

**Rishi**

**Grade 6 Austria**

**An invention that transformed the world.**

Inventions, what do you think by the word inventions?

I think an invention is something which is invented to transform the world.

An invention that changed the world for me is Pasteurization.



For some, drinking raw milk is a way to get back to nature, improve family nutrition and hedge back against asthma and allergies. However, according to public authorities, drinking raw or unpasteurized milk is a big mistake even fatal.

Animal milk products have been a mainstay of the human diet for thousands of years. For just as long, humans have been infected by pathogens, like bacteria in milk.

So, what's the story?

In 1865, French scientist Louis Pasteur developed the process of mildly heating liquids to kill bacteria, a process now known as pasteurization. It was German chemist Franz Soxhlet, in 1886 that suggested pasteurization to be applied to raw milk. Raw milk can become contaminated by cow itself, from bacteria in the environment, while milking, or cross contamination by equipment and handling.

I would like to conclude saying that Pasteurization is the greatest invention in the world for me.

New Words

1. Pasteurization 2. Unpasteurized 3. Pathogens 4 Bacteria 5. Contamination

**Shlokya**  
**Grade 6 Austria**



**How do you see yourself in ten years?**

I see myself as a young, independent, bold woman who wants a chance to prove herself. 'A woman who wants to change the world into a happier place'. For my future ambition, I see myself become an IAS officer or an author! In 10 years I want to see myself grow as strong as an oak tree.

The world around me amazes me! The more I keep learning about it, the more curious I become. I see myself become an inquirer, risk taker an amazing communicator etc. This image of me in the future might just turn out me be a dream, but I am a trier, and I will keep trying until I succeed. I will not only try to change the world, I will even try to change the people in it. But I still need to be me. The gods might not come down and do it for me but that is why they created us, to change the world, to shape the future! I do not know how the future "me" will look like but I do have a sense of confidence that she is going to be fierce! I will also teach people what our tradition and culture is and what rich ethics our country has. I even want to find the elucidation of life. This is just the beginning of the vast journey of my life. But I cannot just leave the amazing character that my school has developed in me because it is an important essence of my life.

And becoming a member of the Indian Administrative Services might be the hardest thing I do in my life but you know nothing is impossible with me because "I am possible"!

There is a long way to go but let us first worry about the present now!

**Vibha**

**Grade 6 Austria**

**Topic- Many parents give their children chores or tasks to do at home.**

**Should children have to do chores or tasks at home?**

**Be sure to explain why you think it is a good idea or a bad idea to do so. Include examples to support your answer.**



Yes, it is true that all parents give chores to their children. In my perspective, children should get the chores. It is because kids feel competent and responsible when they do their chores. Whatever they're making their bed or they're sweeping the floor. Helping out around the house helps kids feel capable. Doing chores also helps kids feel like they're the part of the team.

Chores help teach life skills

They're young now but not forever! Laundry, cooking, is just some of the skills we need, once we finally move out.

Chores help teach teamwork

Being a productive member of a team can be modelled for children through housework. Members of a family as a team are accountable to each other. Learning these lessons at home, where mistakes are more easily forgiven, can help kids develop strong teamwork skills to use at school.

I strongly believe, doing chores is a good idea. It has so many benefits.

Source-I took the help of Internet

New words:

1. Productive 2. Modelled 3. Accountable

**Poorvi**

**Grade 6 Belgium**



**The most fascinating thing you did in your vacation**

The most fascinating things I have done are:

Ø I wrote new vocabulary with interest and started using them when I am speaking. This is my action plan to develop my spellings and also learn new vocabulary. I wrote a total 100 new vocabulary, ten each day and out of that I used 3-4 in my word craft and 5-6 in my speaking and conversation with adults, cousins and friends.

Ø I learnt and made 10 big rangolis which were very new to me. I was thinking it was **vain** and tried until I was got it perfect. I connected and related these 10 rangolis to the math I have learnt till now, like identifying symmetry, pattern and elementary shapes-triangles and quadrilaterals, by this I even learnt the current learning chapter, understanding elementary shapes chapter in a fun way.

