

# CHARACTER EDUCATION

# GENEROSITY



# GENEROSITY



## TABLE OF CONTENTS

### FORMS & SUPPLEMENTS

Parent Letter.....	3
Writing Prompts & Sample Role Play Scenarios.....	4
Morning Announcements.....	5
Reward Tags and Bookmarks.....	6-7
Pre and Post Survey.....	8-9
Certificate.....	10-11

### ACTIVITIES

Ways to show Generosity.....	12-14
Students/Leaders/Careers/Digital Generosity.....	14-18
Think and Respond.....	19-24
Multiple Choice.....	25-30
A Generous World .....	31-40
Self-reflection.....	41-43
Task Cards: Think and Discuss.....	44-50
Situation Cards: What would you do? .....	51-57

### BULLETIN BOARD/DÉCOR ELEMENTS & GOOGLE LINK

Definition Posters.....	58-61
Quote Poster.....	62
Students/Careers/Leaders/ Digital Generosity Posters.....	63-66
Generosity Pledge.....	67-68
Bulletin Board Letters.....	69-72
Binder Spines.....	73
Google Slides Link & Instructions.....	74

# GENEROSITY

## PARENT LETTER

Dear Parents and Guardians,

At school, we encourage students to notice when others might need help, share what they can, celebrate others' successes, and show kindness in their daily actions. When we work together as a school community and at home, generosity becomes a habit that builds empathy, cooperation, and a positive atmosphere for everyone.

Here are a few simple ways you can support generosity at home:

- Model giving and kindness.** Show how small acts—like holding a door, helping a neighbor, or offering a compliment—can make a big difference.
- Highlight generous choices.** Notice and praise when your child shares, helps a sibling, or stands up for a friend.
- Create opportunities to help others.** Encourage volunteering, donating items they've outgrown, or helping with a family chore without being asked.
- Talk about empathy.** Ask questions like: "How do you think they felt?" or "What could we do to help?"

Middle school students are capable of incredible kindness. When they learn the joy of giving—whether it's sharing school supplies, offering encouragement, or making someone feel included—they help build a supportive school community where everyone can thrive. Thank you for partnering with us to help students grow into caring and generous young people. We appreciate all you do!

# GENEROSITY

## WRITING PROMPTS

1. What does generosity mean to you, and why is it important in friendships?
2. Describe a time when someone was generous toward you. How did it make you feel?
3. Write about a situation when you showed generosity. What motivated you to help?
4. Why is being generous sometimes difficult, and how can you push past that feeling?
5. How can you show generosity at school, even without money or gifts?
6. What is one way you can be more generous at home or in your community this week?
7. How does generosity help make the world a better place?

# GENEROSITY

## SAMPLE ROLE PLAY SCENARIOS

1. Two students are sitting together at lunch. One student realizes they forgot their lunch. The other has a sandwich, fruit, and chips.

Student A ignores the problem and eats their own lunch. Student B offers to share half their sandwich. Student C offers to share snacks but keeps the main meal.

Discussion: How did generosity (or lack of it) affect the friendship? What's an easy way to be generous without going hungry yourself?

2. A group is working on a science project. One student struggles with drawing the diagram. Another student finishes their part early.

Student A says, "That's your problem, I'm done." Student B says, "I'll do it for you." Student C says, "I'll show you how I did mine and help you practice."

Discussion: Which choice shows generosity and builds skills? How can helping someone strengthen a team?

3. A student realizes they forgot a pencil for class. Another has a whole pack of pencils in their locker.

Student A says: "Too bad, you should be prepared." Student B: Give them a pencil but remind them it's borrowed. Student C: Give them a pencil and say, "No worries, I have plenty."

Discussion: When is it hard to share? Why does being generous with small things matter?



# GENEROSITY

## MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Week 1:** We are learning all about generosity. We defined generosity as being kind and giving to others. Some ways you can show generosity at school are sharing and lending items to classmates, showing a new classmate around the school, teaching a classmate something you know, giving a gift to a friend, be kind, and listen to a friend.

**\*Week 2:** We are continuing to learn all about generosity. Remember being generous means being kind and giving to others. Some ways that you can show generosity at home are helping out around the house, giving a gift to your family members, helping a sibling with homework, and going through your closet and donating items.

**\*Week 3:** We are continuing to learn all about generosity. Remember being generous is being kind and giving to others. Some ways that you can show generosity in your community is by giving to charity, donating items, volunteering, helping to clean up a neighbor's yard, walking a neighbor's dog for them, and holding a fundraiser.

**\*Week 4:** As we continue to learn about generosity, let's reflect on this quote by Margaret Cho, "Sometimes when we are generous in small barely detectable ways, it can change someone else's life forever." This means that when you are generous even in a small way, it can make a big difference in someone's life and in the world. What is one way you will show generosity today?

**\*Week 5:** Generosity is an essential trait to have for many careers. Social Workers for example show a lot of generosity. Social Workers help people cope with the challenges they are facing. These challenges include health care, mental health, financial concerns, and safety and wellbeing. Social workers advocate for assistance and resources for their clients. Having a passion for helping others is important because people who are experiencing a vulnerable time in their lives rely on social workers to connect them with resources and find solutions to problems. They use their skills and expertise to help create healthier families and communities. Think of a career you may be interested in and how you can show generosity within that career.

**\*Week 6:** Generosity is also shown by many leaders throughout history and is an important feature of being a leader. One such leader was Princess Diana, a member of the British Royal Family, married to the heir to the British Throne, Prince Charles. She was celebrated for her approach to charity work, helping children and the elderly. She also had a heavy involvement in helping AIDS patients, and worked with the Red Cross for the removal of landmines. Her compassion, personal warmth, humility, and accessibility earned her the nickname "The People's Princess." She showed us the importance of being a generous leader, she said *"Anywhere I see suffering, that is where I want to be, doing what I can."* Think about how you can be a leader in your classroom by showing generosity.

# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



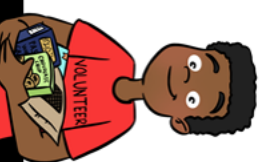
**I SHOWED  
GENEROSITY**



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



**I SHOWED  
GENEROSITY**



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



**I SHOWED  
GENEROSITY**



**I SHOWED  
GENEROSITY**



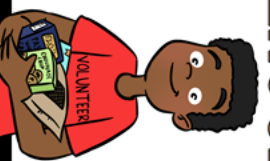
# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



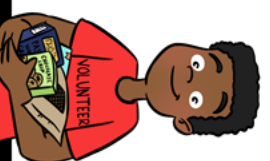
# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



# I SHOWED GENEROSITY



**I SHOWED  
GENEROSITY**



I CAN SHOW  
**GENEROSITY**

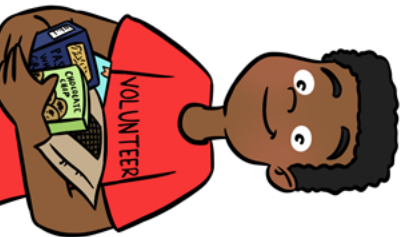
BY BEING

**Kind** AND

*giving*

TO

OTHERS.



CHARACTER EDUCATION

I CAN SHOW  
**GENEROSITY**

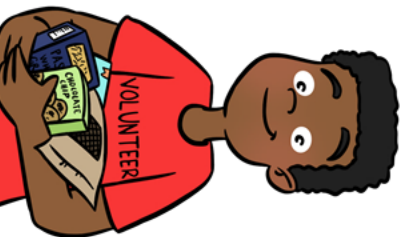
BY BEING

**Kind** AND

*giving*

TO

OTHERS.



CHARACTER EDUCATION

I CAN SHOW  
**GENEROSITY**

BY BEING

**Kind** AND

*giving*

TO

OTHERS.



CHARACTER EDUCATION

I CAN SHOW  
**GENEROSITY**

BY BEING

**Kind** AND

*giving*

TO

OTHERS.



CHARACTER EDUCATION

I CAN SHOW  
**GENEROSITY**

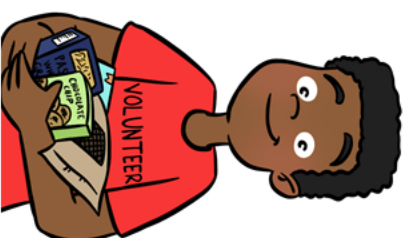
BY BEING

**Kind** AND

*giving*

TO

OTHERS.



CHARACTER EDUCATION



# GENEROSITY

## PRE-SURVEY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I am learning to be generous.



Always



Sometimes



Hardly



Never

I notice when others need help and offer to support them.				
I share my time, talents, and kindness with others.				
I include those who might feel left out.				
I do small acts of kindness without expecting anything in return.				
I celebrate others' successes with encouragement and positivity.				
I give back to my school, home, or community through helpful actions.				
I choose to be generous even when it takes effort or courage.				

