

Word of the week: twelve words for a school term

One positive word for each week, with its meaning and the week's challenge. wordsofpositivity.com/positive-words-for-kids

Kind week 1

Being nice and helping others.

This week: Do one kind thing for someone who did not ask.

Brave week 2

Doing something even when it feels scary.

This week: Try one thing that feels a little scary.

Curious week 3

Wanting to find out how things work and why.

This week: Ask a question you don't know the answer to.

Patient week 4

Waiting without getting cross.

This week: Let someone else go first, and wait calmly.

Honest week 5

Telling the truth, even when it is hard.

This week: Tell the truth about a mistake you made.

Helpful week 6

Doing things that make a job easier for someone.

This week: Help someone at home without being asked.

Grateful week 7

Thankful for what someone did or gave.

This week: Say thank you and say what for.

Creative week 8

Good at making up new ideas and things.

This week: Make something new from things you already have.

Respectful week 9

Treating people and things with care.

This week: Listen to a friend's idea all the way through.

Determined week 10

Not giving up until you get there.

This week: Keep going with something hard for one more try.

Gentle week 11

Soft and careful, so nothing gets hurt.

This week: Be gentle with someone smaller than you.

Responsible week 12

Doing the jobs you said you would do.

This week: Do one job each day without a reminder.