

OVERVIEW OF CORE ESSENTIALS

THE BIG 3:

TREATING OTHERS RIGHT is about our relationships with others, including the SEL competencies of social awareness and relationship skills.

MAKING SMART DECISIONS is about learning to make choices that incorporate many factors, as is age appropriate. It involves learning how to evaluate, identify problems, being aware of personal safety and ethical standards.

MAXIMIZING YOUR POTENTIAL incorporates self-awareness and self-management, and emphasizes long and short-term goals, where age appropriate.

Rotating every 3 years, our Big Ideas highlight many of the skills and character traits needed for academic and social growth both in the child's present and child's future.

We use the SAME Big Idea value word at each age level each month – we just talk about them in different ways for the appropriate developmental stages.

2023-2024 VALUES

Creativity, friendship, integrity, gratitude, generosity, responsibility, kindness, peace, patience, commitment,