# GENEROSITY

## POST-SURVEY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I am learning to be generous.



Always



Sometimes



Hardly



Never

I notice when others need help and offer to support them.				
I share my time, talents, and kindness with others.				
I include those who might feel left out.				
I do small acts of kindness without expecting anything in return.				
I celebrate others' successes with encouragement and positivity.				
I give back to my school, home, or community through helpful actions.				
I choose to be generous even when it takes effort or courage.				



# GENEROSITY GOOD CHARACTER AWARD

Presented to:

---

---

Teacher



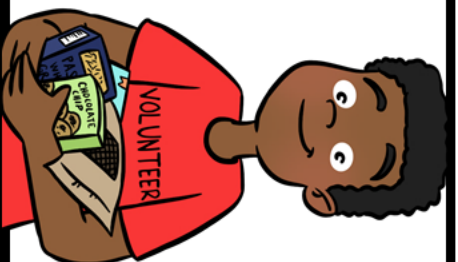
---

Date

# GENEROUSITY GOOD CHARACTER AWARD

Presented to:

---



---

Teacher

---

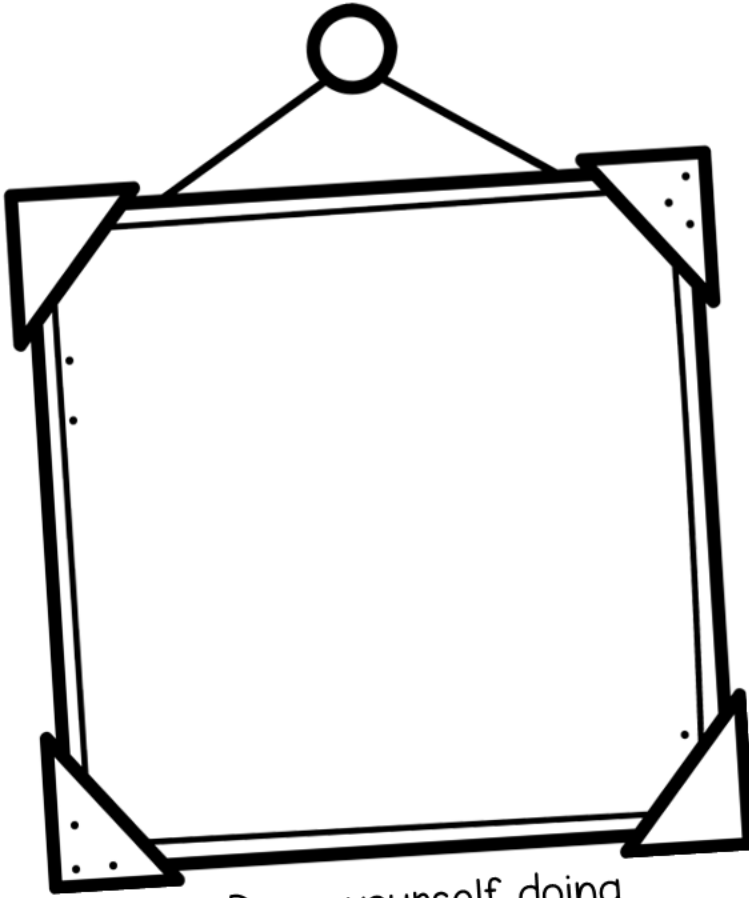
Date

# GENEROSITY

## WAYS TO SHOW GENEROSITY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Draw yourself doing something generous.

I can show generosity by...



What does generosity mean to me?



---

---

---

---

---

# GENEROSITY

## WAYS TO SHOW GENEROSITY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Ways I can show generosity at School



- Share supplies (pencils, paper, charger) when someone needs them
- Help a classmate understand homework or class instructions
- Include others in conversations, games, and group work
- Offer to help clean up a shared space (cafeteria, classroom, lockers)
- Give compliments and celebrate others' successes
- Volunteer to help a teacher or new student
- Let someone go ahead of you in line
- Leave positive notes or encouragement for others

### Ways I can show generosity at Home



- Help with chores without being asked
- Spend time with siblings, especially when they need company
- Share screen time, games, or belongings politely
- Help cook, clean, or take care of pets
- Offer comfort when someone is having a tough day
- Show gratitude by surprising family members with small acts of kindness
- Be patient and understanding when others are busy or stressed

### Ways I can show generosity in my Community



- Hold doors open for others
- Help neighbors (bring in mail, rake leaves, shovel snow, etc.)
- Donate clothes, books, or toys no longer needed
- Volunteer at events, shelters, sports games, or libraries
- Show respect and kindness to community workers
- Pick up trash at parks or community spaces
- Give time to help younger kids or community programs
- Support local causes or fundraisers

# GENEROSITY

## WAYS TO SHOW GENEROSITY SORT

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Ways I can show  
generosity in my School

Ways I can show generosity  
in my Home

Ways I can show generosity  
in my Community



# GENEROSITY

## STUDENTS WITH CHARACTER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Generous Students

# TOY DRIVE



At the start of December, Ava noticed the big collection box in the school lobby for the annual holiday toy drive. She remembered how excited she felt when she got a surprise gift as a younger kid, and she wanted someone else to feel that same joy. Even though she only had a little money saved from doing chores, Ava talked with her family and decided to use some of it to buy a new stuffed animal and a puzzle game to donate. The next morning, she carefully placed them in the box and wrote a kind note wishing the child a happy holiday.

How did this student show generosity?



---

---

---

---

---

# GENEROSITY

## LEADERS WITH CHARACTER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Generous Leaders

# PRINCESS DIANA



Princess Diana was a member of the British Royal Family, married to the heir to the British Throne, Prince Charles. She was celebrated for her approach to charity work, helping children and the elderly. She also had a heavy involvement in helping AIDS patients and raising awareness and acceptance of AIDS, and worked with the International Red Cross for the removal of landmines. She also raised awareness and advocated ways to help people affected with cancer and mental illness. Her compassion, personal warmth, humility, and accessibility earned her the nickname "The People's Princess." She showed us the importance of being a generous leader, she said *"Anywhere I see suffering, that is where I want to be, doing what I can."*

### How did Princess Diana show generosity?



---

---

---

---

---

# GENEROSITY

## CAREERS WITH CHARACTER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Generous Careers

# SOCIAL WORKER



Social Workers help people cope with the challenges they are facing in their lives. These challenges include health care, mental health, financial concerns, and safety and wellbeing. They need to be great active listeners, have high communication and interpersonal skills. Social workers often advocate for appropriate assistance and resources for their clients. Having a passion for helping others is important because people who are experiencing the most vulnerable time in their lives rely on social workers to connect them with resources and find solutions to problems. They use their skills and expertise to help create healthier families and communities.

How do Social Workers show generosity?



---

---

---

---

---

# GENEROSITY

## DIGITAL CHARACTER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

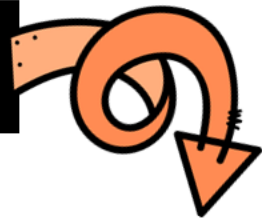
### Digital Generosity

# ONLINE FUNDRAISER



When Ethan learned that a shelter in his town needed more supplies for rescued animals, he wanted to help but didn't know where to start. He decided to use his tech skills to make a difference. Ethan created a simple online fundraiser where classmates and relatives could donate a few dollars to support the shelter. He designed a digital flyer with pictures of the animals and shared it responsibly on his school's approved platforms and with his family's permission. When people donated, he posted thank-you messages and updates so everyone could see the impact. By using the internet in a positive and generous way, Ethan helped raise enough money to buy food, blankets, and toys — and felt proud knowing his actions made life better for animals in need.

How did he show digital generosity?



---

---

---

---

---

# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

What does generosity  
mean to you in your  
own words?

Why is generosity  
important in  
friendships?

How does being  
generous make YOU  
feel?



# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

Why do you think  
generosity sometimes  
takes courage?

What is one example  
of generosity that  
doesn't involve  
money?

How can sharing your  
time be a form of  
generosity?

# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

What can you give  
that costs nothing but  
means a lot?

How can generosity  
help someone who  
is feeling left out?

How can you show  
generosity online or  
in digital spaces?

# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

Think of a time  
someone was  
generous to you. What  
impact did it have?

What is a small act  
of generosity you  
could do today?

How does generosity  
make a school  
community stronger?

# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

Why is it important to show generosity even when no one is watching?

How does generosity help build empathy and understanding?

What challenges might stop someone from being generous?

# GENEROSITY

## THINK AND RESPOND

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the questions about generosity and respond.

How can you encourage others to be more generous too?

Why is giving your attention (listening) a generous act?

What does generous behavior look like during group projects?



# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**

A classmate is struggling to carry a stack of books.

Watch them struggle

Walk away quickly

Offer to help them carry the books

A new student sits alone at lunch looking nervous.

Invite them to join you

Ignore them

Laugh with your friends about it

Your friend forgot their pencil right before a quiz.

Say "too bad"

Lend them one of yours

Tell them to ask someone else

# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**

You finish your project early while your partner is still behind.

