

Honesty is:

Being truthful in word and action

Faithfulness—being true to promises

Sincerity—meaning what you say

Integrity—a commitment to doing the right thing

Playing fair

I know I am honest in the classroom and in school when I...

- do my own work
- do not cheat on tests
- use my own words when researching and writing a report
- own up to it if I have done wrong, and don't blame someone else
- return something that does not belong to me
- feel and react without guilt

I know I am honest in the cafeteria and on the playground when I...

- tell on someone only when necessary
- do not gossip
- show and share feelings in a thoughtful way
- do not cheat at games

I know I am honest at home when I...

- do my homework without copying
- tell the truth despite consequences
- do not exaggerate situations
- do not withhold important information
- am sincere about helping with chores and pets

I know I am honest with my friends when I...

- tell the truth—not what they want to hear
- apologize when I am wrong
- keep a promise