

**LIFESKILLS/WORDS OF THE WEEK  
CHARACTER EDUCATION SCHEDULE  
2009-2010**

**Weeks of:**

August 10 & 17	<b>RESPONSIBILITY:</b> To do what you are supposed to do with a good attitude and without being reminded.
Aug. 24 & Aug. 31	<b>PATIENCE:</b> To wait calmly for someone or something.
September 8 & 14	<b>FRIENDSHIP:</b> To make and keep a friend by caring, sharing and helping.
September 21 & 28	<b>CURIOSITY:</b> An eager desire to learn.
Oct. 5	<b>RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK (Real Life Center - give canned goods)</b>
October 12 & 19	<b>EMPATHY:</b> To identify with and understand another person's situation, feelings and motives.
October 26 & Nov. 2	<b>CITIZENSHIP:</b> Demonstrating individual rights and privileges as a citizen of the United States
November 9 & 16	<b>INTEGRITY:</b> To act in an honorable way with a sense of what's right and wrong.
Nov. 30	<b>CARING:</b> To feel concern for another person and show it by listening and trying to understand.
December 7	<b>RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK (Gift of Giving Campaign- Donate new, unwrapped toys for families)</b>
December 14	<b>CARING:</b> To feel concern for another person and show it by listening and trying to understand.
Jan. 4 & 11	<b>FLEXIBILITY:</b> The ability to change plans when necessary.
January 19 & 25	<b>COOPERATION:</b> To work together to get a job done.
Feb. 1	<b>RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK (Pennies for Patients- Donate pennies and other coins to help fight leukemia)</b>
Feb. 8 & 22	<b>ORGANIZATION:</b> To have a plan for using your time and keeping your things in their place.
March 1 & 8	<b>SENSE OF HUMOR:</b> To laugh and be playful without hurting others.
March 15 & 22	<b>EFFORT:</b> To try your hardest.
March 29	<b>RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK (Fayette Samaritans- Donate gently used clothes for a good cause)</b>
April 12 & 19	<b>PROBLEM SOLVING:</b> To find an answer when you don't know what to do.
April 26	<b>INITIATIVE:</b> To take the first action in doing something.
May 3 & 10	<b>APPRECIATION:</b> To show gratitude toward others who have meant a great deal to you.
May 17 & 24	<b>PERSEVERANCE:</b> To keep on trying even when something is hard to do.