

Lewis Middle School Citizenship Rubric

Because it is our mission at Lewis Middle School “to prepare students both academically and socially for high school and beyond,” we are committed to teaching students to adhere to norms that create a productive and harmonious learning environment. Good citizens understand that one’s actions affect both the individual and the group. We believe that the core principles of good citizenship are respect and personal responsibility, as described here for Lewis Leopards.

Norm	What it looks like:	An Excellent Citizen (E)	A Good Citizen (G)	A Satisfactory Citizen (S)	A Citizen Who Needs Improvement (N)	An Unsatisfactory Citizen (U)
Respect for others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Cooperates with adults and peers -Is kind and courteous -Follows directions as soon as directed -Actively listens and considers others’ ideas -Speaks purposefully and appropriately -Patiently waits for a turn to speak or participate -Demonstrates digital citizenship 	Excels at demonstrating respect for others	Consistently respects others	Generally respects others	Often chooses to disrespect others	Consistently chooses to disrespect others
Respect for property	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Uses school devices, materials, and facilities carefully and appropriately -Keeps classroom and workspace clean -Does not take or abuse the belongings of others -Follows policies regarding food and drink -Does not bring or chew gum 	Excels at demonstrating respect for property	Consistently respects property	Generally respects property.	Often chooses to disrespect property.	Consistently chooses to disrespect property.
Respect for learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Is present in assigned seat and ready to learn before the bell rings -Contributes positively to classroom environment -Stays on task independently -Works hard and puts forth effort -Asks for help when needed -Shows perseverance and ambition to learn -Follows policies regarding personal electronics -Uses computers appropriately 	Excels at demonstrating respect for learning	Consistently respects learning	Generally respects learning	Often chooses to disrespect learning	Consistently chooses to disrespect learning
Respect for Self/Personal Responsibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Attends school unless excused -Follows all school and classroom rules -Turns in assignments on time -Demonstrates academic honesty and integrity -Has materials for class and has charged computer 	Excels at demonstrating self-respect and accepting personal responsibility	Consistently accepts responsibility for self and actions	Generally respects self and accepts responsibility for actions	Often chooses to disrespect self and not accept responsibility for actions	Consistently chooses to disrespect self and not accept responsibility for actions
<i>Please note that a serious violation of norms may result in an immediate and substantial drop in grade and/or citizenship.</i>						