

CivicForge — Concept Poster

Print this and pin it up — an at-a-glance map of the CivicForge cast and the ideas each one carries. Come back to it whenever you want to remember who teaches what.

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Meet the cast — and what each one teaches

Character	What they carry
Verdis	Justice — the patient listener who weighs sides; bear with wooden scale + spectacles
Aera	Liberty (open-window) — keeper of open windows; snowy owl on shuttered window frame
Span	Equity — the bridge-builder; heron with mismatched planks for mismatched riverbanks
Cordis	Civility — disagreement-without-disrespect host; striped badger with mismatched cups + bow tie
Kindle	Participation — the door-opener; prairie dog at a half-open door pointing outward
Tellus	Stewardship — the long-view caretaker; ancient tortoise planting trees they will never sit under
Level	Rule of law — the line reads level whoever holds it, even the one who set it; mountain goat with a stone level + plumb-bob
Rung	Due process — climb every step in order, never skip to the verdict; woodpecker climbing a trunk rung by rung
Muster	Consent of the governed — nothing proceeds until everyone's gathered and the yes is real; meerkat counting raised paws from the burrow-mound
Herald	Transparency — a decision no one can see isn't finished; crane keeping an open notice-board in the square

Key ideas at a glance

The big concepts this cast helps you master:

- civics

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