Dear Families/Caregivers,

Values are a person's principles and standards of behavior. They are what a person believes to be important. Studies indicate that people are happier when they act according to their values. Values are first learned at home.

Students have been identifying their own values and looking at how these values influence their day-to-day activities and decisions. We have been looking at the values of our school to help us get along and to create a good learning environment for everyone.

To help your child better understand values at school, you can have your child tell you what the values are at his or her school and why those values are important.

It is important for your child to understand your family's values as well as values in other environments such as school. Developing a clear sense of your values will help your child choose activities and make decisions that support those values.

Sincerely,

Your Child's Teacher