Ø I connected the novel -I read in my vacation , “The incredible history India’s geography “ written by Sanjeev Sanyal , to the present inquiry we are inquiring into how we express ourselves, the beliefs of the Indo-Europeans called Aryans in North India and Dravidians in south India(Supposed ancestors of modern day Tamil) in the first chapter “of shakes and quakes.” I connected the second chapter “Hello harappans” to our last year inquiry where we had inquired about Indus Valley civilization and Harappan civilization.

Ø I grew a new plant in my apartment and I water all the plants in my house and now the flower plant grew half feet in six months and I went to a farm with small guava plants and a large tree in middle and I saw 2-3 **vermillion** flowers and plants on Sunday.

Source: I took help of Internet to find new vocabulary

**Srish**

**Grade 6 Belgium**



**Write about an invention that has transformed the world**

I was playing a computerized game in my smart phone. Anish asked me in a conviction in a jiffy - "what is the best invention which has transformed the world".

I reflected for a second, whooped and said smartphone. He asked me - "why do you think so"?? I said, in the previous decades people didn't have any source for entertainment and communication...They would write letters, pigeon communication and telephone which people from rich families could only afford.

This didn't last long as the great researcher in "MOTOROLA" and an inventor "MARTIN COOPER" had invented the smartphone on April 3rd, 1973. He was the first one to make an automotive smartphone, but these smartphone didn't become popular until the early 21st century. Now there are many brands of smartphones and there are many attributes in smartphone, which are very useful but the people aren't using this invention in the right manner. They are getting addicted to video games, social media etc. Some people are doing cybercrime with the smartphones, and people are getting the flip side because of this invention.

Then Anish waved his head and said, that - "yes the invention smartphone has transformed the world pretty much and thanked me for the information."

Source - I have written my word craft with the help of the search engine - "GOOGLE"

**Sahasra Gelli**

**Grade 6 Denmark**

**Do you consider yourself as a good listener? Why or why not? \_**



Every person who is successful now, was people who got motivated by great people. The key to get motivated is being a good listener.

I consider myself to be a good listener because I am an attentive student in my class. Sometimes, I am not a very good listener but most of the time; I listen and try to understand what my teacher says.

I have many instances in which I was a very good listener and gained so much knowledge. One of the instances is when I was preparing for my Speaker at Silver Oaks finals. I chose the topic 'Environmental Management' in which I did a research with my dad. I woke up the day before for writing and preparing my speech. In that period of time, I had to listen and concentrate to my dad. Through that, I gained a lot of knowledge about what was happening in the society. Another instance was when our wing head, Shobha mam gave us instructions about Independence Day, I was very attentive and helped many people who were absent and people who were not very attentive knew what happened in the assembly. By being attentive I helped my friends.

I also have instances where I was not a good listener. One of them was when my teacher was teaching science, I was not attentive and I was woolgathering. The next day, I got angry on myself because I missed whatever my teacher taught in the class. Another instance was when I was not attentive to what my parents told me. I was thinking something else which averted me and the next morning my parents ask me questions about it and I felt embarrassed. I understood that being attentive and listening to what is happening will make us good listeners.

Being a good and attentive listener changed many people's lives. I want to encourage many people to be good listeners.

Source - I wrote this on my own.

**Sravani**  
**Grade 6 Denmark**



### **The book that got hooked me on reading**

A story book is basically a book consisting of a story or stories. When I read an interesting book my brain becomes more active. There are several elements that make a story interesting to me. A story is interesting when it is mysterious, exciting, suspense, thrilling and horror.