Brag about being done

Help them understand the task

Pack up and relax

A teammate drops the ball in a game and feels embarrassed.

Encourage them to keep trying

Blame them

Tease them

You have a snack you really like, and your friend forgot theirs.

Eat in front of them

Tell them to buy their own

Share your snack

# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**


A younger sibling asks for help with homework.

 Tell them you're too busy


 Take time to help them

 Do it for them

You see trash on a bench at school.

 Pick it up and throw it away

 Leave it

 Push it on the ground

A class fundraiser starts for a good cause.

 Donate what you can

 Tell others not to bother

 Ignore it

# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**

A friend is sad but says  
"I'm fine."

Say "Whatever"

Ask if they want to talk  
and listen

Walk away

A classmate is proud  
of their artwork and  
shows you.

Give a sincere  
compliment

Say "It's okay, I guess"

Make fun of it

You want to give a gift to  
a parent or guardian to  
show appreciation, but  
you don't have money to  
buy something.

Do nothing and hope they  
don't notice

Create something thoughtful like  
a card, coupon book, or artwork

Say you'll buy something "next  
year" and forget about it



# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**

Your sibling wants to join your game with friends.

Let them play for a bit

Tell them they're annoying

Tell them "No one wants you here"

You've saved just enough money to finally buy a toy you've wanted for a long time. Then you notice your sibling really wants a gift they can't afford.

Spend the money on yourself and hide the toy so they don't ask questions

Use your money to buy the gift for your sibling, knowing it will make them happy

Tell them to ask someone else for it

A friend posts about being stressed online.

Send a positive message and check in

Comment a mean GIF

Share the post in a group chat

# GENEROSITY

## MULTIPLE CHOICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENEROSITY: COLOR THE CHECKMARK OF YOUR ANSWER.**

A friend's birthday is coming up, but you don't have money for a gift.

Make a thoughtful card or give a small handmade gift

Joke that they don't deserve a present

Tell them you didn't get anything because you're broke

Your school is collecting items for a charity drive, and you have some things you never use anymore.

Only donate broken things so you don't lose anything nice

Choose clean, gently used items that someone else could enjoy

Tell others to donate while you do nothing

You have extra school supplies at the start of the year.

Keep them all

Offer extras to classmates who need them

Sell them for high prices



# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### TYPES OF GENEROSITY

Determine the type of generosity being shown.

You tell your teacher that they are doing a great job.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

You lend your classmate a pencil since she does not have one.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

Your friend needs to talk about something that is bothering him.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

You go through your closet and give some old clothes to a charity.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

Your brother is sad and you spend some time cheering him up.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.



You see a friend post a selfie online and you comment that they look awesome.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

You sign up to volunteer to do a beach clean-up.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

You donate some change to a local charity.

- ☐ Your time. ☐ Your attention.  
☐ Your money. ☐ Your kind words.  
☐ Your things. ☐ Your skills.

# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### What could you give?

Think about how you can be generous towards others.

What is something you can gift to someone else?



What are things you have that you could share with others?



What are some ways you can give your time to help others?



If you had extra money to give, who would you give it to and why?



What are some things that you are able to do (skills, talents, knowledge) that you could share with others?



# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Generosity Goal Setting

Choose one area where you want to show generosity.

☐ School ☐ Home ☐ Community ☐ Online/Digital Spaces

My Generosity Goal:

Steps I Will Take:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

How Will I Know I Achieved It?



# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Empathy + Generosity

Match the feelings to generous actions you could take.

How someone might feel...

Lonely



Embarrassed



Stressed



Excited



Left out



What you could do...

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

How does empathy help you become more generous?

# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Give What You Can

For each category, list two things you can give that cost \$0.

Time

Skills/Talent

Kind Words

Attention/  
Listening

Why is giving time or kindness just as valuable as giving gifts?

Generosity can cause a ripple effect and spreads to others. Write what might happen after you do something generous.

Action I take: \_\_\_\_\_

Person feels...

Person might...

Community becomes...



How can one small act make a big difference?



# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Using Common Sense with Generosity

Being generous does not mean that you let others take advantage of you, it's important to use common sense when being generous. Set boundaries, say no if you need to, and recognize if your generosity is being appreciated or misused.

I gave money to a charity, and I really don't have more to give, but they keep asking for more. I gave them all I had left.



Although it was generous, was it a good choice? Why?

My friend had plenty of food at lunch but wanted more, so I gave her my whole lunch.



Although it was generous, was it a good choice? Why?

My friend lent me her headphones, and my cousin asked me if she could keep it. I said sure.



Although it was generous, was it a good choice? Why?



# GENEROSITY

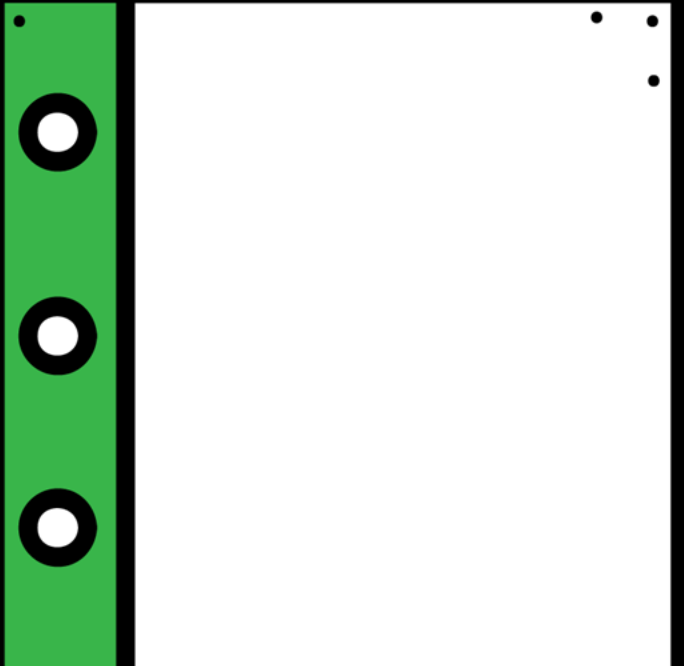
## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

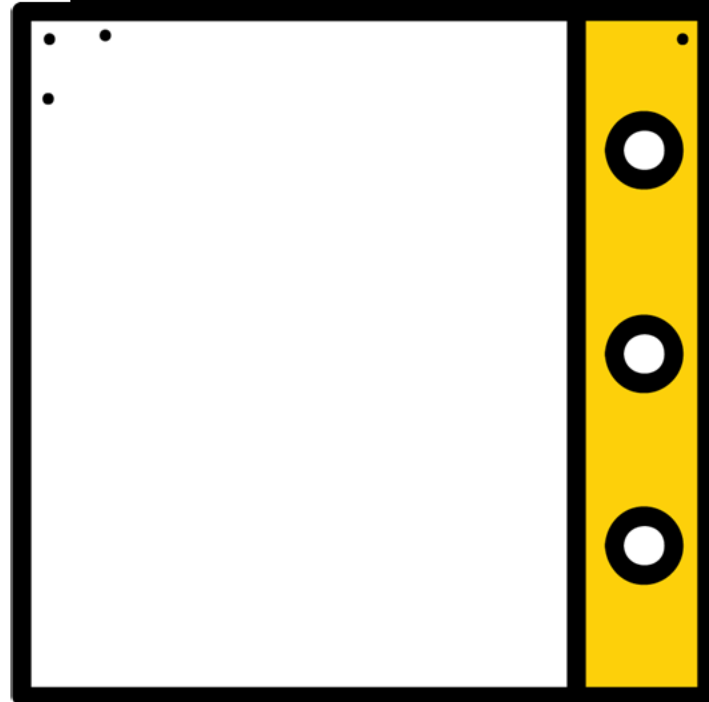
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

What are some examples of generosity you have seen  
from others?

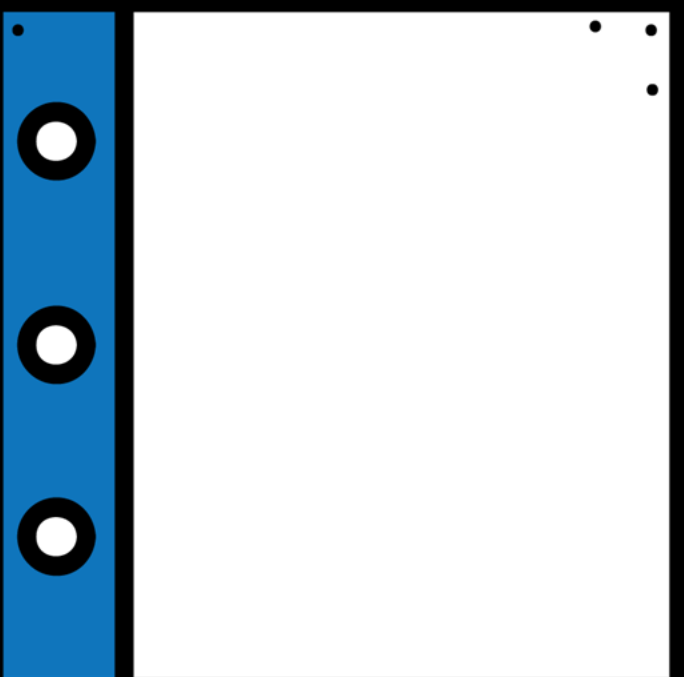
Teacher

A large white rectangular area for writing, bordered by a thick black line. On the left side, there is a green vertical bar with three white circles. On the right side, there are four small black dots arranged in a square pattern.

