

INTEGRITY – FOURTH GRADE

Book and Lesson will be together in the media center. Materials are in the cabinet immediately to your left when you enter the media center.

Materials:

Book: *The Wolf Who Cried Boy* by Bob Hartman
Honesty Poster

Activity:

Lead discussion with students. What is integrity? What do adults mean when they say you should act with integrity?

- Being honest
- Doing the right thing
- Keeping your word
- Treating others as you want to be treated

Is it always easy to act with integrity? Discuss.

Read *The Wolf Who Cried Boy*.

What happens when the wolf always cries ‘Boy’? (His parents realize he is just trying to avoid dinner and don’t believe him once he actually does see boys because he had lied the other times)
Why is it good to be honest and show integrity? (to have trust with others, his parents would have believed him if he was honest when he said ‘boy’)

Questions:

Ask students to share about a time they showed integrity at home and at school.

- Return an item that you find on the ground
- Tell the truth to teachers, parents and friends or admit when you do something wrong
- Return a borrowed item or keep promises by doing what you say you will