

At ABE...

Character Counts, Everywhere, All the Time!

Characteristics of a Successful Learner

The following characteristics are anchored on the CCISD core values (trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, Fairness, caring, and citizenship) and the additional values emphasized at Armand Bayou (excellence, innovation, and initiative).

Exhibit trustworthiness

In CCISD, successful learners act with honesty, integrity, and loyalty. "Exhibit trustworthiness" means each student understands the importance of telling the truth, being reliable, and honoring commitments to self and others.

Demonstrate respect for others

In CCISD, successful learners use kind words, listen with an open-mind, resolve conflict peacefully, and value diversity. "Demonstrate respect for others" means each student understands the importance of unconditional acceptance of self and others.

Demonstrate self-direction and responsibility

In CCISD, successful learners come prepared, participate, and accepts personal ownership of their actions. "Demonstrate self-direction and responsibility" means each student understands the impact of personal choices and actions on self and others.

Display fairness and cooperation

In CCISD, successful learners play by the rules and share with others. "Display fairness and cooperation" means each student understands the importance of considering the feelings and needs of others and being inclusive of all.

Care for others

In CCISD successful learners help others, show empathy, and display tolerance. "Care for others" means each students understands the importance of kindness and empathy toward self and others.

Demonstrate citizenship

In CCISD, successful learners contribute to the well-being of their home, school, community, and country. "Demonstrate citizenship" means each student understands the importance of volunteerism and collaboration in achieving personal and communal goals.

Exhibit excellence in all that I do

At ABE, successful learners show excellence with their effort. "Exhibit excellence" means that students understand that when faced with challenges, giving their best effort is expected.

Be innovative and take positive risks

At ABE, successful learners are innovative and "think outside the box." "Be innovative" means that students understand the value of applying their current knowledge to utilize new methods or ideas to solve problems.

Show initiative

At ABE, successful learners seize opportunities to begin important tasks or address a situation without being asked. "Show initiative" means that students understand the importance of being a self-starter.



Terrapin Commitments

I am **trustworthy**, you can count on me.



I show **excellence**, expect my best.

I am **respectful**, I follow the Golden Rule.



I am **responsible**, I own my actions.

I am **innovative**, I think outside the box.



I am **fair**, I play by the rules.

I show **initiative**, I am a self-starter.



I am **caring**, I help those in need.

I am a TERRIFIC **citizen** from A.B.E.

If you are looking for a leader, then that's me.

