

# Integrity

Dear Parents,

During this month of Character Education your child will be discussing Integrity. Students will understand the importance of adherence to a code of conduct necessary for successful performance in the workplace and in their personal lives.

Listed below are activities which will reinforce integrity and will offer opportunities for you to become involved in your child's education.

- Identify specific adults that exhibit integrity, and how they conduct themselves in their personal lives as well as the workplace.
- Discuss the positive traits of integrity and the consequences of not exhibiting these traits.
- Discuss major characters found in comic strips, plays, and television shows you read or watch with your children. Ask your child which characters exhibit integrity. Ask them to explain their reasons. Guide them to identify characteristics or qualities that demonstrate whether the character has integrity or not.
- Have each family member complete the sentence: I have integrity because \_\_\_\_\_.
- Discuss how a person's integrity could be tarnished by acts of dishonesty.

Your cooperation in this effort is greatly appreciated. We appreciate your continued support for Building Good Citizens for Texas throughout the school year. We encourage you to reinforce these citizenship components throughout the summer.

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*"There is no substitute for honesty, and no real excuse for dishonesty."*

*"The pure and simple truth is rarely pure and never simple."*

*"Discipline yourself, and others won't have to."*