

In partnership with the Greater Victoria School District we are committed to working together with our communities to develop socially responsible students. Three principles guide our behaviour:

## SAFETY~RESPECT~RESPONSIBILITY

This means that as students, staff and parents we will:

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ASPECT		Social Responsibility	Oaklands Citizenship Criteria			
		(Adult Language)		(Student Language)		
				Work together		
Classroom and	0	Welcoming, friendly, kind, and		Work hard		
School		helpful	0	Be on time, on task and prepared		
Community		_	0	Keep all areas clean; Clean up mess		
-	0	Participate in, commit to, and	0	Care for school property		
		contribute to classroom learning and	0	Help others		
		group activities	0	Choose purposeful activities		
			0	Use equipment and materials appropriately		
			0	Honour personal space		
			0	Be truthful		
<b>Solving Problems</b>	0	Express feelings honestly	0	Apologize when necessary		
in Peaceful Ways	0	Manage anger appropriately	0			
-	0	Listen to others politely		Use appropriate words, voice level, and tone		
	0	Apply appropriate reasoning to		Get help when necessary		
		resolve problems	0	Listen to others		
		Explain a situation to clarify the problem	0	No teasing with words or actions		
	0	Select strategies to solve problems	0	Use your words to solve problems and work		
		or issues		towards finding solutions		
	0	Get adult help to solve problems		towards imaing solutions		
		that can not be solved on your own				
Valuing Diversity	0	Treat others respectfully and fairly	0	Play safely		
and Human		and do not engage in unacceptable	Ö	No play fighting		
Rights		behaviour (i.e. bullying,	Ö	Keep hands and feet to self		
		cyberbullying, harassment,	Ō	Ask to borrow things from others		
		intimidation, threatening or violent	0	Make new friends/welcome others		
		behaviour).	0	Greet people		
		,	0	Include others		
	0	Show interest in correcting	0	Be polite-use please, thank you, excuse me		
		injustices	0	Encourage people		
		·	0	Move quietly		
	0	Promote a climate of understanding	0	Wait your turn		
		and mutual respect where all are	0	Honour privacy		
		equal in dignity and rights. BC	0	Be an active problem-solver when talking and		
		Human Rights Code		listening		
	0	Discrimination on the basis of race,				
		colour, ancestry, place of origin,		N		
		religion, marital status, family				
		status, physical or mental disability,				
		sex, sexual orientation, gender		,		
		identity or expression, and/or age	DI E i o	THE THIRD OVER		
		will not be tolerated. BC Human	PLEAS	E TURN OVER		
		Rights Code Sections 7 and 8				

Exercising	Show responsibility toward the	0	Recycle
Rights and	classroom, school, community, and		Strive to be active
Responsibilities	world		Enjoy and respect displays
Trosponisioneros	Make a difference by acting on		Keep coats/cubbies neat and tidy
	opportunities for action	0	Use the garbage cans/pick up garbage
		0	Show respect, take care of equipment
		0	Be organized before going out-coats, snacks,
			washroom
	Sources:	0	Conserve paper and soap
	BC Human Rights Code	0	Make good choices
	Safe, Caring and Orderly Schools: A	0	Move and play safely
	Guide	0	Stay on school grounds
	BC Performance Standards 'Social	0	Wheels: Walk it, lock it, leave it
	Responsibility': A Framework		
	http://www.erasebullying.ca/		

We understand Oaklands Elementary School is committed to providing each student a safe, comfortable, non-threatening environment that is conducive to learning.

- It is expected as students get older, their behavior will be more safe, respectable, and responsible.
- Serious breaches of the Code may result in parents, school district officials, police and/or other agencies being notified if deemed necessary. Oaklands Elementary encourages students to take responsibility and ownership of their learning and behaviour. Consequences for breaches of the Code of Citizenship will focus on restorative actions whenever appropriate.
- Oaklands (*Greater Victoria School District*) will take all reasonable steps to prevent retaliation against a person who reports a breach of the Citizenship Code.
- It is expected all members of our school community (students, staff, parents, coaches, and community members) will follow the guidelines of our Code of Citizenship whenever they are acting as ambassadors of the school.

We have read and discussed this Oaklands Elementary School Code of Citizenship and agree to abide by the guidelines outlined. We recognize that parents have a responsibility to assist the school in developing appropriate behaviours and concepts of responsibility in their children.

Student's Name	Student's Signature	Di
Parent's Name		
Parent's Signature		
Date		

Please return this form to your child's classroom teacher. Thank you