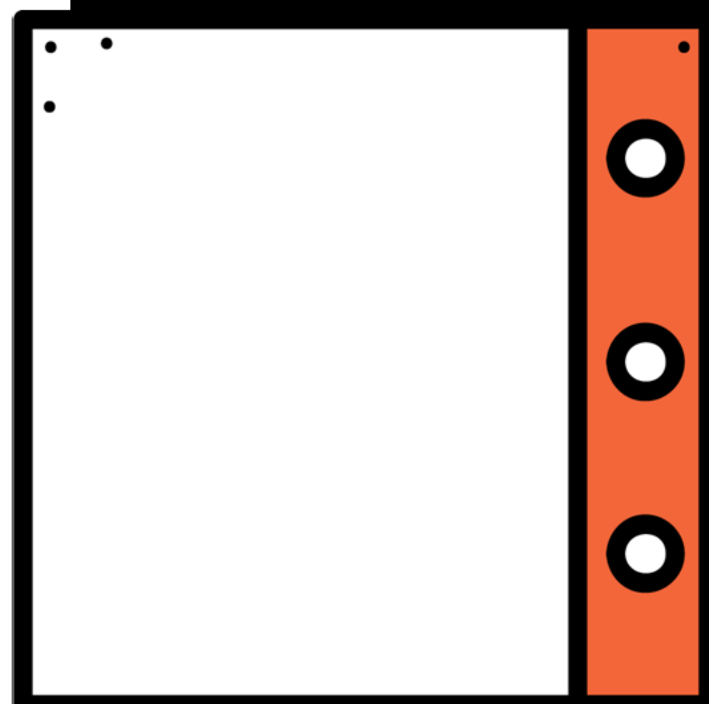
Parent/Guardian

A large white rectangular area for writing, bordered by a thick black line. On the right side, there is a yellow vertical bar with three white circles. On the left side, there are four small black dots arranged in a square pattern.

Strangers

A large white rectangular area for writing, bordered by a thick black line. On the left side, there is a blue vertical bar with three white circles. On the right side, there are four small black dots arranged in a square pattern.

Friends

A large white rectangular area for writing, bordered by a thick black line. On the right side, there is an orange vertical bar with three white circles. On the left side, there are four small black dots arranged in a square pattern.

# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

What would society look like if no one was generous?



Would you want to live in this society, why or why not?



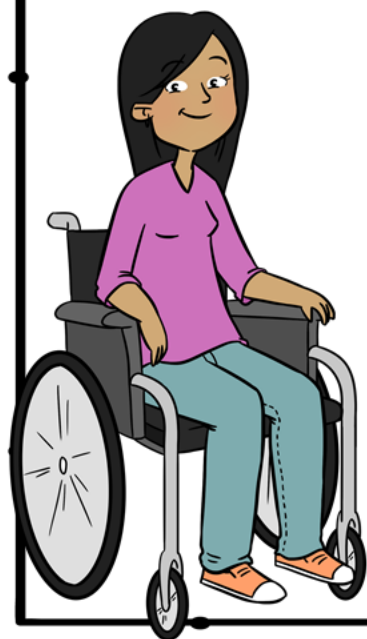
# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

What would society look like if everyone was generous?



Would you want to live in this society, why or why not?



# GENEROSITY

## A GENEROUS WORLD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Let's time travel to the **future**, what is one way you would want people to show more generosity? Why?



Let's time travel to the **past**, what is one way you would have wanted people to show more generosity? Why?



# GENEROSITY

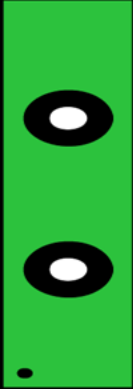
## SELF-REFLECTION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

We all make mistakes, that is how we learn! Think of one example of a time where you did NOT show generous behavior.

I was NOT showing generosity when I...



What I learned...



This is how I will be more generous...



# GENEROSITY

## SELF-REFLECTION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Think about what having generosity means to you and how you like to show generosity or how you would like for others to show generosity.

One way I would like to show generosity



	<p>• •</p> <p>•</p> <p>• •</p>	
--	--------------------------------	--

One way I want others to show generosity



	<p>• •</p> <p>•</p> <p>• •</p>	
--	--------------------------------	--

Being generous is important to me because



	<p>• •</p> <p>•</p> <p>• •</p>	
--	--------------------------------	--



# GENEROSITY

## SELF-REFLECTION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Think about the ways you show generosity, pick one that you feel you are consistent in doing and reflects your good character.



# GENEROSITY

## TASK CARDS

# TASK

## THINK & DISCUSS

# CARDS

### TIPS FOR USING TASK CARDS

- Encourage students to think about each question and share their response.
- Pair students together to have them take turns answering the task cards.
- Use the task cards as a center activity.
- To make it a writing activity, have students write their responses on paper.
- To make it a class wide activity, read the card out loud and encourage student responses. (see included PowerPoint slides to display on board)



### DIG DEEPER QUESTIONS

- Are there multiple answers that could be considered generous decisions?
- How are your responses different or similar to other students?
- Why are some of our responses similar or different?
- What impacts our decision to show generosity or not?
- Does one ungenerous decision make you stingy?
- What will happen if you repeatedly make ungenerous decisions?

# GENEROSITY

How can generosity help  
someone feel included?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Why is generosity  
important for a  
positive school  
community?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can generosity  
strengthen a  
friendship?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What does “giving  
from the heart”  
mean to you?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What is the most generous thing you have ever done? How did you feel after you did it?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What is the difference between giving a gift and being generous?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

In what ways can you be generous without spending money?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can you show generosity with your time or attention?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Think of a generous person you know — what do they do that inspires you?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How does it feel to give something up to help someone else?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Why is it important to be generous without expecting anything in return?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can generosity spread kindness through a school?



THINK & DISCUSS



# GENEROSITY

What is one small  
act of generosity  
that could brighten  
someone's day  
today?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can generosity  
help solve conflicts  
between friends?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Why do you think people  
sometimes hesitate to be  
generous?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What can you do if  
someone rejects or  
ignores your  
generosity?



THINK & DISCUSS



# GENEROSITY

How can generosity look different in online spaces vs. in-person spaces?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can you support someone who is having a tough day emotionally?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Why is sharing credit or celebrating others' successes a generous act?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What does generosity look like in group projects or teamwork?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can generosity  
help you grow as a  
leader?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

Why is it important to  
notice the needs of  
others?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

What is one generous  
habit you would like to  
develop this year?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

How can your  
generosity make a  
difference in your  
community?



THINK & DISCUSS

# GENEROSITY

## SITUATION CARDS

# SITUATION

## WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

# CARDS

### TIPS FOR USING CARDS



- Encourage students to think about each scenario and what they would do.
- Pair students together to have them take turns answering the task cards.
- Use the task cards during centers having students answer in small groups.
- To make it a writing activity, have students write their responses on paper or in their journals.
- For a class wide activity or morning meeting, use the included PowerPoint slides

### DIG DEEPER QUESTIONS

- What is the generous thing to do and why?
- What are the possible consequences of this decision?
- What are the possible positive results of this decision?
- What would happen if an alternative decision was made?
- Does your decision help or hurt others?
- Is what you want to do different than the generous thing to do? Why?
- What are all the different decisions that could be made?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A new student doesn't know anyone yet and sits alone.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A teammate makes a mistake and feels embarrassed.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Someone drops all their papers in the hallway.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You have snacks at lunch and a friend doesn't.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You have free time during class while others are behind.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A friend posts a sad message online.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A student is anxious about presenting in front of class.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You have clothes you no longer wear that still look good.

What is the generous thing to do?



# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Your school is collecting food for families in need.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A classmate forgot their supplies and looks stressed during class.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

It's your brother's birthday soon and you need to get him a gift, but you don't have much money.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Your neighborhood is asking for volunteers to help clean up the local park.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Your parent asks if there is anything in your closet you want to donate to charity.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A younger sibling needs help with homework, but you want to relax.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Your dog looks lonely and is begging you to play.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You notice a student trying their best but still struggling

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You hear someone putting themselves down online.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A friend achieves something big, and you didn't.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A class fundraiser is happening, but you don't have money to give.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

Someone seems left out during a group project.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A family member is having a stressful day.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You see an opportunity to volunteer at a community event.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

A classmate shares exciting news about something they achieved.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY



**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**

You see someone cleaning up the cafeteria alone.

