

WHITMAN ELEMENTARY MONTHLY CHARACTER TRAIT LESSONS, 2022/2023



Month	Irait/Iheme	Book	Link to Story	Lesson/Project	Charm
september	Courage	The Day You Begin JACQUELINE WOODSON INDUSTRIES THE DAY OU BEGIN	https://youtu.be/KDs5d_qFbEs	"Everybody Has a Story" School mural of outlines of books that students decorate with something that represents them using the medium of the teacher's choice.	Book Product Code: 120-101 (Qty: 100) Product Code: 120-125 (Qty: 250)
October	Respect	What if Everybody Did That? What If body Everybody Did That?	https://youtu.be/8lldQ_0isK0	Teachers will take pictures of their students doing the "right thing" in an area of the school assigned to their grade level. Pictures will be sent to Jody to print and display in those areas around the school.	Product Code: 143-001 (Quantity of 25) Product Code: 143-010 (Quantity of 100) Product Code: 143-050 (Quantity of 500)
November	Perseverance	The Smart Cookie HE SMART COOKI Forether IT Now one Prosidence of Name (No. 1) JORY JOHN and PETE COWALD	https://youtu.be/7y3WRW9aBOI	Students will write goals on a large sprinkle cut out to add to a giant cookie display to look like the main character in the story.	Product Code: 180-100 (Qty of 25) Product Code: 180-010 (Qty of 100) Product Code: 180-050 (Qty of 500)

December	Gratitude	Those Shoes THOSE SHOES MARIBETH BOELTS THUMBOLLY, NOAH Z. JONES	https://youtu.be/bGKYmjaYqhY	Each class will create a garland of paper shoes with things listed or drawn on them that they are grateful for. The garlands will be wrapped around the holiday trees in the entry way.	Shoes Product Code: 148-002 (Qty: 25) Product Code: 148-101 (Qty: 100) Product Code: 148-201 (Qty: 250)
January	Honesty	The Boy Who Cried BigFoot BIGFOOT!	https://youtu.be/9pPhnRcuCmU	Students will create a directed drawing of sasquatch following along with the video: https://youtu.be/ol_cmvubsoDU Students will then write about a time when they chose to be honest (even when it was difficult) on a talking bubble for their sasquatch to be telling about.	Foot Product Code: 117-301 (Qty: 75) Product Code: 117-302 (Qty: 250)
February	Kindness	Do Unto Otters DO UNTO OTTERS A Book About Manner Laurie Reller	https://youtu.be/ObRAUKOmDA	Students will decorate a carrot or fish cutout of a way they can be kind to others. The shells will be displayed around a display of a large otter and rabbit from the story.	Product Code: 186-5061 (Qty of 50) Product Code: 186-5062 (Qty of 250) Product Code: 186-5063 (Qty of 500)
March	Empathy	The Invisible Boy TRUDY LUDWIG The Invisible Boy	https://youtu.be/w9M2QiMXb2E	Students will draw self portraits in vibrant colors to signify that they show empathy to others and make sure that nobody feels invisible.	Heart Product Code: 186-1101 (Qty of 50) Product Code: 186-1102 (Qty of 250) Product Code: 186-1103 (Qty of 500)

April	Responsibility	But It's Not My Fault But It's Not My Fault Fault But It's Not My Fault Fault But It's Not B	https://youtu.be/93YJhbPji2s	"Responsibility is in Your Hands" Students trace their hand and write a way to show responsibility on each finger.	Hand Product Code: 166-001 (Qty of 25) Product Code: 166-010 (Qty of 100) Product Code: 166-050 (Qty of 500)
May	Cooperation	When Pencil Met Enaser WHEN Pencil MET ERSER Stryly Sare Right's and Last O. Reason, 21; (Bestaded by Germina Blace)	https://youtu.be/jlocWHbFLL8	Students will work together with a partner (one with a pencil, and one with an eraser) to create a new logo for Whitman to represent our school.	Pencil Product Code: 199-101 (Qty of 25) Product Code: 199-110 (Qty of 100) Product Code: 199-150 (Qty of 500)
June	Creativity	I'm Not Just a Scribble I'M NOT JUST A SCRIBBLE	https://youtu.be/CJuRwdlufa4	Students will be given a paper with a random line or shape on it. They will use this line or shape to create a piece of art of their choosing.	Art Pallet Product Code: 177-100 (Qty of 25) Product Code: 177-010 (Qty of 100) Product Code: 177-050 (Qty of 500)