

Our Current Units





Grade Pre-Kindergarten How We Organize Ourselves: Rules and Routines

September 5 - October 13

Central Idea:

Community rules and routines are important.



Ways to support at home:

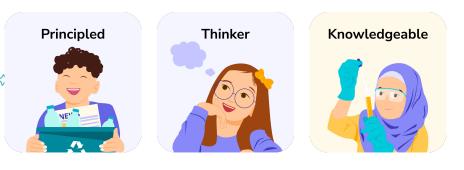
- What are the rules at home?
- What responsibilities do I have at home?

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• What are ways that I can be "mindful"?

Lines of Inquiry:

- Mindful actions and behaviors
- Showing responsibility at school
- Following rules and routines



Grade Kindergarten Who We Are- Toys and Play

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Central Idea:

People can learn to play and work together through cooperation.



Ways to support at home:

- Discuss the importance of sharing and how to share
- Try out new toys
- Take turns when playing a new game
- Talk about toys from the past. What did mom, dad, auntie, grandma, or grandpa play with when they vere 5 or years old?

Lines of Inquiry:

- Using our imagination
- Different types of toys
- Understanding other people's preference



Grade 1 Who We Are- Tools and Work

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Central Idea:

Tools help us work and create things.



Lines of Inquiry:

- Tools and work (Form)
- Habits of character (Function)
- How to create a magnificent thing (Responsibility)

Ways to support at home:

- Challenge students to think outside the box about daily tools used at home and in school.
- At home discuss how your child can be responsible.(Examples... Picking up toys, putting laundry away, helping with pets.)
- Help gather materials we can use at school to create a magnificent thing



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Schools around the world have similarities and differences, and they are all places designed for learning.



Ways to support at home:

- Review shared links
- Discuss how school has changed over time. What was your school experience like?
- Discuss community based opportunities that support our schools

Lines of Inquiry:

- Rules and routines within schools
- Effects of weather and location on education

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• Community based problem solving



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Central Idea:

There are many factors that create identity.



Ways to support at home:

- Discuss the features and landmarks of your town
- Look at and use maps to navigate through your city or town
- Discuss the importance of Connecticut in the history of the United States

Lines of Inquiry:

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- Personal identity
- Regional identity
- National identity



Central Idea:

Physical, historical, and social factors contributes to one's identity.

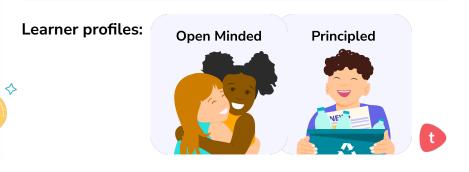


Ways to support at home:

- Have conversations about ways we share our culture (food, music, dance, traditions)
- Read with your students at home
- Share with your student's teacher how they demonstrate being open-minded at home

Lines of Inquiry:

- Organizing structures
- Historical factors leading to change
- Components of culture



Grade 5 Who We Are- Human Rights

Central Idea:

Human rights can look different to different people in different places.



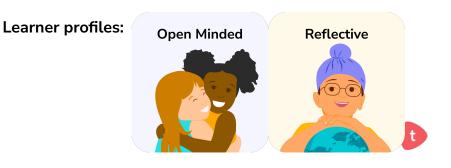
Ways to support at home:

- Have conversations about different cultures
- Share family stories
- Define human rights as a family. What does it look like to you?
- How does your family define culture? What culture do you belong to?

Lines of Inquiry:

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- Cultural reactions to human rights (Perspective)
- The impact of human rights globally (Causation)
- Raising awareness of human rights (Responsibility)





An inquiry into the interconnectedness of human-made systems and communities; the structure and function of organizations; societal decision-making; economic activities and their impact on humankind and the environment.



An inquiry into rights and responsibilities in the struggle to share finite resources with other people and with other living things; communities and the relationships within and between them; access to equal opportunities; peace and conflict resolution.



Where we are in place & time Orientation in Space and Time

An inquiry into the orientation in place and time; personal histories; homes and journeys; the discoveries, explorations and migrations of humankind; the relationships between and the interconnectedness of individuals and civilizations, from local and global perspectives.



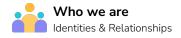
How the world works Fairness & Development

An inquiry into the natural world and its laws; the interaction between the natural world (physical and biological) and human societies; how humans use their understanding of scientific and technological advances on society and on the environment



How we express ourselves Personal & Cultural Expression

An inquiry into the ways in which we discover and express ideas, feelings, nature, culture, beliefs and values; the ways in which we reflect on, extend and enjoy our creativity; our appreciation of the aesthetic.

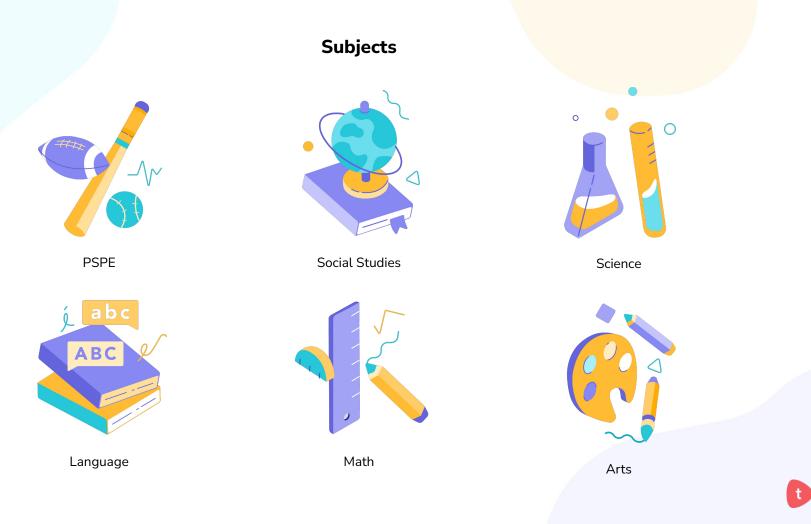


An inquiry into the nature of the self; beliefs and values; personal, physical, mental, social and spiritual health; human relationships including families, friends, communities, and cultures; rights and responsibilities; what it means to be human.

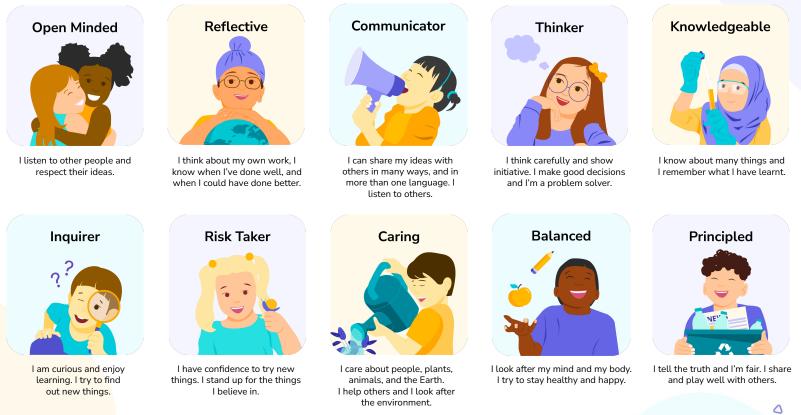
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Head of Primary, Dubai International Academy, UAE

