

# Discovering Life Skills

## Chapter 5: Citizenship and Learning

### Chapter Summary

A citizen is a member of a community and is entitled to certain rights. In return, citizens have responsibilities to their community, such as obeying the law. A good way to demonstrate citizenship skills is to be responsible to your community. Citizens can feel pride when they help and support others in their community, which can lead to a strong connection to the community. Citizens care about what happens to family, neighbors, and their community.

Leadership is the direction that helps a group to accomplish its goals. Every group needs a leader. Good leaders motivate and encourage others, share responsibilities and rewards, have a positive attitude, and make sound decisions. Leaders have different leadership styles, but a successful group needs all of its members to work together. When people use teamwork, everyone works together to reach a goal.