

Cordova Villa Elementary Character Trait

COURAGE

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What is Courage?

Courage means doing something even when it's hard or scary.

It's not about being fearless — it's about taking action even when you feel nervous.



How to Show Courage

Yes
You
Can!

Standing up for a friend who's
being left out.

Raising your hand to answer a
question even if you're unsure.

Asking for help when you need it.

Telling the truth even though you
might get in trouble.

Admitting when you made a
mistake.

Trying a new food or activity.

Setting goals and working to
achieve them.

Not reaching our goal and
trying again anyways.

Having Courage as a HAWK

H

Have Respect

Speak up kindly for yourself and others.

A

Are Responsible

Try your best, even when it's tough.

W

Work Hard

Include others, even if they're different from you.

K

Keep it Safe

Tell an adult when something feels wrong.

What Courage Sounds Like

"I can try
again"



"That's not kind.
Please stop."



"I'll ask
for help."



Discussion Questions



When have you shown courage before?



What is something you would like to try but scares you a little bit?



What does it mean to leave your 'comfort zone'?



How can you show courage this month?

Courage by Bernard Waber

