



The Points of Polaris by Grade Level

Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
8th	<p>I make positive choices that will benefit myself and others even when no one is watching.</p> <p>I demonstrate self-discipline and commitment to doing my personal best for the entire Polaris Community.</p> <p>I hold myself accountable for my actions.</p> <p>I produce quality work</p> <p>I practice and promote honesty.</p> <p>I embody the values of the Polaris Community.</p>	<p>I identify and support others' strengths.</p> <p>I value and recognize my own strengths.</p> <p>I demonstrate genuine concern for the needs of others in the school, the community, and the world.</p> <p>I demonstrate kindness and recognize the needs of others.</p> <p>I seek to understand the perspectives of others.</p> <p>I value and respect other peoples thoughts and opinions</p>	<p>I develop the courage to reach challenging goals I set for myself.</p> <p>I motivate myself to seek answers to questions that I have.</p> <p>I take risks and undertake tasks that are new and/or difficult for me.</p> <p>I create a vision for the future and set goals.</p> <p>I seek information to learn about other points of view</p> <p>I experiment with different ways to solve problems</p>	<p>I reflect on and learn from experiences including successes and failures.</p> <p>I am responsible for directing my own personal learning.</p> <p>I persevere and use the necessary strategies to satisfy my curiosity.</p> <p>I challenge myself to overcome obstacles through self- reflection.</p> <p>I set goals and monitor my own progress toward reaching them</p>	<p>I volunteer in school and larger community programs.</p> <p>I attend school with the purpose of gaining knowledge to better serve myself and my community.</p> <p>I actively and appropriately engage in school events, classroom learning, and service opportunities.</p> <p>I demonstrate my commitment to improving myself, my community and the world.</p> <p>I ensure that a place is left better than I found it.</p> <p>I advocate for the needs of others as an upstander.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
7 th	<p>I make positive choices that will benefit myself and others even when no one is watching.</p> <p>I demonstrate self-discipline, resist distractions, and stay on task during work times.</p> <p>I hold myself accountable for my actions.</p> <p>I produce quality work.</p> <p>I commit to doing my personal best for myself and my crewmates.</p> <p>I am honest and accept responsibility for my choices.</p> <p>I embody the values of the Polaris Community.</p>	<p>I treat others with dignity and respect through both my words and my actions.</p> <p>I celebrate the success of others.</p> <p>My words and actions are uplifting.</p> <p>I make positive decisions that are beneficial to others.</p> <p>I demonstrate self-control and respect others needs</p> <p>I actively include others in positive ways.</p>	<p>I develop the courage to reach challenging goals I set for myself.</p> <p>I take risks and undertake tasks that are new and/or difficult for me.</p> <p>I investigate to increase the richness of what I am learning in school.</p> <p>I seek information to learn about other points of view</p> <p>I experiment with different ways to solve problems</p>	<p>I reflect on and learn from experiences, including successes and failures.</p> <p>I am responsible for directing my own personal learning.</p> <p>I persevere and use the necessary strategies to satisfy my curiosity.</p> <p>I challenge myself to overcome obstacles through self- reflection.</p> <p>I set goals and monitor my own progress toward reaching them</p>	<p>I volunteer in school and larger community programs.</p> <p>I attend school with the purpose of gaining knowledge to better serve myself and my community.</p> <p>I actively and appropriately engage in school events, classroom learning, and service opportunities.</p> <p>I demonstrate my commitment to improving myself, my community and the world.</p> <p>I ensure that a place is left better than I found it.</p> <p>I advocate for the needs of others as an upstander.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
6 th	<p>I make positive choices that will help myself and others even when no one's watching.</p> <p>I do what I know is right even in the face of peer pressure.</p> <p>I take time to be thorough and produce quality work.</p> <p>I take my commitments seriously and do what I say I'll do.</p> <p>I accept responsibility for my choices and tell the truth even in difficult situations.</p>	<p>I notice good things about other people.</p> <p>I stand up for others in a helpful way.</p> <p>I treat others with dignity and respect through both words and actions.</p> <p>I actively include others and value their thoughts and opinions.</p> <p>I show self-control even when I'm upset.</p>	<p>I take risks and try new things even when it's difficult or scary.</p> <p>I actively work to overcome my fears so I can grow.</p> <p>I seek to learn more about other points of view.</p> <p>I take time to experiment with different ways to solve problems.</p>	<p>I ask questions and seek help when I do not understand something.</p> <p>I reflect on and learn from my successes & failures.</p> <p>I monitor my own progress so I can set appropriate goals.</p> <p>I use evidence to form and support my opinions.</p>	<p>I consider how my actions will affect others.</p> <p>I take steps to improve conditions in my community.</p> <p>I participate in school events with a positive attitude.</p> <p>I respect school culture by following the school norms.</p> <p>I take care of shared materials so that all people can enjoy them.</p> <p>I volunteer my time and materials to help others.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
5 th	<p>I can make positive choices that will help myself and others even when no one's watching.</p> <p>I do what I know is right even in the face of peer pressure.</p> <p>I complete all of my work to the very best of my ability. (including homework)</p> <p>I tell the truth even in difficult situations</p>	<p>I notice good things about other people.</p> <p>I stand up for others in a helpful way.</p> <p>I use words and actions that show I care about others.</p> <p>I treat other people the way they want to be treated.</p> <p>I show self-control even when I'm upset.</p>	<p>I take risks and try new things even when it's difficult or scary.</p> <p>I don't give up when things get tough.</p> <p>I set goals that will challenge me.</p> <p>I seek to learn more about other points of view.</p>	<p>I ask questions and seek help when I do not understand something.</p> <p>I reflect on and learn from my successes and failures.</p> <p>I identify specific steps that I need to take to achieve my goals.</p> <p>I think through situations and try to problem solve independently.</p>	<p>I consider how my actions will affect others.</p> <p>I take steps to improve conditions for self and crew.</p> <p>I respect school culture by following the school norms.</p> <p>I take care of shared materials so that all people can enjoy them.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
4 th	<p>I tell the truth after I have made a mistake.</p> <p>I respond appropriately when faced with a difficult situation.</p> <p>I make positive choices, even in the face of peer pressure.</p> <p>I hold myself responsible to complete my best quality work.</p>	<p>I use kind words and actions with others.</p> <p>I am patient with myself and others.</p> <p>I stand up for the feelings of others.</p> <p>I celebrate the successes and the uniqueness of myself and others.</p>	<p>I persist through problems by trying multiple strategies.</p> <p>I take risks in my thinking and schoolwork.</p> <p>I ask questions to explore new experiences and ideas.</p> <p>I keep an open mind.</p> <p>I use innovation and creativity to solve problems</p>	<p>I distinguish between problems I can solve independently and those I need help with.</p> <p>I deepen my understanding by asking relevant questions.</p> <p>I actively listen to understand others' perspectives.</p> <p>I use many different resources to search for answers to problems.</p> <p>I use resources to inform my own perspective.</p> <p>I reflect on my successes and failures.</p>	<p>I come to school ready to learn.</p> <p>I look for opportunities to improve conditions for self and crew.</p> <p>I share and care for the learning materials in our crew.</p> <p>I teach others about the things I have learned.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
3 rd	<p>I tell the truth after I have made a mistake.</p> <p>I respond appropriately when I make a mistake or fail.</p> <p>I make positive choices, even when others do not.</p> <p>I complete work that I feel proud of.</p>	<p>I use kind words and actions with others.</p> <p>I am patient with myself and others.</p> <p>I include others.</p> <p>I celebrate the successes and uniqueness of myself and others.</p>	<p>I persist when things get hard.</p> <p>I take risks in my thinking and schoolwork.</p> <p>I ask questions to explore new experiences and ideas.</p> <p>I keep an open mind.</p> <p>I use innovation and creativity to solve problems</p>	<p>I attempt to solve problems independently.</p> <p>I ask for help with I have a problem I can't solve.</p> <p>I deepen my understanding by asking relevant questions.</p> <p>I actively listen to understand others' perspectives.</p> <p>I use many different resources to search for answers to problems.</p> <p>I reflect on my successes and failures.</p>	<p>I come to school ready to learn.</p> <p>I look for opportunities to improve conditions for self and crew.</p> <p>I share and care for the learning materials in our crew.</p>



