



Parent Guide: First Grade

FOCUS STANDARD 2: INDIVIDUALS HAVE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

Content

(Class content may vary as it is a part of the curriculum developed by your school and not prescribed by the state of Kansas.)

First grade content focuses on families and that individuals have rights and responsibilities. Students will study the role of individuals in the family, school, as Kansans and Americans through history, geography, economics, and civics/government. The goal is for students to identify with the world around them and understand their role within it.



Students Should Understand That . . .

- Rights tell you what you are free to do, but not what you should do.
- Rights may be protected by governments and come with responsibilities.
- A responsibility is something that you ought to do.

CONCEPTS/IDEAS

The following are concepts and ideas that your child may encounter at this grade level.

family, shelter, celebrations and holidays, symbols, flags, rules, rights, responsibilities, leadership, truth, fairness, justice, loyalty, freedom, values, character traits, presidents, maps, globes, natural features, man-made features, farming, stewardship, environment, wants, needs, resources, goods, services, savings, spending, earning, sacrifice, community

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