Lesson 2: Trustworthiness Trust Tree

Objective: To learn how to be a trustworthy person

Materials:

Circle of Trust (see page 10) Leaves (see page 11) Trust Tree Trunk (see page 12)

Ask Students:

- 1. What does trustworthiness mean?
- 2. What can you do so people can trust you?

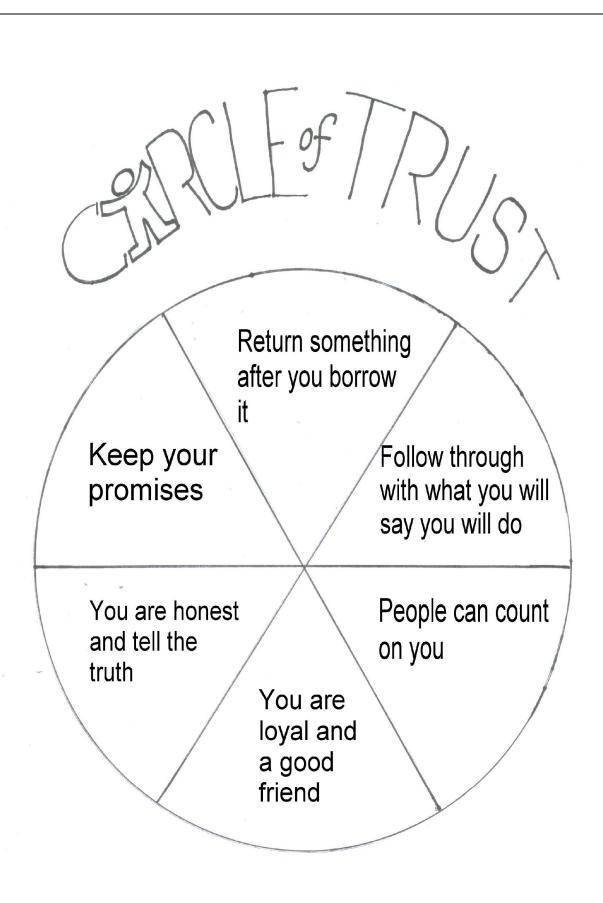
Tell Students: (copy trust circle and post)

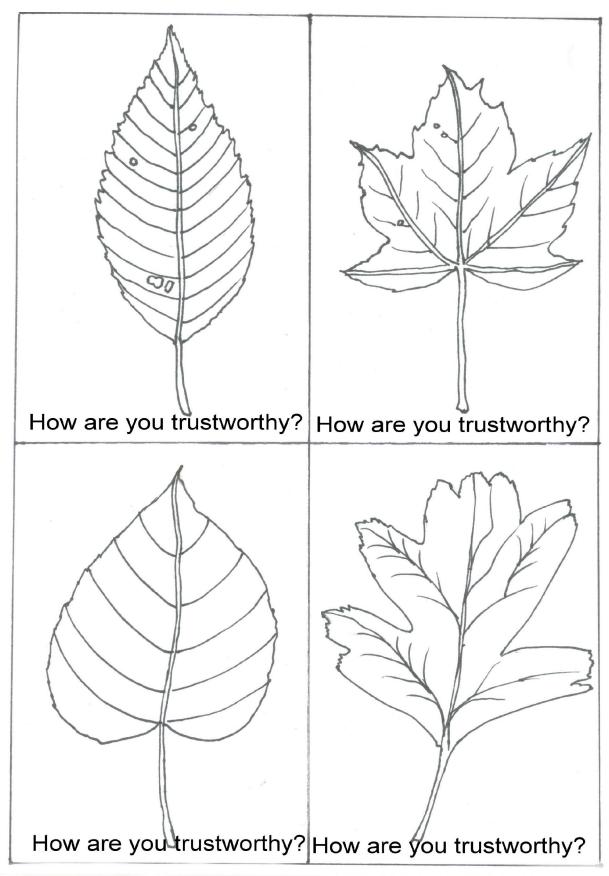
We are going to go over the trust circle. This circle shows different ways you can show you are a trustworthy person. As we go over the circle, think of examples to share.

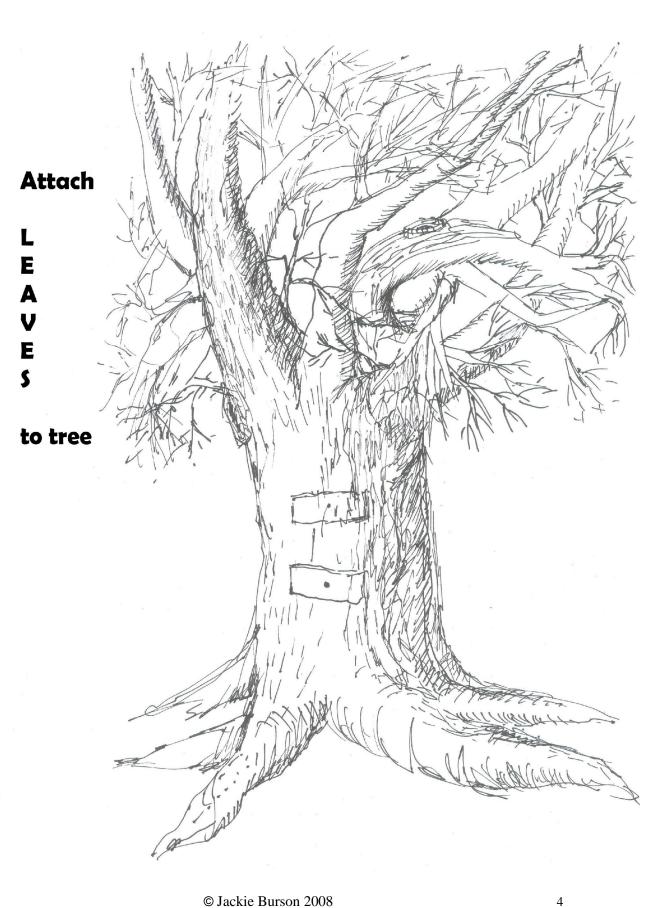
Trust Circle

- 1. Keep your promises 2. Return something after you borrow it
- 3. Follow through with what you say you will do 4. People can count on you
- 5. You are loyal and act as a good friend 6. You are honest and tell the truth

We are going to make a "trust tree". I am going to give everyone a leaf and I want you to think of one way you can show people you are a trustworthy person. This can include some of the examples we've discussed from the Trust Circle. Be creative with your leaf. (Give students 10 minutes to design their leaf). When finished, attach the leaf to the tree trunk (see page 12) using tape, staple, or thread through a hole punched. Write "Trust Tree" on the trunk of the tree. Give to class to remind them of all the ways they will show others they can be trusted.







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