wolf who Called "Boy" | 2 nd -4 th |
| • Arthur and the True Francine (Cheating) | 3 rd -5 th |
| • Eli's Lie-O-Meter | 3 rd -5 th |

Websites that teach Honesty:

www.kidsactivitiesblog.com

www.momentsaday.com

www.livestrong.com

FAIRNESS

Treating others in an honest way so everyone has an equal chance.

Children who are Fair:

- Treat others the way they want to be treated.
- Follow the rules.
- Take turns.
- Accept others as they are.

Words that mean being Fair:

- Justness
- Impartiality

Books that teach Fairness and Cooperation:

- Being Fair
- Me First
- It's Mine
- Franklin is Bossy
- The Doorbell Rang
- The Sand Box
- The enormous Potato
- Pumpkin Soup

Websites that teach Fairness:

www.scholastic.com/teachers/learning-about-fairness

www.todaysparent.com/kids/learning-about-rules-and-fairness

www.pbs.org/wholechild/providers

Courage

Standing up for what you know is right – even when you are afraid and others do not stand with you.

Children who have Courage:

- Admit when they are wrong.
- Make good choices when others do not.
- Are kind to those who are unkind.
- Ask for help when they need it.

Other words that mean Courage:

- Fearlessness
- Valor
- Bravery

Books that teach Courage and Handling Fear:

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| • When I Feel Afraid | PK-KN |
| • I am Amelia Earhart | PK-KN |
| • I Feel Frightened | PK-1 st |
| • Feeling Afraid | PK-1 st |
| • Violet the Piolet | PK-2 nd |
| • Let's Talk about Feeling Worried | PK-2 nd |
| • Stand Tall Molly Lou Mellon | KN-2 nd |
| • Sheila Rae the Brave | KN-2 nd |
| • Thunder Rose | 2 nd -3 rd |
| • The Story of Ruby Bridges | 2 ⁿ -3 rd |
| • You're Mean, Lilly Jean | 3 rd -4 th |
| • Courage | 3 rd -5 th |
| • The Bravest of us All | 3 rd -5 th |

Websites that teach Courage:

- <http://carrotsareorange.com>
- www.kidsofintegrity.com

CITIZENSHIP

Caring about yourself, your community and the United States of America.

Children with good Citizenship:

- Obey rules and laws.
- Show respect for others.
- Show respect to the U. S. flag.
- Work to make community better.
- Care for the environment.

Other words that mean Citizenship:

- National
- Community Member

Books that teach Citizenship:

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| • I am a Good Citizen | PK-KN |
| • Franklin's Neighborhood | 1 st |
| • Citizenship-Being a Good Citizen | 2 nd |
| • Being a Good Citizen | 3 rd |
| • We Live Here Too | 4 th -5 th |

Websites that Teach Good Citizenship:

www.congressforkids.net/citizenship

www.learningliftoff.com/teaching/citizenship

www.howtolearn.com/2013/12/citizenship