



Communities in Alberta

Being a good citizen where we live

What is Citizenship?

- A citizen is a member of a community.
- Citizens in Canada have rights, like being treated fairly.
- Citizens also have jobs to do, called responsibilities.
- One responsibility is helping our community.

Rights and Responsibilities

My Rights

I have the right to be treated the same as everyone else. This is true no matter how I look or where I come from.

My Responsibilities

I help my community. I respect other people's rights. One day I will vote.

How Can I Take Action?

1

Notice a problem

See something that needs help in your community.

2

Ask questions

Learn from many sources, not just one.

3

Listen to others

Think about how other people feel.

4

Take action

Share ideas, give donations, or volunteer.

Ways to Help Our Community

Share information

Tell people something important you learned.

Collect donations

Gather items like food or clothes to give.

Volunteer

Give your time to help others.

Plan a project

Pick an issue, then make small steps to fix it.

Being Part of a Community

Being a citizen means having rights and responsibilities. We can be informed by asking questions and listening to others. We can take action to help our community grow strong.

What is one small action you can do this week to help your community?