

Be Proactive

I am responsible. I do not blame others for my wrong actions. I take initiative.

I choose my actions, attitudes, and moods. I do the right thing without being asked, even when no one is looking.

Character Building Connections:

Responsibility, Integrity, Initiative, Perseverance, Courage

Begin With The End In Mind

I plan ahead and set goals. I do things that have meaning and make a difference. I am an important part of my classroom and school.

Character Education Connections:

Effort, Responsibility, Goal Setting, Determination

Put First Things First

I spend my time on things that are important. I say "no" to the things that I know I should not do. I set priorities, make a schedule and follow a plan. I am organized and show self-control.

Character Education Connections:

Organization, Self-Control, Commitment, Initiative Think Win-Win

I balance courage for getting what I want, with consideration for what others want. I make deposits into other's "emotional bank accounts". When disagreements happen, I look for a "third" solution.



Fairness, Flexibility, Problem Solving, Respect

Seek First To Understand... Then To Be Understood



I listen to other people's ideas and feelings. I try to see things from their point of view.

I listen without interrupting.

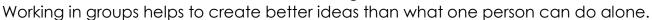
I share my opinions and ideas.

Character Education Connections:

Compassion, Friendship, Caring, Courtesy, Respect, Active Listening

Synergize

Everyone is good at something. Everyone needs to get better at something. We can all learn something from one another.



Character Education Connections:

Individuality, Creativity, Cooperation, Patience

Sharpen The Saw



I take care of myself by eating things that are good for me, exercising and getting enough sleep. I learn about many new things, not just things at school. I take the time to help others.

Character Education Connections:

Pride, Sense of Humor, Curiosity, Generosity





