

# Virtuous Students of the Month – May 2019

## Grade PreK3

This PreK3 student always takes the time to invite others to join games they are playing with and is happy to help new and visiting students. They are a strong presence in the classroom and encourages other students to be compassionate too.

The PreK3 Virtuous Student of the Month is.... **Harper Fallon!**

## Grade PreK4

Whether they are helping out a fellow classmate by holding their coat for them on the playground, or by taking the time to create a card for a friend during center time, this PreK 4 student demonstrates compassion, warmth and understanding for others on a daily basis.

The PreK4 Virtuous Student of the Month is... **Chase Oldham!**

## Grade K

This Kindergartner always shows kindness, and a willingness to help their friends. They incorporate please and thank you into their daily routine.

This student shares encouraging words to their friends always.

The Virtuous Student of the Month in Kindergarten is.... **Gabriel Montrone!**

## Grade 1

### Self-discipline

This student is a role model of behavior for others. She is a respectful listener and follows teacher directions without ever needing reminders. This student also knows how to have appropriate fun with her friends always staying within the rules. The 1<sup>st</sup> grade Virtuous Student of the Month is.... **Hailey Walsh!**

## Grade 2

This second grader displays the virtue of compassion by always listening to their peers and affirming that what they are saying is important. When friends are feeling upset, they use kind words to console them and try to make them feel better. Sometimes they don't use their words at all and just offer them a great big hug. This student beautifully demonstrates this virtue of compassion.

**The 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Virtuous Student of the Month is.... Mandi Anthony!**

## Grade 3

This 3rd grader is always kind to others and accepts everyone. When others are feeling down, they step in and help cheer them up. They have a positive attitude and is always willing to help. This student listens to and follows directions in class and encourages others to do the same through their example. They also show compassion through their kind words and good manners. **The 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Virtuous Student of the Month is.... Karina LaChance!**

## Grade 4

These traits have helped this student become successful in their learning and be a role model to their peers. They consistently give 100% plus in all they do. This student uses their time wisely, thinks things through, researches, asks questions, and always checks their work for accuracy. They hold themselves to high standards and does not make excuses if something doesn't go right. They seek the truth and never take the easy way out. This student values the process of learning and can find something interesting in everything and everyone they study.

**The 4<sup>th</sup> grade Virtuous Student of the Month is.... Oliver Adams!**

## **Grade 5**

This 5th grader is a kind person with their friends and often demonstrates the virtues of selflessness and compassion in their kind actions. They are one to avoid chiming in when others might be teasing or criticizing. They show friendship to everyone and always choose kindness when given an opportunity to make choices regarding their friends and classmates, even when it means they choose to sacrifice their own wants. On more than one occasion, this student has sacrificed his own desire for something in favor of allowing a classmate to have it. Just recently it was a choice of a material for a project in class where they choose something else to allow another student to have the thing two of them wanted.

**The 5<sup>th</sup> grade Virtuous Student of the Month is.... Ryan Gould!**

## **Jr. High-6<sup>th</sup> grade**

This student has demonstrated compassion throughout the year in significant ways. They notice when someone is upset, sad, or frustrated, and they offer whatever help they can. They listen to their side of the story and offer them encouragement. This student also defends people who are being picked on or talked about, even if it means standing up to their own friends.

**The 6<sup>th</sup> grade Virtuous Students of the Month is.... Jake Capone!**

## **Jr. High-7<sup>th</sup> grade**

This seventh grader consistently demonstrates the virtue of trustworthiness. The junior high teachers all agree that they are a student they can turn to when assistance is needed. They are honest, open, and true to their word. When they say they are going to do something, their teachers and peers can count on them following through. They are a natural leader because their peers are comfortable putting their trust in them. As this student moves on from Sacred Heart School next fall, their new classmates and teachers will most certainly recognize this virtue in them because they wear it so openly.

**The 7<sup>th</sup> grade Virtuous Students of the Month is.... Aiden Perodeau!**

## Jr. High-8<sup>th</sup> grade

This eighth-grade student demonstrates the virtue of self-discipline. In a school year marked by an impending transition to high school, this student has maintained a near-constant dedication to their academic studies and determination to succeed. Their research report, one of the largest and most time-consuming assignments of their junior high career, is one such example of their self-discipline. Their work on each step of that project has been completed not only in advance, but always to the best of their ability. If they feel they have not mastered an academic concept, they reach out to their teachers and ask clarifying questions to ensure they are on the right track. The virtue of self-discipline will undoubtedly be of great value to them as they begin high school next fall.

**The 8th grade Virtuous Students of the Month is.... Peyton King**