



Students throughout the District are learning about character building through a weekly series of character-building lessons. Each lesson provides a **Home Link** and a **Community Link** to reinforce the daily classroom lesson. The **Home Link** is designed to foster meaningful communication among family members.

The *Community Link* is a proactive tool designed to heighten good character awareness and promote socially responsible behavior in the community. Each week focuses on the character quality presented in our elementary schools and provides ideas for your consideration.

The Community Link

This week, our students are focusing on the quality of **HONOR**. They are learning about:

- Ways to show honor to those deserving of it such as parents and grandparents.
- The importance of living with honor.
- The honor due to our nation's veterans who have served in the military, defending our country and freedom.

Please take the time to consider what this good character quality means to your own group or organization by sharing the following:

HONOR

is respect and admiration shown to something or someone.

Consider using this Community Link with your employees, membership or organization whenever possible.

What You Can Do!

- Teach our youth to live with honor by modeling honorable behavior. Be honorable by:
 - Keeping promises.
 - Respecting yourself and others.
 - Being honest in all you say and do.
- Encourage the youth of the community to Live with Honor so that when they leave the community they may Return with Honor.
- Post this quote by Winston Churchill: "Never give in...in nothing, great or small, large or petty—never give in except to convictions of honor and good sense."
- Food for Thought: Would your company or organization be considered "A Company of Honor?" How can you help your company build or maintain a reputation of honor?
- Integrate the principle of HONOR in your organization as often as possible.