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## VBS 2025

*Dare to be Like Daniel!*

*Integrity Brings Blessings*

*Daniel 1:8-15*

**Definition of Integrity** = The quality of being honest and having strong moral principles; the state of being whole and undivided!!

➤ Character vs. Integrity:

- Integrity and character, while related, are distinct concepts. Integrity refers to a person's adherence to a moral code, encompassing honesty, fairness, and a commitment to ethical principles. Character encompasses the broader set of traits and qualities that define an individual's personality and behavior.
- Essentially, integrity is a crucial part of good character, but character also includes other aspects like kindness, courage, and resilience.
- ***You can't buy integrity, but you can sell your character! ~ Pastor Titus A. White, Sr.***

➤ Here are five specific ways to demonstrate integrity:

- 1. Be Honest and Transparent:** This means communicating openly and truthfully, both in good times and when facing challenges. Avoid gossip or spreading negativity, and be forthcoming with important information.
- 2. Take Responsibility for Your Actions:** Acknowledge your mistakes and take ownership of your actions, rather than making excuses or blaming others.
- 3. Maintain Confidentiality:** Respect the privacy of others and keep sensitive information confidential. Avoid sharing personal details or gossip about colleagues.
- 4. Respect Others and Their Boundaries:** Treat everyone with respect, regardless of their background or position. Be mindful of their personal space and boundaries, both physical and emotional.
- 5. Uphold Ethical Standards:** Follow moral values, policies, and procedures, and make ethical choices even when faced with pressure to do otherwise.