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CPC TAEKWONDO
CHILDREN'S PERSONAL CONDUCT
BODY & MIND

WILLINGNESS TO LEARN

Teach positive attitude toward learning new things.



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“WILLINGNESS TO LEARN”

In order to do well in the world we must always be willing to learn from others around us. We must open our minds to learn from our teachers, coaches, parents, and all the different people we meet each day. We should pay attention when people speak to us, try to understand what they are saying, and then try to apply this knowledge. Sometimes we may learn the most valuable lessons from the most unlikely people.



MONTH:

YEAR:

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT

Draw a smiley face ☺ or a star ★ for completed jobs only. Stickers or stamps may also be used.



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- 1) Ask questions
- 2) Read a book
- 3) Learn to draw
- 4) Learn a new board game
- 5) Start a hobby

Ten Home Rules For Children

- 1) Be polite and thoughtful when speaking to others
- 2) Always respect your parents, teachers, and elders
- 3) Be kind to your brothers and sisters
- 4) Keep your room neat and tidy
- 5) Keep your hair, teeth, and body clean daily
- 6) Never interrupt adult conversations
- 7) Review, study and finish your homework on time
- 8) Ask your parents to arrange family time
- 9) Join school activities
- 10) Read a new book every month



Help your child memorize the ten home rules for children. Use them as reminders when needed.

IMPORTANT HOME RULES PARENTS SET UP FOR THIS LESSON!

(Parents can write down guidelines or tasks for your children to follow along with this lessons.)

WRITE DOWN THE TASKS THAT YOU WANT YOUR CHILD TO DO FOR THIS LESSON.

COMMENTS

WRITE DOWN SHORT COMMENTS ON YOUR CHILD'S PERFORMANCE.

WILLINGNESS TO LEARN / Self Discipline

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WILLINGNESS TO LEARN FROM OUR FRIENDS

Did you ever hear the saying, "I learn something new everyday!"? Our friends can teach us valuable lessons everyday. We can learn good habits by imitating our friend's good behavior. We can learn what not to do when our friends act poorly or get into trouble. If a friend wants us to do something that we know is wrong, we must be strong and say, "No! That's wrong. I know better!". Our friends can teach us many good things.



Q. What are some good things you might learn from a friend?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

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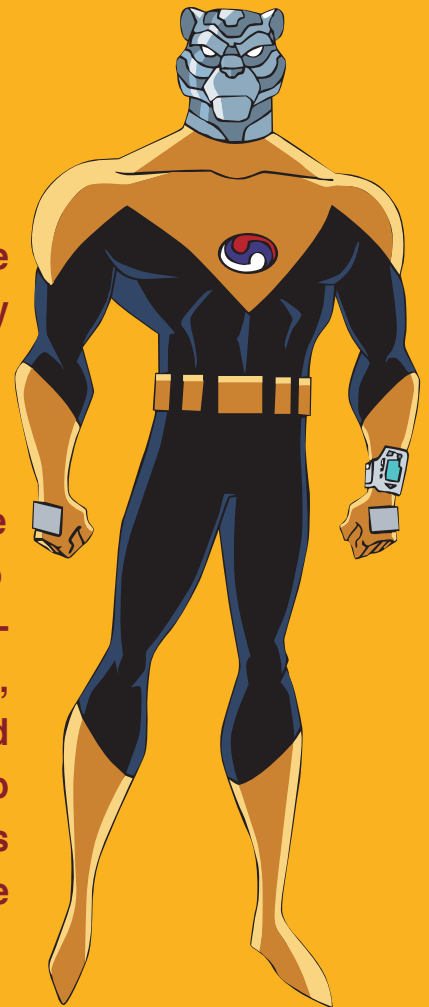
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Learning is the best part of growing up.

It is often said that we are entering "the information age". We could just as easily say, "we are entering the age of learning." The amount of learning taking place in the world is many times greater than the past. In order to do well in the world we must open our minds and be willing to learn from those around us. We should listen carefully to our teachers, instructors, coaches, and parents. Try to understand what they are saying, and learn how to use this knowledge they offer. Sometimes we can learn valuable lessons from the most unlikely people.



Q. How can we show that we are eager to learn?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

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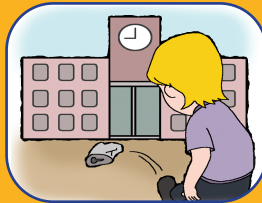
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When we are eager to learn new things, we become better students. When we try our best to focus on a lesson and pay attention to the teacher, we are showing that we are eager to learn. Our minds work best when we have a great attitude, and really want to learn.

Inappropriate Behavior : One resists being taught and ignores the teacher.

Appropriate Behavior : One is willing to learn and shows great respect for the teacher.

Donny sulks in the morning and complains about going to school.



Donny comes to class unprepared and without his books.



Donny whispers to a classmate and misses the directions.



Andy eagerly goes to school each day to learn new things.



Andy packs his backpack with all the supplies he will need.



Andy listens carefully when the teacher begins her lesson.

Q. What should you do in the morning to be ready for school?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

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Simple Lessons

In a small stone cabin at the edge of a forest there lived a boy and his old grandmother. The grandmother had lived a long time, and had been to many exciting and faraway places. The boy was very curious about her adventures, and wanted to learn about the clever elves and giant dragons that she had met. The grandmother promised to teach her grandson one lesson each day until he was ready to go out into the world on his own.



The boy expected these lessons to be daring and dangerous, but most days the grandmother taught him very ordinary chores. She taught him how to bake bread and make soup. She taught him how to weave a reed basket and sew a leather pouch. The boy was disappointed that the lessons were not more exciting, but he was very willing to learn just the same. He knew that his grandmother was very wise, and that she understood what skills he would need to get along in the world. So during each lesson, no matter how simple, he listened carefully, paid close attention, and worked his hardest.

Sure enough, when the boy set out on his own, right away he met up with an angry troll who demanded a loaf of home-baked bread. Luckily, the boy had learned to bake bread from his wise grandmother. Later, the boy met a wicked witch who wanted to turn him into a turtle so she could make turtle soup. The boy thought fast, and since he had learned to make delicious soup, he was able to cook for the witch and then run away. Another time a huge dragon asked the boy to carry her eggs up the mountainside to her nest.

The boy was able to quickly weave a reed basket to safely hold all the eggs. The dragon rewarded him with many gold coins.

All through his life, the boy had many exciting adventures, and time after time he realized that the simple lessons he had learned as a child were the very important things that helped him as he grew up to be a man.

We should always be willing to learn, no matter what the lesson is about. Some of the most important things we learn are the most simple.

Q. Was it difficult for the boy to keep his focus? Why?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____