The book which hooked on reading is none other than 'Thea Stilton' series. The author of this series is Elisabetta Dami. She is an Italian author of the Geronimo Stilton series, a bestselling book. She enjoys travelling the world seeking ideas for her series. She writes the books in a fun way as she includes the author as part of the book. Some of the books include Madagascar Madness, Lost Letters, Tropical Treasure, Frozen Fiasco, Hollywood Hoax, Missing Myth and many more. The special editions are Journey to Atlantis, Secret of Fairies, Secret of Snow and the Land of Flowers. But, my favourite book is Venice Masquerade.

The Thea sisters are headed to Venice, Italy! They will be there for carnival, an annual festival that is famous for its elaborate masks. The mouse lets enjoy exploring the city and seeing the beautiful costumes, mice wear to carnival. But a thief strikes while they are there! Can they unmask him before the festival ends? YES! Of course because right always wins. This book taught me to be brave and fight for the right. The cheerful and enthusiastic characters having their own strength and unique style known as the sisters always succeed to solve the mystery.

When I was reading, I felt I was inside it and exploring the place. Although I never visited Venice, I could imagine the place by the beautiful pictures and description. I and my friends got inspired by the hard work of the author which made us write a book. The series of Geronimo Stilton are very interesting. The review of the book in my opinion could be 4.5 out of 5 stars.

**Padma Priya**  
**Grade 6 France**

### **Should children have to do chores or tasks at home?**

Is it exigent for kids to help their parents to do household chores or tasks? By expecting children to complete self-care tasks and to succor with household chores, parents equip children with the skills to function independently in the outside world. But at times children feel that the parents are as dry as dust. Chores help kids learn responsibility and self-reliance. Assigning children regular chores help teach them their responsibility to build up good career in the future. Children should keep their rooms clean and tidy so that if any guest is invited your house they feel that your room is very catalogued and stunning as well. Children should also fold their own laundry and put them in its place so that they learn where to put things at assertive places at home. Children should also do chores at home like handing over things to mom and earning compliments and also which set an example for the siblings or juniors. Parents are the ultimate role models for children. Every word, movement and action has an effect. "No other person or outside for has a greater influence on a child than the parent"

New Words:

1. Exigent: very crucial or important
2. Succor: helping something which has to be done
3. Catalogued: organized or descent
4. Stunning: something which is pretty looking or beautiful
5. Assertive: certain or specific things

Idiom: dry as dust: very tiring or very boring



**Uttej**

**Grade 6 France**

### **Do you consider yourself a good listener?**

Being a good listener is very important in life. A good listener always gains a lot in life. They always obey to the elders and respect them.

I think I am a good listener because it has always benefited me.

There are instances where I had been a bad listener and have faced many mishaps. So I have decided to be good listener.

The two instances when I was a good listener are:

- Few months back, we had only one laptop as the other wasn't working. Me, my brother and my father need the same laptop hence there was a confusion as who will use it when? Then my father gave me an idea. He asked me to plan my work, to be ready with what to do over the laptop and when my turn comes I could do my work quickly. So, here I was a good listener by obeying my father and thus could finish my work on time.
- Whenever my teacher teaches us a new concept in school, I am totally focused to my teacher's words. By doing this I'm able to understand the new topic well. Thus I am able to score well in my exams. So, here once again I am a good listener by being attentive in my class.



Two instances where I wasn't a good listener are:

- I wanted a bicycle for my birthday and my parents bought it for me. I used to cycle very well in the beginning. Later, I neglected it. My mother kept on reminding me daily but I did not pay heed to her words, later they sold it. Now I repent for my mistake. I should have listened to my parents.
- A similar incident happened recently. My parents got me a new pair of skates. I was overjoyed at the sight of my skates. But again I didn't use them much. Now my feet have overgrown them and they no longer fit me. I am left with no skates and my parents clearly told me that they are not going to buy me another pair of skates. I have paid the price for not listening to them.

So being a good listener is very important and can help us in our life.

**Shrutik**  
**Grade 6 Germany**



**Do you consider yourself as a good listener? Why or why not?**

**Give two instances when you were a good listener and what you gained.**

**Give two instances when you were not so good listener and what you missed.**

Listening skills are an important part of effective communication. They allow you to make sense of and understand what another person is saying.

