



Religious Studies: Notes

Theme: Growing with values: Integrity

Integrity means firm adherence to a code of moral values; the quality or state of being complete or undivided; an unimpaired condition.

Synonyms: character, decency, goodness, honesty, righteous and virtuous.

The virtue of integrity was displayed by biblical characters Joseph and Job.

- Joseph demonstrated integrity by being faithful to God and his master (Genesis 39).
- Job was honest and upright in all his deeds (Job 1).

Both characters were rewarded for their integrity.

We can display integrity in our lives in the following ways:

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| ▪ Be truthful and honest | ▪ Be reliable at all times |
| ▪ Display fairness | ▪ Keep your word |
| ▪ Do your best even when no one is aware | ▪ Adhere to rules |