What is the generous thing to do?

# GENEROSITY

## BEING

## *Kind* AND

## *giving* TO

## OTHERS.

CHARACTER EDUCATION



# GENEROSITY BEING *kind*



AND  
*giving*  
TO  
OTHERS.

CHARACTER EDUCATION

GENEROSITY  
BEING *kind*



AND  
*giving*

TO OTHERS.

CHARACTER EDUCATION

# GENEROSITY

BEING *kind* AND *giving* TO OTHERS.

Giving a gift.

Sharing what you have with others.

Including others.

Give praise and encouragement

Donating items.

Volunteering.

Giving to those in need.

Being kind and helpful to others.



# QUOTE ABOUT

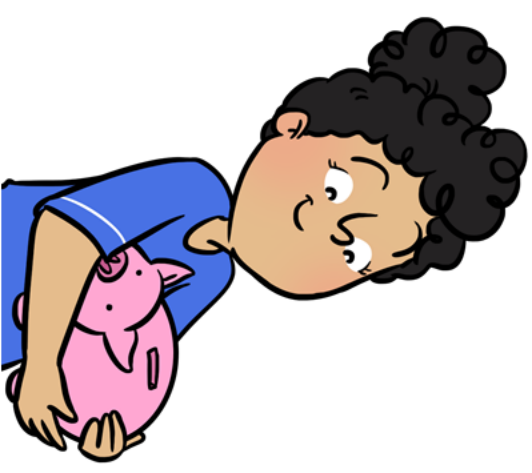
## GENEROSITY

“SOMETIMES WHEN WE ARE  
GENEROUS IN SMALL BARELY  
DETECTABLE WAYS, IT CAN CHANGE  
SOMEONE ELSE’S LIFE FOREVER.”

- MARGARET CHO

# STUDENTS WITH

# GENEROSITY



LOOK FOR OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP THEIR CLASSMATES.

- \* Share your time and help others.
- \* Include classmates who are left out.
- \* Give praise and encouragement to celebrate others' achievements.
- \* Donate or share what you can.



# CAREERS WITH

# GENEROSITY

## SOCIAL WORKER



Social Workers help people cope with the challenges they are facing in their lives. These challenges include health care, mental health, financial concerns, and safety and wellbeing. They need to be great active listeners, have high communication and interpersonal skills. Social workers often advocate for appropriate assistance and resources for their clients. Having a passion for helping others is important because people who are experiencing the most vulnerable time in their lives rely on social workers to connect them with resources and find solutions to problems. They use their skills and expertise to help create healthier families and communities.

# LEADERS WITH

# GENEROUSITY



## PRINCESS DIANA

Princess Diana was a member of the British Royal Family, married to the heir to the British Throne, Prince Charles. She was celebrated for her approach to charity work, helping children and the elderly. She also had a heavy

involvement in helping AIDS patients and raising awareness and acceptance of AIDS, and worked with the International Red Cross for the removal of landmines. She also raised awareness and advocated ways to help people affected with cancer and mental illness. Her compassion, personal warmth, humility, and accessibility earned her the nickname "The People's Princess."

She showed us the importance of being a generous leader, she said

*"Anywhere I see suffering, that is where I want to be, doing what I can."*

# DIGITAL



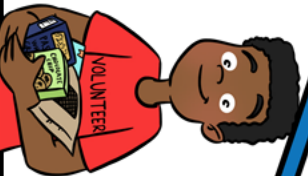
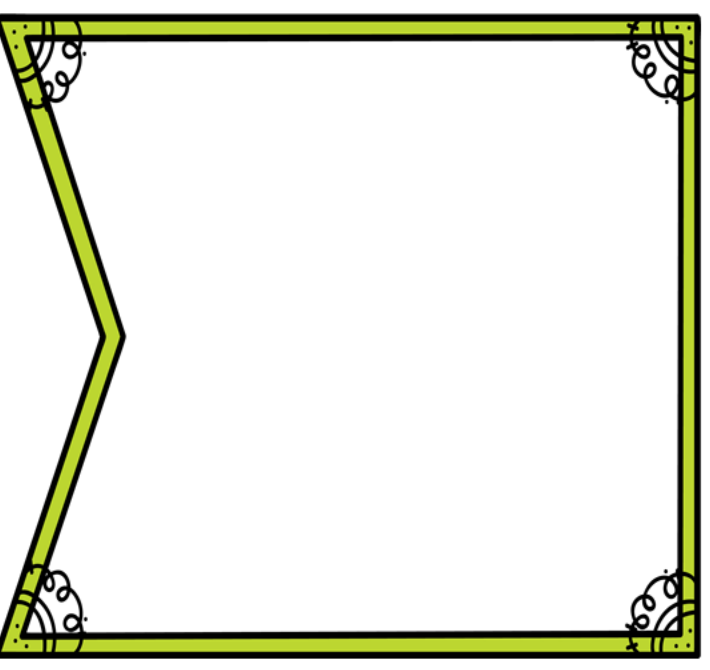
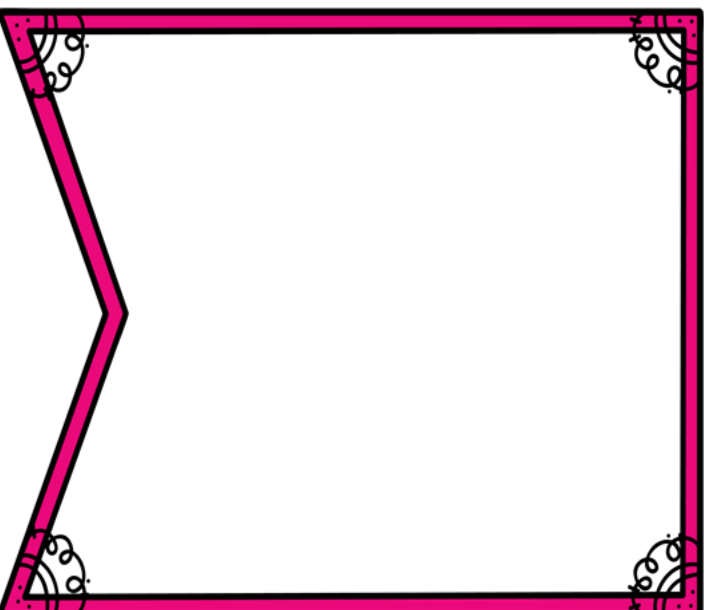
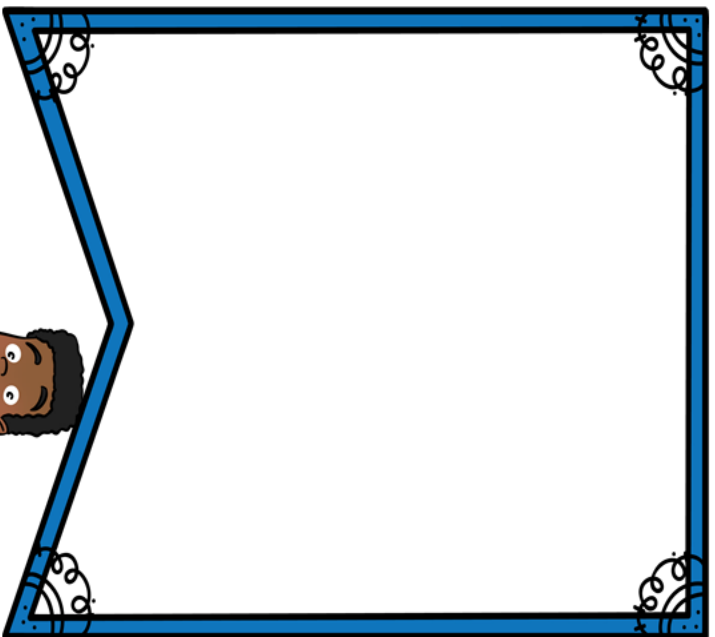
# GENEROSITY

BEING GIVING ONLINE WITH YOUR TIME,  
ATTENTION, KINDNESS, AND MONEY.

- \* Share helpful information
- \* Leave positive and supportive comments
- \* Help others learn technology
- \* Give credit to creators when using others' ideas, artwork, or media online.

