

S.P.I.C.E.S.

Simplicity:

Think about how a tree doesn't need extra decorations to be beautiful—it's perfect just as it is. When we live simply, we have more time to play, help others. Simplicity means loving what matters.

Peace:

Peace starts with how we treat each other. Peace means working so no one is hurt or left out. Peace is the warm, calm feeling you get when you're safe, loved, and kind to others.

Integrity:

Integrity is doing the right thing, even when no one is watching. If you see someone being left out, integrity means inviting them to play. Integrity means being the same person inside and out. It's when what you "THINK", what you "SAY", and what you "DO" all match—like pieces of a puzzle fitting together.

Community:

Community means we're all connected. We take care of each other, share together, and no one has to be alone. In community, when someone is sad or needs help, we all pay attention. In community, we're like a quilt—each of us is a unique piece, but together we create something warm and beautiful.

Equality:

Equality means everyone gets a turn on the swing. It means every voice is important in our community - whether you're big or small, quiet or loud. We treat everyone like the precious person they are.

Stewardship:

Stewardship is about taking care of the things we have and the world around us. Everything we have—like the earth, our talents, and even our toys—are gifts, and it's our job to look after them and use them wisely." We're Earth's helpers and we take care of the whole world—its plants, animals, water, and people—because everything is connected. When you share your toys or help a friend, you're being a good steward. You're using what you have to make someone else happy or to make things better. When we do this, we make the world a happier and healthier place for everyone!