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Character



sharing and caring

Character

Your character is the way you behave.

It is why you behave a certain way.

Your character is also referred to as your moral values, ethics, or virtues.



Character is not the same as manners. Manners is a group of rules that each culture has about the physical things people do when they are together. These can be very different from one culture to another.

Manners are about how you walk and talk or eat simple things that are learned but can be changed according to where you are and who you are with. You may act one way with your family on Thanksgiving and another way at restaurant with your friends.

Manners are about you and what people see on the outside.

Character is about the inside you.

It is about what you know to be right or wrong no matter where you are or who you are with.

Write the definition of each word on the lines below. Use a dictionary or the Internet.

character _____

ethics _____

Character



kindness

Once you have noticed the traits in others that you would like to have in yourself, you need a plan of action. You need to get in the habit of practicing these traits. Look for opportunities to exercise your strengths. This is character development. Avoid things and places that can cause you to make wrong choices.

You will know you have achieved a comfort level with a trait when you act without thinking based upon your new inner strength. Constant awareness of the need and ability to do the "Right Thing," builds your character. You are what you believe yourself to be.

Every parent has thoughts and hopes for the kind of character and values they want to teach their children. Talk with your parents and family about what is important to them. Ask them what kind of character traits they would like you to have.



Think of three character traits you would like to have, or three you already have.
Write about these below.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Character

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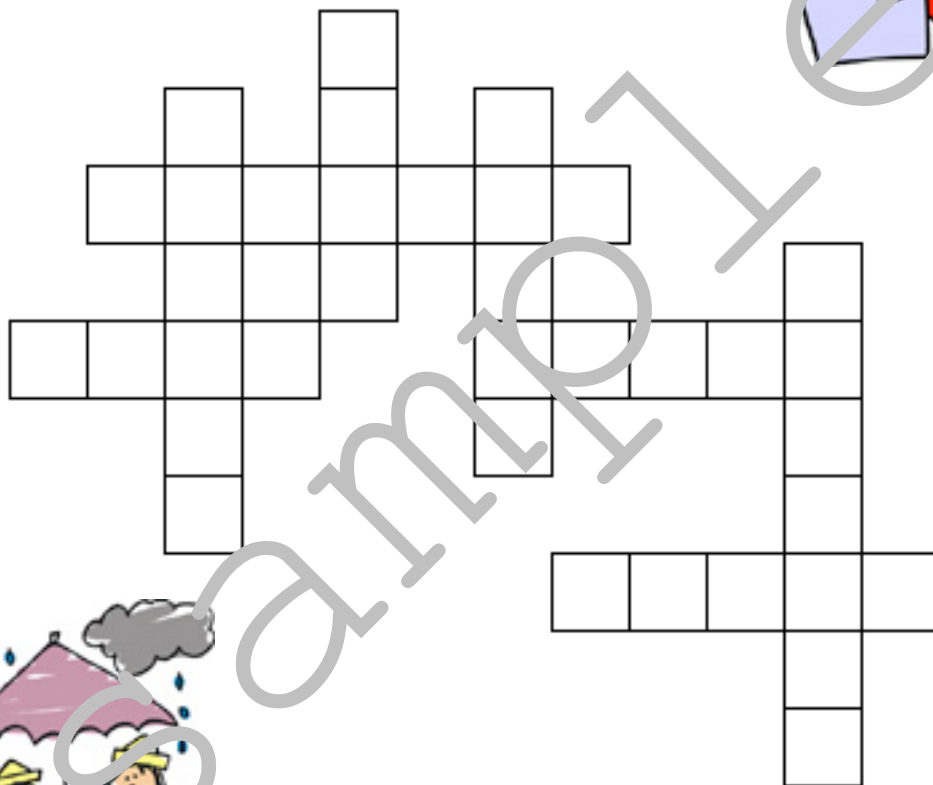
Can you fit these words into the criss cross?
Use a pencil so you can erase if you need to.

kind
rules

share
respect

fair
manners

caring
trust



share