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January's Pillar of Character:

# Responsibility

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# Responsibility is:

- Doing the right thing at the right time, so others can trust and depend on you
- Being accountable for your choices
- Always doing your best
- Showing self-control
- Being self-disciplined
- Thinking before you act---consider the consequences



# Benefits of being Responsible

-  Grades will improve
-  People will respect you
-  You would be more likely to get a job
-  You will get into a better college
-  Things will be easier to find
-  You will be able to turn in your homework
-  You will achieve your goals

**The price of greatness is  
responsibility.**  
Winston Churchill

# Ways To Be Responsible

- ⇒ Keep your desk clean
- ⇒ Pick up your papers
- ⇒ Finish your work
- ⇒ Put materials away
- ⇒ Stay on task
- ⇒ Include others



# More Ways To Be Responsible

- ⇒ Follow through on commitments
- ⇒ Own up to your mistakes
- ⇒ Apologize or make amends when you've wronged/upset someone
- ⇒ Be kind and respectful
- ⇒ Stand up for yourself and for others
- ⇒ Make healthy choices

# Pictures and Memes

