

GRADES K-6	Virtue/Character Trait	Scripture Passage
August BETA YEAR	Faith	<p>Hebrews 11:1-3</p> <p>Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. For by it the people of old received their commendation. By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.</p>
September BETA YEAR	Diligence	<p>Deuteronomy 4:29-31</p> <p>But from there you will seek the Lord your God and you will find him, if you search after him with all your heart and with all your soul. When you are in tribulation, and all these things come upon you in the latter days, you will return to the Lord your God and obey his voice. For the Lord your God is a merciful God. He will not leave you or destroy you or forget the covenant with your fathers that he swore to them.</p>
October BETA YEAR	Courage	<p>Psalm 16:8-11</p> <p>I have set the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken. Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure. For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption. You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.</p>
November BETA YEAR	Prudence	<p>Ephesians 5:15-17</p> <p>Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.</p>

<p>December</p> <p>BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Selflessness</p>	<p>Philippians 2:1-4</p> <p>So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.</p>
<p>January</p> <p>BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Temperance</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 9:24-27</p> <p>Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it. Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable. So I do not run aimlessly; I do not box as one beating the air. But I discipline my body and keep it under control, lest after preaching to others I myself should be disqualified.</p>
<p>February</p> <p>BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Love</p>	<p>John 15:12-17</p> <p>This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. These things I command you, so that you will love one another.</p>
<p>March</p> <p>BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Patience</p>	<p>Matthew 6:31-34</p> <p>Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.</p>
<p>April</p> <p>BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Justice</p>	<p>Isaiah 1:16-18</p> <p>Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove the evil of your deeds from before my eyes;</p>

		<p>cease to do evil, learn to do good; seek justice, correct oppression; bring justice to the fatherless, plead the widow's cause. "Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.</p>
<p>May BETA YEAR</p>	<p>Hope</p>	<p>Jude 1:24-25</p> <p>Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.</p>