Gr.	Integrity	Compassion	Explorer	Critical Thinker	Active Citizen
2 nd	<p>I am honest.</p> <p>I try my best.</p> <p>I take responsibility for and reflect on my actions.</p> <p>I use rubrics, checklists, and exemplars to produce high quality work.</p>	<p>I am kind and helpful toward others.</p> <p>My words and actions help others feel better.</p> <p>I include others.</p> <p>I celebrate the successes and differences of myself and others.</p>	<p>I persevere through challenges.</p> <p>I explore my word.</p> <p>I try new things.</p> <p>I set goals and reflect on them.</p>	<p>I learn from my mistakes.</p> <p>I am a problem solver.</p> <p>I work to make sense of my world.</p> <p>I listen to others and build on their ideas.</p>	<p>I create a positive learning environment.</p> <p>I leave a space better than it was found.</p> <p>I actively participate in group work.</p>
1 st	<p>I am honest.</p> <p>I try my best.</p> <p>I take responsibility for and reflect on my actions.</p>	<p>I am kind and helpful towards others.</p> <p>My words and actions help others feel better.</p> <p>I include others.</p>	<p>I persevere through challenges.</p> <p>I explore my word.</p> <p>I try new things.</p>	<p>I learn from my mistakes.</p> <p>I am a problem solver.</p> <p>I listen to others and build on their ideas.</p> <p>I work to make sense of my world.</p>	<p>I create a positive learning environment.</p> <p>I leave a space better than it was found.</p> <p>I actively participate in group work.</p>
K	<p>I am honest.</p> <p>I try my best.</p>	<p>I am kind and helpful towards others.</p> <p>My words and actions help others feel better.</p>	<p>I persevere through challenges.</p> <p>I try new things.</p>	<p>I learn from my mistakes.</p> <p>I am a problem solver.</p> <p>I work to make sense of my world.</p>	<p>I create a positive learning environment.</p> <p>I leave a space better than it was found.</p>