## **Hopson Middle School**

#### **Values**

Hopson Middle School Values are the Values of **TRACK** 

Togetherness: Packs learn, lead and grow as one

Learn, lead and grow as a pack as one or with each other Being close to one another

The state of being close to another person or other people...

At Hopson, the sense of a closely knit pack who experiences learning, leading, and cultural growth TOGETHER is valued.

What will students do? What will teachers do?

# Respect and Responsibility:

Esteem and duty to develop it Being polite and working hard Packs are polite and work hard

A sense of deep esteem and dutifulness to developing the said esteem...

At Hopson, RESPECT is nurtured within every individual in their overall approach to life, from their approach to the Elders in whom that life is originated to their approach to the Inupiaq Culture in which that life is lived. Additionally, at Hopson, RESPONSIBILITY is assumed by every individual to rise to the level of respectability worthy of carrying the legacy of the Inupiaq Elders and of the Inupiaq Culture forward to future generations.

## A+ Attitude:

Packs strive to do their best.

Packs do their best.

Packs do their best everyday (24/7)

A settled way of thinking and feeling that is reflected on one's behavior, that is founded in A+rating...

At Hopson, a positive ATTITUDE of A+ rating toward learning, leading, and cultural growth is valued.

# Cooperation:

Should we change this to another C word because cooperation means togetherness or should we chop. TRAK... concern of spelling...

Or add cooperation with Kindness CK

Changing C to Courage?

The act of working with another person or other people to produce or create. At Hopson, COLLABORATION in experiencing various aspects of learning, leading, and cultural growth is valued.

#### Kindness:

Packs care for the individual
Packs are caring and considerate
Packs play nice
Packs are compassionate (Inupiat values?)
Be kinder than is necessary
Packs are friendly and caring

The quality of being generous, friendly, and considerate.

At Hopson, Kindness as a character trait manifested in daily learning, leading, and cultural growth is valued.

Self motivating? Challenges with this.... Focusing on internal motivation.. While good, the PBIS concept is more about external rewards for motivation. We want internal and that falls more into what we are doing with Leader in me. Another challenge, the other letters are move value words so maybe S needs to be another value.

S=

Packs make TRACKS
Packs follow TRACKS
Wolves make TRACKS as packs

### Vision

The Vision of Hopson Middle School is that all students graduate Hopson well equipped with cultural, academic and leadership skills, and well prepared for their life paths, so that they may become positive contributors to their own, their families,' and their communities' lives.

#### Mission

The Mission of Hopson Middle School is to provide all students with an education that is founded in relevant academic, cultural, and leadership skills; and help students discover and develop their life paths, so that they may become positive contributors to their own, their families,' and their communities' lives.

# **Big Rocks:**

Leadership

Develop Leadership roles schoolwide and in the classroom

The school environment reflecting leadership

Culture: PBIS

Develop lessons to teach habits and expectations. How long, what and how it should be taught.

Continue developing ways to engage students and teachers in learning community-Traditions

Academics:

Students will track their personal and academic growth-What vehicles,

How do we use our PLC time to do this work and analyze the data of our students.