

Character Corner

Citizenship

Citizenship means being law abiding and involved in service to school, community, and country.

Character Words:

Volunteer	Patriot
Independence	Vote
Peace	Duty
Nation	Freedom
Rights	Liberty
Choice	Allegiance

Volunteering to help others also helps us. There are simple ways that families can volunteer within our community. For example, organize or participate in a community clean-up project, or ask how you can help around the school.



Serving in the military is an important way that people show good citizenship. You can show your good citizenship by supporting these heroes. Writing letters to the troops and visiting local veterans are two ways. Can you think of any others?

Demonstrate good citizenship by exercising your right to vote, and bring your child into the voting booth with you.

Citizenship needs to be practiced. Give your child the chance to learn and practice this quality. Then, tell us how he/she demonstrated it by returning the attached form to

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A small prize will be mailed to each child. Please includes your child's name and address with the form. 1 per person. All names and addresses will be kept confidential.

My Child showed citizenship by: _____

Source note: Character word of the week

My child has also continued to demonstrate the following (please)

Respect __ Citizenship __ Caring __ Tolerance __ Trustworthiness __ Fairness __ Responsibility __