



Discipline is discipleship, and we are molding disciples of Christ at Crescent City Christian School. In Hebrews 12: 5-6, the Word states,

"My son, do not make light of the Lord's discipline, and do not lose heart when he rebukes you, **because the Lord disciplines the one he loves,** and he chastens everyone he accepts as his son."

Therefore, we have developed a "discipleship system", with five basic behavior guidelines:

1. **IMMEDIATE OBEDIENCE** Respond positively to any instructions given by those in authority. Hebrews 13:17 "Obey your leaders and submit to their authority... Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden..." Ephesians 6:5-7 Bondservants, be obedient to those who are your masters according to the flesh, with fear and trembling, in sincerity of heart, as to Christ; not with eyeservice, as men-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, with goodwill doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men,
2. **HONOR AUTHORITY** Give honor to all those in authority in both attitude and action. Philippians 2:14-15 "Do everything without complaining or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault..." Romans 13:1-2 Let every soul be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and the authorities that exist are appointed by God. Therefore whoever resists the authority resists the ordinance of God, and those who resist will bring judgment on themselves.
3. **ABSOLUTE HONESTY** Never lie, deceive, mislead, or fail to tell the truth. Proverbs 12:22 "The Lord detests lying lips, but he delights in men who are truthful." Romans 12:17 Provide for honest things in the sight of all men.
4. **CHRIST-LIKE BEHAVIOR** Live according to Biblical principles and values in all attitudes and actions. Ephesians 2:10; 5:1 "For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works... Be therefore imitators of God, as dearly loved children..."
5. **COMPLETE DEPENDABILITY** Keep your word and accept the necessary responsibilities. Numbers 30:2 "The Lord has commanded that when anyone makes a promise to the Lord, either to do something or to quit doing something...the person must do exactly as he has promised." Matthew 5:37 But

let your 'Yes' be 'Yes,' and your 'No,' 'No.' For whatever is more than these is from the evil one.