

Action cards can be accompanied with a HERO journal where students can write down their daily HERO actions to show HERO growth. Each card has a HERO word for students to act on. If a card gets repeated, it's okay, it creates HERO habits. Cards can be pre-made.

Teachers can build, and customize, with the help of their class

The Action Steps on each card are suggestions that can be added to or can be a spring board to Action Steps that best suit your class.

HEROES = H CARDS | E CARDS | R CARDS | O CARDS | E CARDS | S CARDS

Sample:

HERO ACTION CARD

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These are listed out on the following pages.





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- 1. Think of others first
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Make somebody laugh.

- 1. Tell a good joke
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HUSTLE

Be the 1st to help.

- 1. Be the first to help
- 2. Help teacher clean up the classroom

HONORABLE

Be deserving of honor!

- 1. Talk nice about others even when they are not around
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HARMONIZE

The key is unity.

- 1. Get along with others OR work to get on the same page with others
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HOSPITABLE

Be generous.

- 1. Be inviting with your friendship
- 2. Look for ways to be inviting OR make others feel like they matter to YOU!

EDUCATE

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- 1. Learn something new about a subject you are studying
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EMPOWER

Let someone know you believe in

- 1. Lift up those who are down
- 2. Let others know you believe in them

ENCOURAGE

Tell somebody something positive.

- 1. Write a note of encouragement
- 2. Speak words of encouragement

ENLARGE

Lift somebody's spirit.

- 1. Make someone feel bigger and
- 2. Help someone think bigger and better

EQUIP

Share with somebody to help get something done.

- 1. Give a pencil
- 2. Extend a friendship

EXPERIENTIAL

Try something new.

- 1. Think bigger
- 2. Try something new (food, hobby, sport, instrument)

RELIANT

Be reliable.

- 1. Do what you say you will do
- 2. Let others know: You can count on me

RESILIENT

Don't let little things get you down.

- 1. Don't let little things get you down
- 2. Take a deep breath and do it again

RESPECTFUL

Show teacher and classmates respect.

- 1. Show respect to your teacher
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RESPONSIBLE

Do what you say you're going to do 1.

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On Your Mark, Get Set, Go!

1. Always be READY for anything at anytime

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