



Unchanging Principles

All Covenant Partners agree to these five unchanging principles:

1. Talitha Koum is a Christian ministry.
2. The therapeutic nature of our program will not deteriorate into child care alone, even the highest quality child care.
3. In concert with the Nurture Center Director, selection of families and children will be made by the CrossTies TKI Mission Group who hold a preference for children in our neighborhood (Tract 4 of South Waco) and who often know the families intimately — both their needs and their desires to engage with a program of significant help.
4. Children will never be punished based on what they or their parents do or fail to do. Children will, therefore, not be ejected from our program due to a parent's lack of cooperation (other than preventing their child's regular attendance). As well, no child will ever be expelled due to the child's behavior nor suspended, not even for a day.
5. We will consistently reach out to parents and caregivers in love and respect, offering the support they need for meeting their own personal goals.