

# All About Responsibility

Parents,

Hello! This month here at WES, we have been very busy learning about responsibility- what it means and how we can be responsible students and citizens! Learning happens best when it is done both at school and at home. Below are many ways that you can help your child continue to learn about the theme of responsibility through reading about it, talking about it, and practicing it! We have really enjoyed exploring this topic at school, and I hope your family will enjoy it just as much!

-Ms. Leach, Elementary School Counselor

## Read About It!

Here are some books to help you learn more about responsibility:

- I Just Forgot by Mercer Mayer
- But It's Not My Fault by Julia Cook
- The Paperboy by Dav Pilkey
- The Pigsty by Mark Teague

## Practice It!

Help your child practice responsibility by giving him/her special jobs! Let your child pick a special chore each week that they can be responsible for. Let them carry the groceries, wipe the counters or feed the pet!

## Talk About It!

Here are some discussion points to help you talk about responsibility with your child:

- What do you think responsibility means and why is it important?
  - Tell me about a time when it was hard to be responsible.
- What is a way you would like to have more responsibility at home?
- What are your responsibilities in the classroom and in our community?