



Ace of Hearts
Anchor/Parent

Responsible for a child's physical and emotional well being 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year in an unconditional loving way.

Give this ace to your own children-- remind them how important they are.

Only an Anchor Parent can give this Ace



Ace of Clubs
Other Caring Adults

All three criteria must be met to check this box

1. You have known the child/youth for at least eight weeks.
2. You can describe at least three very positive characteristics/skills or talents which you believe this child possesses.
3. You believe this child feels comfortable asking for your assistance.



Ace of Spades
High Expectations

All four criteria must be met to check this box

1. You have known this child/youth for at least eight weeks.
2. You feel you believe in this child/youth sometimes even more than he/she believes in himself
3. You sense that you are one of the "go to" adults this child may contact if they wish to discuss a problem/issue beyond an academic subject.
4. You have a very good sense as to this child's/youth's experiences during the non school hours (i.e. a sense of their home life/community life).



Ace of Diamonds
Opportunities to Succeed

All three criteria must be met to check this box

1. You have given this child opportunities to succeed and have acknowledged their success.
2. When this child is with you they feel a sense of achievement, are valued and appreciated.
3. This child succeeds in your classroom/program or organization.

