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Living Values Education Newsletter Issue 68 World Values Day October 2020



It's cause for Celebration – this is OUR DAY, World Values Day!

This day gives a great opportunity for all of us at ALIVE, together with our Associates and Focal Points for LVE, numerous LVE facilitators and teachers around the world, to say “Thank You” to each other and those around us - including our newsletter readers! - for all the energy and effort put into nurturing greater awareness of the importance of values and a society that lives by a culture of values. When we live by and model our values we create a “Values-based Atmosphere”, the dynamic environment in which Love and Peace are found and other values may emerge, grow and spread.

Today, 15th October 2020 - World Values Day - the Association for Living Values Education International is delighted to launch a new booklet in celebration of our values work and warmly invites you to make time for values today, perhaps inspired by our new Values Bookmarks or some of the other resources shown below.

The ALIVE Board wishes YOU a wonderful and happy day! It is your day, and so a great day on which to experience, express and enjoy happiness and wonder, as we celebrate and deepen the values that are the foundation of all we aspire for.

[Watch the World Values Day 2020 Video](#)
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News From Our Network Around The World

- [Brazil – Presentation on “Educating with Values” to 380 attendees!](#)
- [Indonesia – Educators Workshop in Ubud, Bali](#)
- [Cameroon – Training of Educators and Youth Leaders](#)

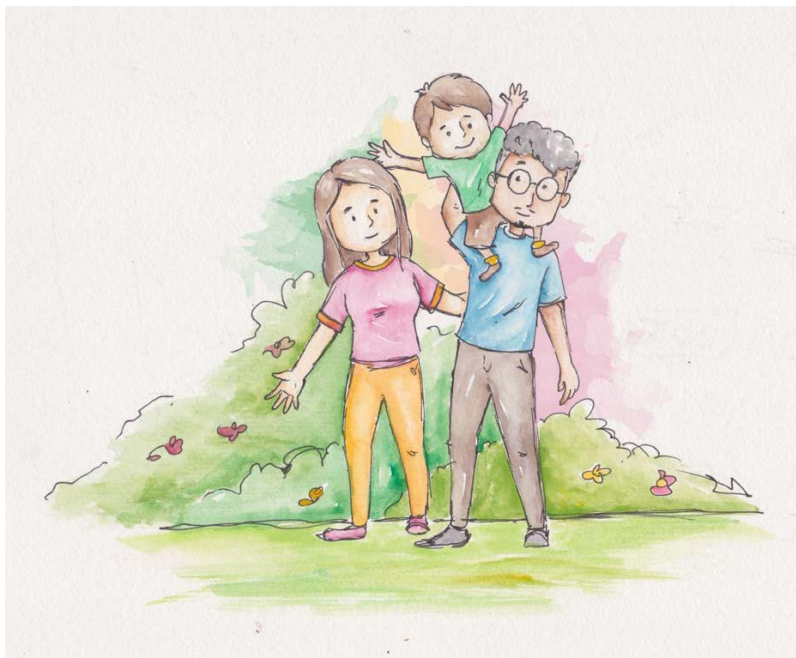
Teaching And Learning Resources

- [Rainbow Booklet Library](#)
- [Values Bookmarks](#)
- [Reflection Points Posters](#)

New Videos

- [World Values Day 2020 - LVE Values Bookmarks](#)
- [Workshop for Educators and Parents](#)

Value of the Month: **Happiness**



In addition to illustrating the meaning of values, the Reflection Points offer a values perspective, one of valuing the dignity and worth of each human being.

Age group: 3 — 7 years

- When I have love and peace inside, happiness just comes.
- Happiness is having fun with my friends.
- Happiness is knowing I am loved.
- When I do good things, I am happy with myself.
- Good wishes for everyone make me happy inside.
- I can give happiness to everyone with my good wishes.
- I can give happiness to others with words that are like flowers, not thorns.
- I can give happiness to others by sharing.

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Age group: 8 — 14 years

- When I have love and peace inside, happiness just comes.
- Happiness is a state of peace in which there is no upheaval or violence.
- Give happiness and take happiness.
- When there is a feeling of hope, there is happiness.
- Good wishes for everyone gives happiness inside.
- Happiness naturally comes with pure and selfless actions.
- Lasting happiness is a state of contentment within.
- When one is content with the self, happiness comes automatically.
- When my words “give flowers instead of thorns,” I create a happier world.
- Happiness follows giving happiness, sorrow follows giving sorrow.

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Age group: Young Adults

- Give happiness and take happiness.
- When there is love and peace inside, happiness automatically grows.

- When there is a feeling of hope and purpose, there is happiness inside.
- Happiness cannot be bought, sold or bargained for.
- Happiness is earned through pure and selfless attitudes and actions.
- Happiness of mind is a state of peace in which there is no upheaval or violence.
- Kind and constructive words create a happier world.
- When one is content with oneself, happiness comes automatically.
- Happiness follows happiness, sorrow follows giving sorrow.
- Lasting happiness is a state of contentment within.
- When all resources are focused on socioeconomic infrastructure at the expense of the development of the character then priorities in life are misrepresented and there is a gradual erosion of happiness.
- Values help people assess priorities and allow for active and preventive measure to take place at opportune moments.

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