# MY GENEROSITY PLEDGE

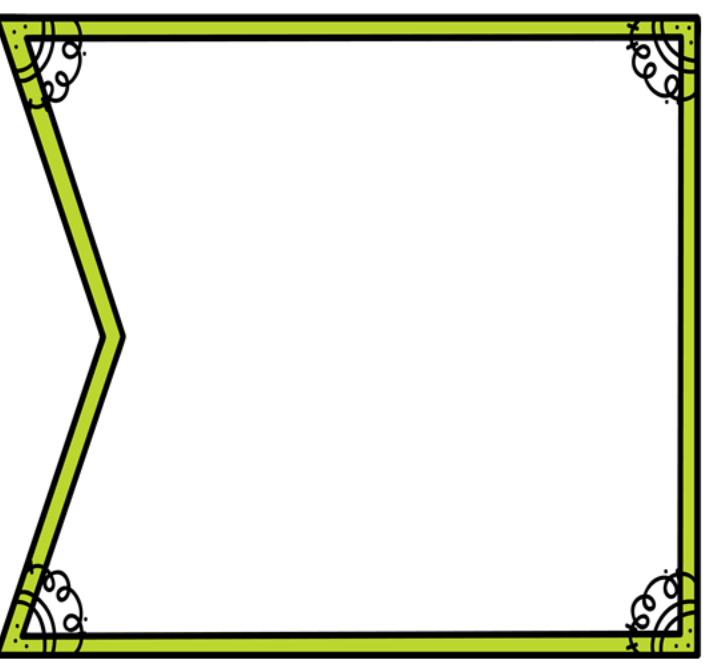
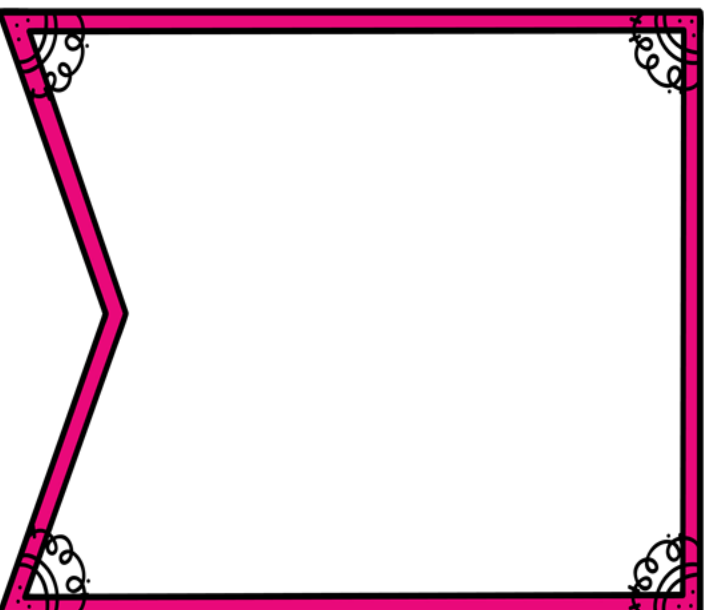
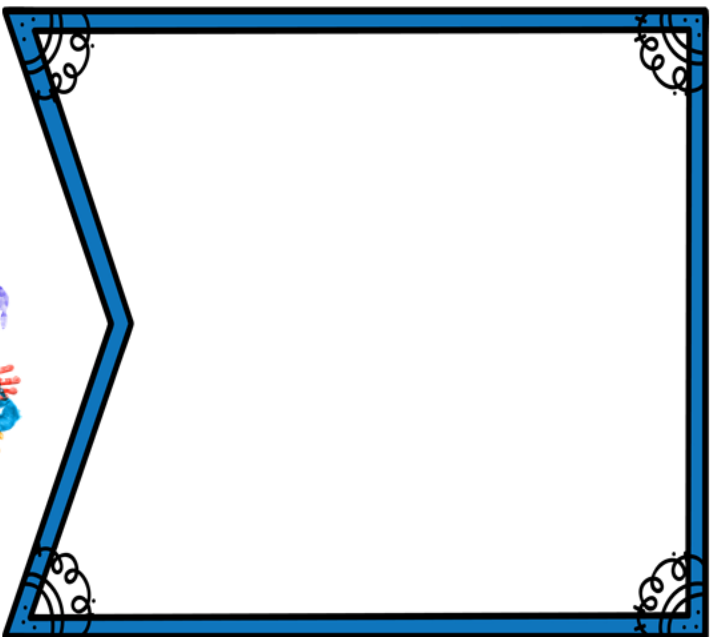
This is how I am going to show generosity:



Pledge by: \_\_\_\_\_

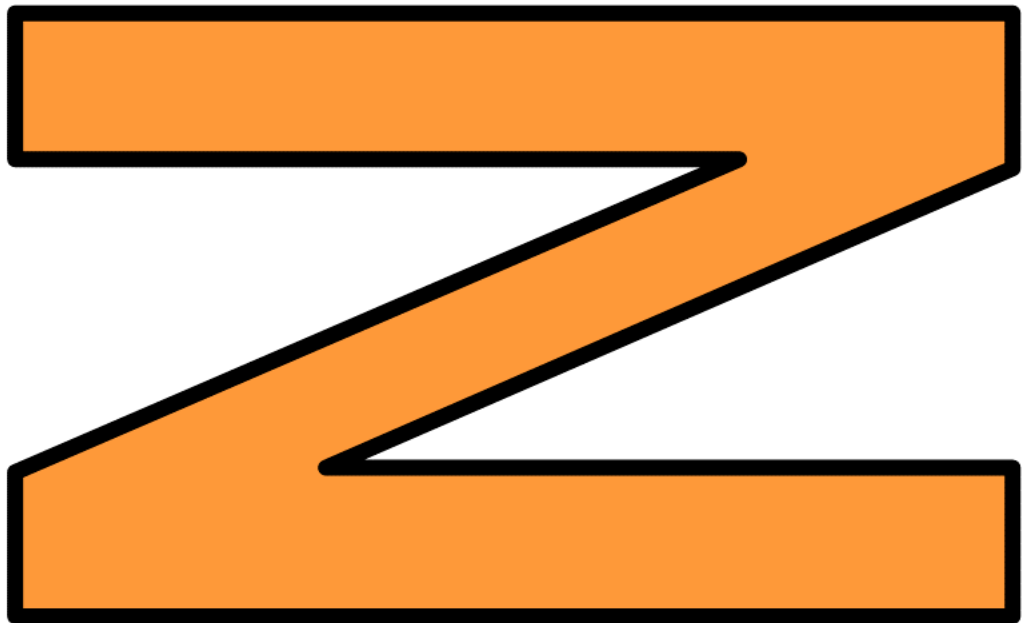
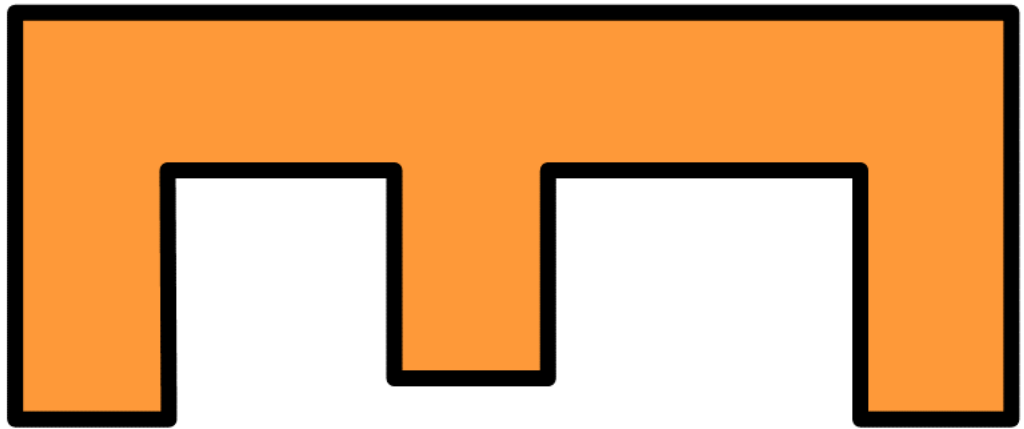
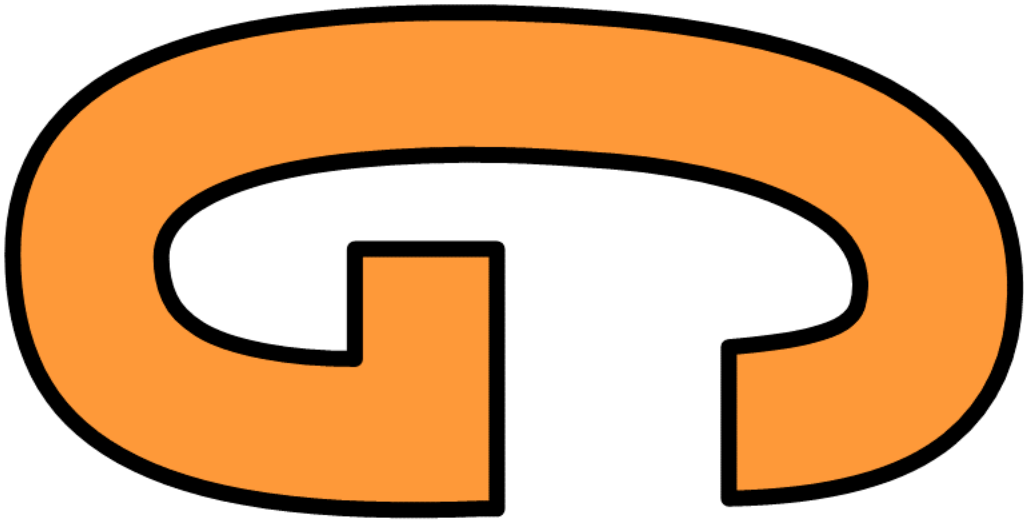
# MY GENEROSITY PLEDGE

