

**POLICY # 0.5**  
**CHARACTER EDUCATION**

The Eufaula Public School System is committed to the development of the total child.

The school recognizes its responsibility in helping to shape the character of its youth. Character education is, first and foremost, an obligation of the family. It is also important to recognize that communities, schools, and other organizations have a responsibility in the development of those universally held characteristics which reflect a person of high character.

The next generation will be the stewards of our community and nation. The well being of our society requires involved, caring citizens with high standards of character who make decisions based upon principles of character. The Eufaula Public School System holds that fundamental character traits form a foundational basis for a person of character.