

# Scrum Values

The scrum values provide a code of behaviour, or ethics, for scrum teams.

Teams that follow the scrum processes but do not demonstrate the scrum values will be less effective as their events will be less productive and the teams are likely to become dysfunctional.



## Focus

Everyone focuses on the work of the sprint and the goals of the scrum team.  
e.g. Focus on achieving the sprint goal



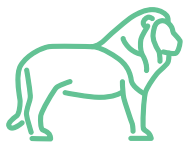
## Openness

The scrum team and its stakeholders agree to be open about all the work and the challenges with performing the work.  
e.g. Be open to other team members' opinions



## Commitment

People personally commit to achieving the goals of the scrum team.  
e.g. Commit to doing your best



## Courage

Scrum team members have courage to do the right thing and work on tough problems.  
e.g. Have the courage to ask for help



## Respect

Scrum team members respect each other to be capable, independent people.  
e.g. Respect each other's time by being punctual