



Boomerang Award Assets 2011-2012



Family

	<u>Month</u>	<u>Asset</u>	
Fall	September	#2	Positive Family Communication. Young person and his/her parents communicate positively, and young person is willing to seek advice and counsel from parents.
	October	#15	Positive Peer Influence. Young person's best friends model responsible behavior. They are a good influence. They do well at school and make good choices.
	November	#27	Equality and Social Justice. Young person places a high value on assisting those who may need a helping hand. Equality-equal rights for all people.

Community

Winter	December	#34	Cultural Competence. Young person has knowledge of and comfort with people of different cultural/racial/ethnic backgrounds. They accept and appreciate differences in people; they establish friendships with those from different backgrounds. We might notice that they do not tolerate jokes or other put-downs that demean people of different backgrounds.
	January	#9	Service to Others. Young person values service to others, in their family, school, or community. He/she commits to meaningful and caring actions.
	February	#21	Achievement Motivation. Young person is motivated to do well in school. The student demonstrates a desire to be successful in the classroom setting.

Mind & Body

Spring	March	#17	Creative Activities. Young person participates in creative activities which have a direct positive impact on himself/herself and others. Their creative activity can take a variety of forms-music, drama, art, writing, or any other creative activity.
	April	#25	Reading for Pleasure. Young person reads for pleasure most days of the week, either alone, with family members, or with friends.
	May	#31	Restraint. Young person can identify, regulate, and control his/her behaviors and emotions in healthy ways, particularly in stressful or unstructured situations.