



# Character Development Theme for May: Integrity

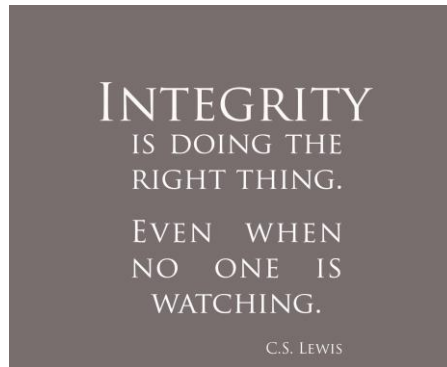
Sun.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat.
	1 Day 5  Akshaya Tritya (Hinduism)	2 Day 1	3 Day 2	4 Day 3	5 Day 4 Birchmount Track & Field Competition  Cinco de Mayo  Red Dress Day: Reflection on Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two-Spirit People  Character Recognition Integrity Assemblies Gr. 4-8 (AM) Gr. 1-3 (PM)	6
7  International Family Equity Day	8 Day 5  Gr. 8 Etobicoke Outdoor Education Trip	9 Day 1  Mr. Davidson & Mr. Lewis' Class Trip	10 Day 2  →	11 Day 3  Coby the Magician: Anti-bullying Show (AM)	12 Day 4  Character Education Kindergarten Integrity Assembly (AM)	13
14  Mother's Day  	15 Day 5  Mrs. Apostolopoulos' Class Outdoor Education Trip  International Day of Families	16 Day 1  →	17 Day 2  International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia & Biphobia	18 Day 3  Gr. 1 and Gr. 1//2 Class Trip	19 Day 4  Donwood Park Talent Show	20
21	22  Victoria Day No School  	23 Day 5  Mental Health and Fitness Week	24 Day 1  Mrs. Voltsinis & Ms. Chong's Class Trip	25 Day 2  K-8 Classes Moving EDGEducation Workshops  Family Wellness Night (5:30 – 7:00pm)	26 Day 3  →  Gr. 1 – 8 Integrity Awards Assemblies (AM)	27
28	29 Day 4  Bike to School Week May 29 – June 2	30 Day 5 Jump Rope for Heart School Event  Parent Webinar: Welcome to Kindergarten (2:15 p.m.)	31 Day 1  World No Tobacco Day  In Person Welcome to Kindergarten Event (1:45 p.m.)			

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Please review the character trait INTEGRITY with your child – see reverse

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**Your child can show integrity by:**

- Being honest and trustworthy toward peers, friends, and family members.
- Admitting mistakes and learning from them.
- Making the right choices and following through with the appropriate actions.

**Questions to discuss with your child:**

- Discuss the importance of standing by what you believe.
- Tell your child where you stand on important issues and discuss your reasons for taking that stand.

**Projects to do together:**

- Brainstorm a list of controversial topics. Discuss both points of view of the topic.
- Watch a show, video clip or movie in which characters show integrity and talk about the various ways in which those characters acted with integrity.
- Discuss and share examples of situations in which a family member acted with integrity.

**Encouraging integrity in your child:**

- Talk to your child about what it means to have integrity.
- Encourage and praise your child when they show integrity.
- Provide your child with opportunities to actively engage in discussions that will help develop their opinions.
- Encourage your child to think about whether something is ethically right or wrong.

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