



CHARACTER COUNTS!

at Kings River School

Thoughts become words, words become actions, actions become character. Character is Destiny.

Citizenship...

- Do what you're supposed to do
- Do your part to improve your school & community
- Protect the environment
- Cooperate
- Stay informed
- Vote
- Be a good neighbor
- Obey laws and rules
- Respect authority

“Life’s most persistent and urgent question is, ‘what are you doing for others?’”
- Martin Luther King, Jr.

What can you do to be a good citizen?

- Recycle. Collect used plastic, paper, and aluminum items around the house.
- Help your neighborhood. Pick up any trash you see around your neighborhood.
- Be a volunteer at your school or community center.
- Get involved. A true citizenship means participation, involvement and contribution. No one can make a difference without getting involved.



7th and 8th grade band students



How can you show good citizenship?

- Vote!
- Create a list of community responsibilities and privileges. Work on the responsibilities.
- In conversation, use citizenship related words, such as rights, obligation, duty, community, selflessness, law and government.
- Have a family referendum in which family members vote on local, state or national issues.
- Select a family service project each week to help someone in your community.
- Participate in local celebrations.
- Display your child’s drawings of significant places in your community. Have a “showing” for family and even friends and neighbors.

Assembly Highlights

Band and chorus students from Mr. Jones’s class performed. Students at Kings River School watched a CHARACTER COUNTS! DVD called In Search of Character—Citizenship.



K-3 students who received the CHARACTER COUNTS! Citizenship award.



4-6 students who received the CHARACTER COUNTS! Citizenship award.

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