

2019-20 Character Education Words of the Week

RESPECT Showing regard for the worth of someone or something.		
August 1	Self-Respect	Pride and belief in oneself and in achievement of one's potential
August 5	Self-Control	Control of your actions and emotions
August 12	Courtesy	Polite behavior
August 19	Respect for Others	Appreciation for the importance of and efforts of others
August 26	Punctuality	Promptness
September 3	Trustworthiness	Worthy of confidence, reliable
RESPONSIBILITY Taking care of self and others; to carry out a duty or task carefully and thoroughly.		
September 9	School Pride	Care and satisfaction in your school's achievement and success
September 16	Respect for the Environment	The conservation and care of your surroundings
September 30	Dependability	Can be counted on; reliable
October 7	Tolerance	Fair, objective and open-minded
October 15	Honor	A sense of what is right, just, and true
CITIZENSHIP Respectful devotion to one's country and/or school.		
October 21	Sportsmanship	The ability to take winning and losing without gloating or complaining
October 28	Gratitude	A feeling of thankful appreciation for benefits received
November 4	Patriotism	Respectful devotion to one's country
November 11	Respect for Authority	Responding in a positive and respectful manner to rules and guidance
COMPASSION Showing concern or sympathy for others.		
November 18	Generosity/Service	Willingness to give and share unselfishly your time and talents in your community
December 2	Kindness	Consideration and willingness to help others
December 9	Commitment	Being dedicated to a cause or activity

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RESILIENCE		
The capacity to successfully manage high levels of change.		
December 16	Self-Confidence	Positive attitude about, and trust in one's self; sense of security and self-assurance
January 7	Flexibility	Quality of showing adaptability and versatility
January 13	Diligence	Consistent attention to quality work; remaining focused on your goal
January 21	Initiative	Proactive; thinking and taking action on your own
January 27	Resourcefulness	Clever, Creative, Imaginative, Inventive
TOLERANCE		
Respecting the individual differences, views, and beliefs of other people.		
February 3	Acceptance	Recognition of the diversity of others, their opinions, practices, and culture
February 10	Creativity	Use of imagination or original ideas
February 24	Cooperation	Working together for a common purpose
March 2	Fairness	Equal treatment of behavior and viewpoints of others
COMMITMENT		
The obligation or pledge to carry out some action or to support some policy or person.		
March 9	Cheerfulness	Being in pleasant spirits
March 16	Motivation	The desire to move towards a goal
March 23	Perseverance	Working hard without giving up
INTEGRITY		
Steadfast adherence to a strict code of moral, ethical, or artistic values; to consistently be truthful and fair.		
March 30	Honesty	Truthfulness and sincerity
April 13	Virtue	Moral excellence; goodness
April 20	Loyalty	Faithful to a person, an organization, or your country
ACCOMPLISHMENT		
Appreciation for attaining one's goals.		
April 27	Self-Reliance	Relying on one's own abilities, efforts, or judgments
May 4	Courage	To meet a challenge without giving in to fear
May 11	Patience	The power to wait calmly without complaining