

Kindness Essay Examples

The Lonely Homeless Child

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One day, my grandparents and my brother went to a restaurant to eat dinner in Mexico. Right when we finished ordering our food, my grandma spotted a homeless boy selling some rubberband bracelets. A couple minutes later, the boy asked me and everyone else at my table if we wanted to buy the bracelets that he was selling. But the truth was, we didn't really want one. So instead of buying the bracelets, my grandma gave the boy \$20. When she gave it to him, he said, "Thank you." He went to the ice cream shop and bought a vanilla ice cream cone. When we saw him coming out, he had a smile on his face and he was jumping for joy. In my mind, I felt so happy and glad about what my grandma did for the boy because he did not have parents at home or any money. And all of this happened in Mexico at dinnertime. I felt like I had butterflies in my stomach because of what happened. And because of that, I wasn't even hungry anymore. I was just in shock of what happened that day.

How Schools Can Help

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If I were a faculty member in a school, such as a dean, I would make sure bullying is addressed as a serious issue. I would do things such as put up anti-bullying signs and loosely addressing the problem in an assembly. In these signs I would try to make two key points heard. The first point is that there are multiple ways to bully others. I have found that many people doubt whether they are being bullied or not because their situation is not one they have heard of. Some examples of bullying include beating, making others bully, saying mean things and not

including others. The second point I would want to say is that the school can help you. Many people feel school is not a safe place, but they don't know that the people can help them.

I'm a Very Positive Person

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If you ever walk past me, as a stranger or not, I will smile at you. However, I can be shy at first. You'll have to be patient with me when going through my shy phase. Once you get to know me you'll notice I'll become a whole different person, in a good way. Kindness and positivity are important to me because you can't be rude to someone and expect them to be nice to you. Sometimes when you're showing a negative attitude towards someone they may be dealing with hard situations in their life. Treat people the way you'd want to be treated. We all have hard times and end up saying bad comments about ourselves. I think it's alright letting out what needs to be let out, but don't take those negative comments you say about yourself seriously. Instead you should remember that you could do better next time and think about the positive talents you have that's different from other people. Imagine someone came up to you and started saying negative things about your appearance. You shouldn't believe what they're saying because they're jealous and trying to bring you down. A way you could respond positively is to start questioning them about why they're saying these negative things about your appearance. You should tell he/she to stop hating on you because not everyone is alike, everyone is different in their own way. If someone else was being treated like this you should go help them out and stand up for them. You shouldn't just watch because if you were in their position you'd want someone to help you stand up to the bully. An example of something you can say is to stop bullying him or her, or stop paying attention to him/her, not only are you wasting his/her time but yours too.