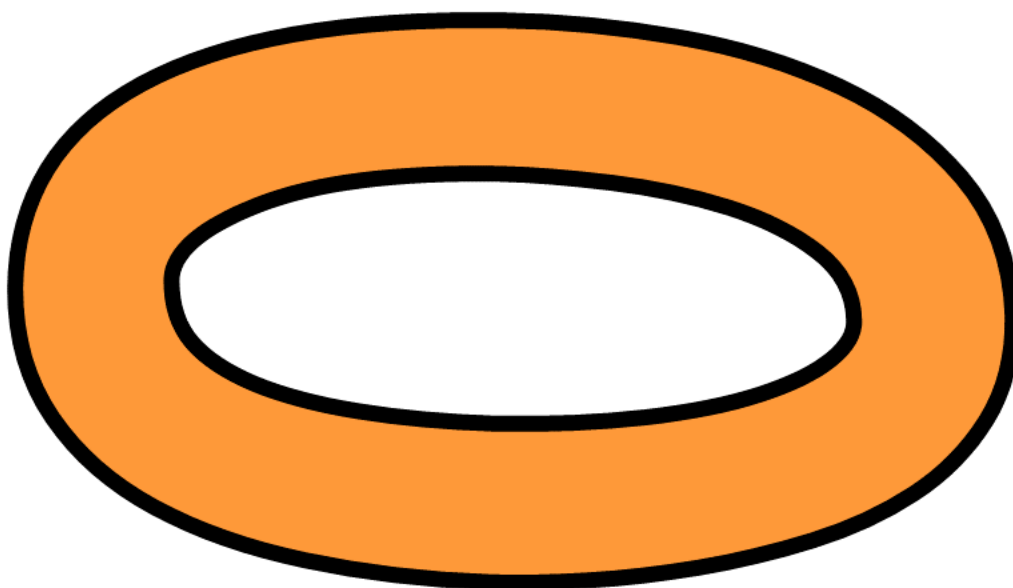
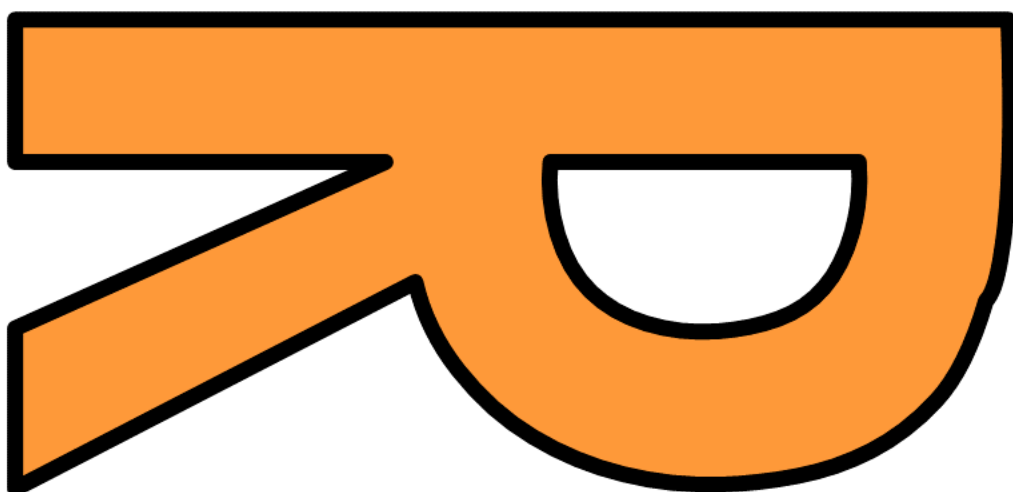
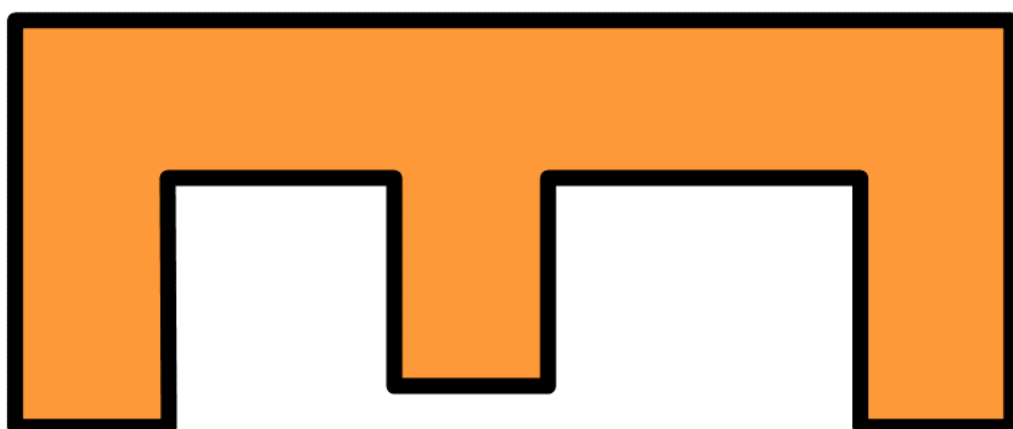
This is how I am going to show generosity:

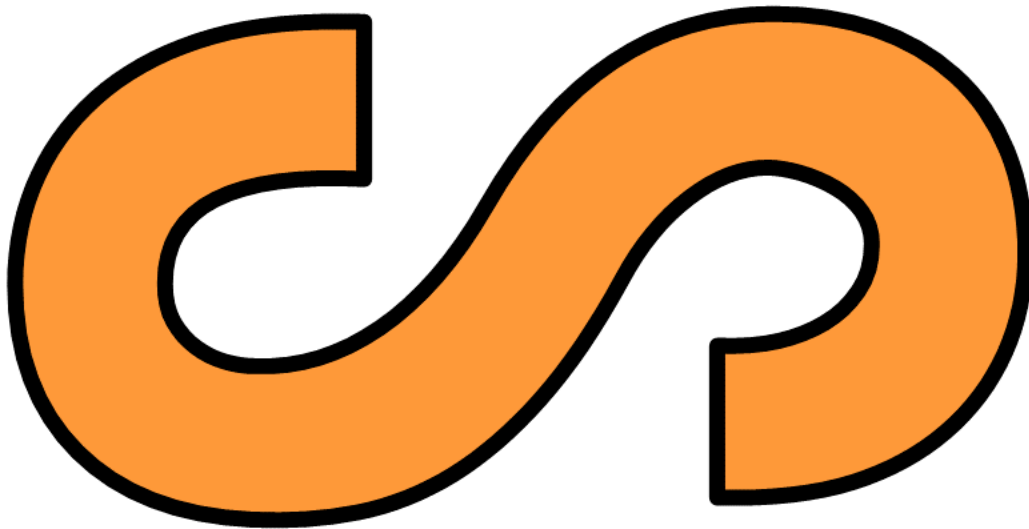


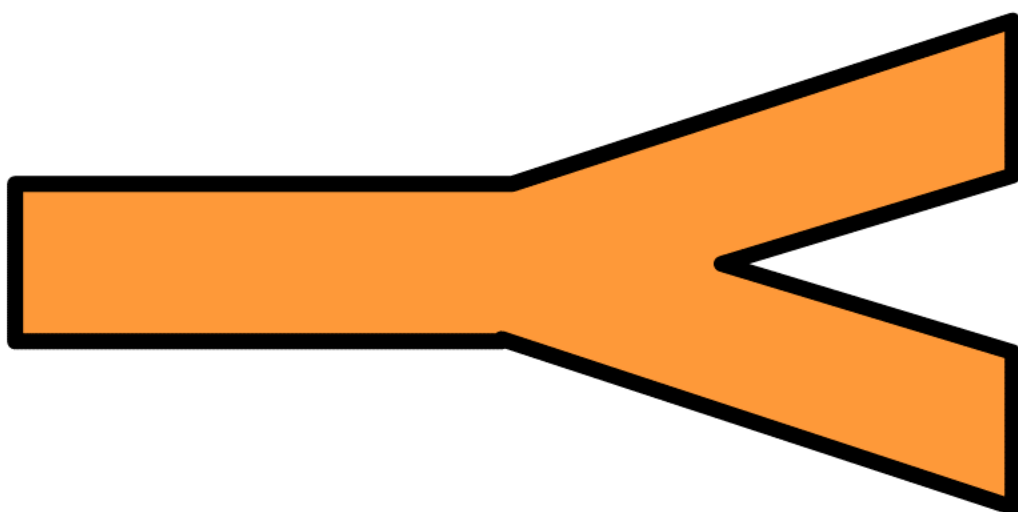
Pledge by: \_\_\_\_\_











GENEROSITY



CHARACTER  
EDUCATION

2 INCH

GENEROSITY



CHARACTER  
EDUCATION

1.5 INCH

GENEROSITY



CHARACTER  
EDUCATION

1 INCH



# GOOGLE SLIDES

Your resource comes with a digital version for use in Google Slides via Google Classroom. Follow these steps to upload your resource.

