

Code of Conduct for Students (Grades 4-5)

1. Be kind and respectful

- Treat others the way you want to be treated.
- Use kind words and actions.
- Respect everyone, including school adults, classmates and visitors.

2. Keep our school safe

- Follow safety rules and listen to school adults.
- Report any unsafe situations or problems to a school adult.

3. Follow instructions

- Listen carefully to school adults and follow their directions.
- Follow the classroom expectations.

4. Speak up against bullying

- Tell a trusted adult if you see someone being bullied or if you're being bullied.
- Be a friend to those who need support.

5. Focus on learning

- Do your best to attend every day.
- Pay attention in class and try your best. Ask for help when you need it and don't give up.
- Create a learning environment for others to do their best learning.

6. Use technology responsibly

- Keep cell phones and other personal electronics turned off, and in your school bag. Only use them with permission from a teacher or principal.
- Only use school computers and devices for learning purposes.
- Treat technology with care and follow the rules for internet safety.

7. Be honest and fair

- Always tell the truth, even when it's hard.
- Play games and sports fairly, without cheating or being mean.

8. Be a good community member

- Include everyone and be kind to your classmates.
- Help others when they need it and stand up for what's right.
- Become a positive leader in the school by volunteering, helping other students and taking a lead to create a positive school community.

9. Take care of our school

- Keep our school clean and tidy.
- Respect school property, supplies and equipment, and report any damage or problems.
- Use materials so we do not create waste.

10. Respect differences

- Celebrate everyone's differences and treat everyone with kindness.
- Don't judge others based on how they look, talk, or act.

Remember: Following the Code of Conduct helps us create a happy and welcoming school community where everyone can feel safe and valued. Let's work together to make our schools a great place to learn and grow!

Grade 4/5 Sample with I statements:**Our Promise:**

I, _____, as a student of _____ school, pledge to create a safe, caring, and positive environment where everyone can learn and grow together.

1. Be kind and respectful

- I will treat others the way I want to be treated.
- I will use kind words and actions.
- I will respect everyone, including teachers, classmates, and visitors.

2. Keep our school safe

- I will follow safety rules and listen to school adults.
- I will report any unsafe situations or problems to a teacher.

3. Follow instructions

- I will listen carefully to teachers and follow their directions.
- I will raise my hand and wait to be called on before speaking.

4. Speak up against bullying

- I will tell an adult if I see someone being bullied or if I'm being bullied.
- I will be a friend to those who need support.

5. Focus on learning

- I will pay attention in class and try my best showing care and pride in my work
- I will be open to learning new things
- I will complete assignments and ask for help when I need it

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- I will treat technology with care and follow the rules for internet safety.

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- I will always tell the truth, even if it's hard.
- I will play games and sports fairly, without cheating or being mean.

8. Be a good friend

- I will include everyone and be kind to my classmates.
- I will help others when they need it and stand up for what's right.

9. Take care of our school

- I will keep our school clean and tidy.
- I will respect school property and report any damage or problems.

10. Respect differences

- I will celebrate everyone's differences and treat everyone with kindness.
- I will not judge others based on how they look, talk or act.

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