**1** Click here  [Character Education: Generosity](#)

**2** You will be prompted to make a copy of the resource. Click on the blue box that says “Make a copy” and the resource will go directly into your Google drive.

Google Drive

Copy document

Would you like to make a copy of Career Interest Inventory?

Make a copy



**3** Go to your Google Drive and locate the copy of the file. You can rename the file at this point or add/delete slides.

**4** Next, go to your Google Classroom and add an assignment. Select the Google Drive Symbol and select the resource you want to assign.

**5** From here, you should see a grey box that says “Students can view file.” Click the grey box. A dropdown menu should appear. Select, “Make a copy for each student.”

**YOU HAVE TO MAKE A COPY FOR EACH STUDENT!**

Otherwise, they will all be editing the same file.

Click “Assign” in the top right corner if you’re ready to post!

This product is meant to be used in “edit” mode (not “presentation” mode). Edit mode is the only mode that allows drag & drop and writing in text boxes.

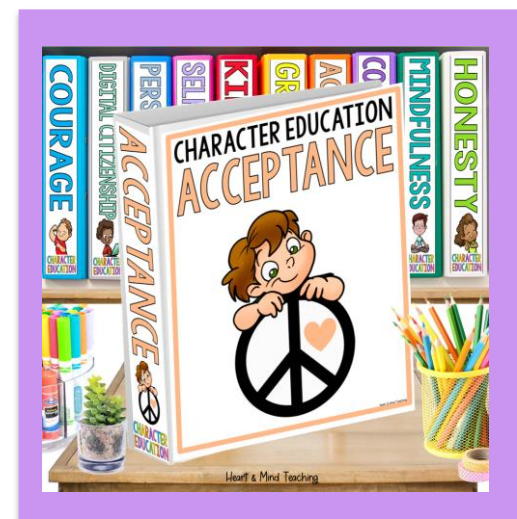
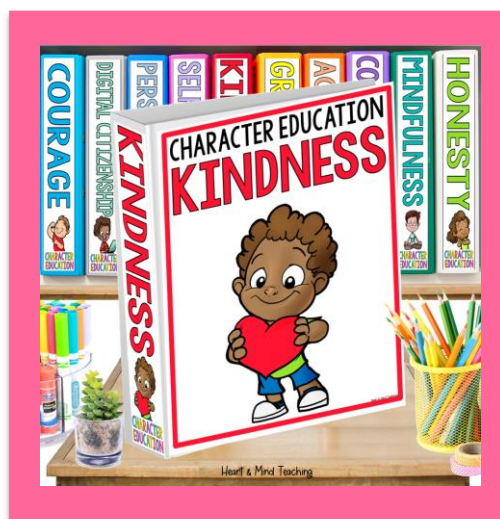
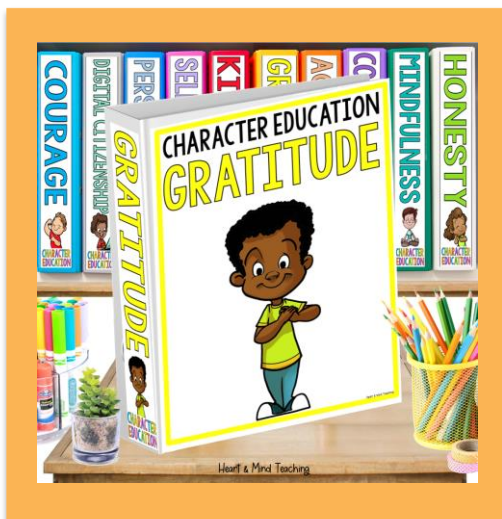
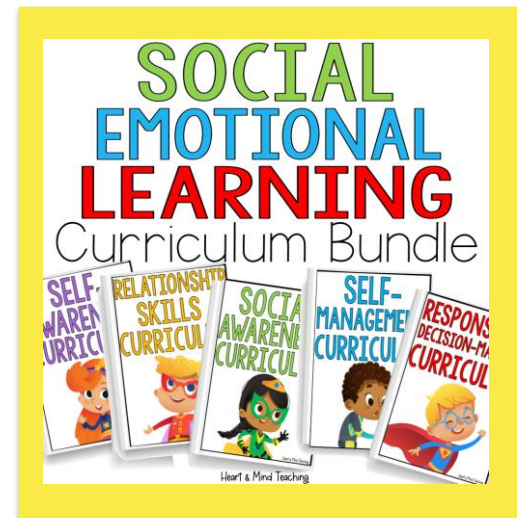
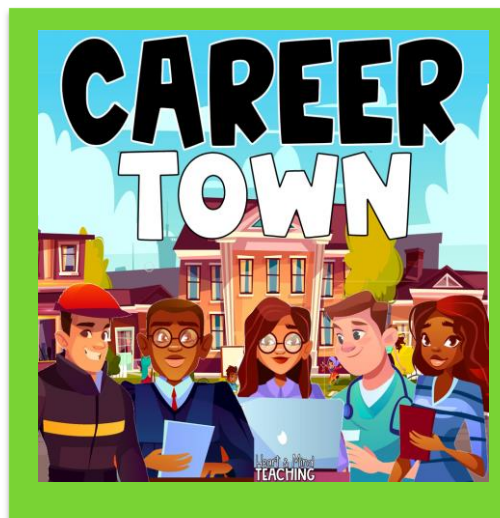
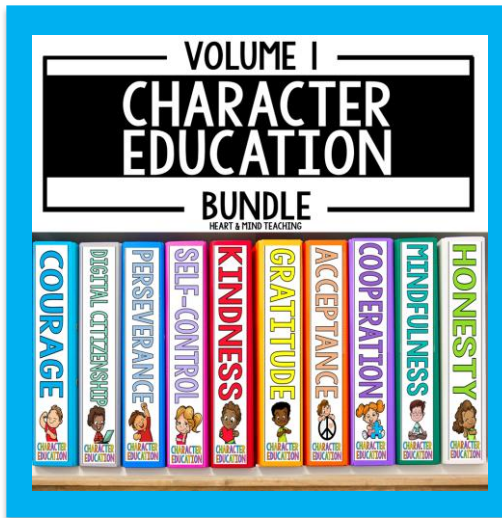
Helpful links for using Google Classroom:

[Teacher Tips for using Google Classroom \(TPT blog\)](#)

[Getting Started with Google Classroom \(youtube video\)](#)

# CHECK THESE OUT

CLICK ON THE PICTURES TO GET A CLOSER LOOK.



**COUNSELOR**  
**Collab**  
— with Laura & Ashley —



Would you like to spend less time browsing for resources and lesson planning, and more time serving students? Let Laura from [Music City Counselor](#) and Ashley from [Heart and Mind Teaching](#) do the work for you!

**CLICK TO COLLAB**

## MEMBER Perks

- ♥ Data-driven resources by theme.
- ♥ \$35+ value of ready-to-use materials.
- ♥ Lessons, group curriculums, forms, & activities.
- ♥ Tier 1, 2, and 3 research-based resources.
- ♥ No contracts, cancel anytime.



# THANK YOU

FOR SUPPORTING MY LITTLE SHOP.

Hi there! I'm Ashley- a School Counselor, curriculum developer, blogger, and mama to two young boys. I have a passion for creating fun and engaging resources for Counseling and Social Emotional Learning.

## LET'S BE FRIENDS

Ashley

Access my  
Freebie  
Library



## FOLLOW FOR EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS

New products are 50% off for 24hrs.

**CLICK HERE**

★ HOW CAN YOU EARN TPT CREDITS? When you leave feedback, TpT rewards you with credits that you can use toward future purchases.

## ACCESS MY FREEBIE LIBRARY

Join my Newsletter to be informed of all future added freebies.

**I WANT FREEBIES**



# TERMS OF USE

© Heart and Mind Teaching, 2025. All rights reserved. Purchase of this item entitles the purchaser the right to reproduce for classroom, personal, and google classroom use only. Use in multiple classrooms, requires the purchase of additional licenses. Redistribution or duplication of this product is strictly forbidden without the written permission of the publisher. Copying any part of this product and placing it on a publicly accessible website is strictly forbidden and is a violation of the Digital Millennium Copyright Act (DMCA). You may post this for single-classroom use on a password protected student site such as google classroom. **You may NOT post my products on any public, for-profit, or commercial websites or entities, such as Outschool.** Please do not sell or distribute any part of this as your own. Thank you for abiding by universally accepted codes of professional ethics while using this product.



If you have any questions or concerns please email me at:

[heartandmindteaching@gmail.com](mailto:heartandmindteaching@gmail.com)

## CREDITS