I consider myself as a not so good listener because...

Firstly, I do English Mind spark regularly but I find difficulty in answering questions after listening to a conversation. I don't focus or concentrate on what the speaker is saying or lazy enough to patiently listen to the speaker. Keeping my mind calm and not being aggressive would help me attempt the comprehensive questions error-free.

Secondly, during the AWIM programmer in 2017, I was called for practice sessions. I didn't pay attention to the instructor. It was said that there is no practice session on Saturday. I went to school and waited for a couple of hours. Later, I was informed that there was no practice session that day. I realized my mistake and returned home.

Hence, I conclude that hearing is a physical ability whereas listening is a skill. I would set the ball rolling by listening with intent. I would ascertain the knowledge from this in my further actions.

Source: I took the help of my father in framing sentences.

New words I found:

1. Aggressive = behave in a forceful way
2. Intent= purpose or intention
3. error-free= containing no mistakes
4. Ascertain = use/implement
5. Set the ball rolling= cause something to start

**Srishti**

**Grade 6 Germany**

**Where do you see yourself in 10 years?**

The way I see myself ten years ahead of now is not something I often think about. To tell the truth, it scares me a lot to know that in one short decade, I will be twenty one years old and that my years of youth are coming to an end.



I always wanted to see what will be my future, my career and what will I become. As I reflected my childhood, I have many dreams and aspirations that I would like to perpetrate within the next ten years. In ten years, I can see myself having many of my goals achieved and if not achieved, I will be working on consummating those goals to effectuate my life. While growing up, we all wanted that fairy tale ending with a house, car, kids and a dog. They say that in one's life, we all make choices but in the end, our choices make us.

You are about to embark with me onto the long, curvy road of my life and watch upon it as it unravels through my eyes. This is my life and as I see, it will be ten years from now. I have planned most of it already.

Source: I wrote it on my own and taken new words from dictionary.

New words with meanings:

1. Aspirations = desires
2. perpetuate= accomplish
3. Effectuate = fulfill
4. Embark = witness
5. Unravels = unfolds

Anjali Iyer

Grade 6 Greece

Imagine that you are drifting away on a life raft, the only survivor of a shipwreck. Storm clouds are gathering overhead, but at least the island is getting closer. Only there is something odd about it ..... Write about what happens next.



It was the perfect weather for the start of a new year. I and my friends had been dancing until 4 in the morning. We were very tired. I woke up in the morning only at 9:30. Tired, I wondered “ hmmm .... First of January, wonder if anything exciting will happen this year? “ “Sure, it will “ said a voice. I turned my neck so fast that it hurt. Looking behind, I saw man, covered in black from head to toe. He was thin, and had a stern face.” Who are you? “I asked, stammering. Before I could finish, the man said-” I am Cornelius Pawn, and I solve mysteries. I am here to take you on a mission on a ship. “Suddenly, His face broke into a smile. I could do nothing but trust and follow him.

We hired a car and drove to the jetty and boarded the ship. Cornelius spoke to one of the crew men and we started the journey. Cornelius told me the plan.” Will you help me?” He asked. “Sure” I replied. Time passed. Over a week, I had mastered the basics of code language and had also learnt what to do in case of a shipwreck. Three days past a week, at about 2 in the morning, I heard Cornelius shouting “BEWARE, a storm is coming!! “ I quickly grabbed the life raft, threw it in the water, and jumped into it. As I was sailing, I was in shock! How could this have happened?! As I was looking around for help, I saw a misty shadow in the distance. But before I could see it more clearly, it had disappeared! How odd!!

But I did not have time to think about this, as storm clouds were hovering above my head, but 1 plus point was that the island was getting closer. A few hours later, I heard a noise and saw a frenzy of sharks!!! They were circling the life raft. Quickly, I found a wooden log, hit 2 stones together, set it to fire, and shoved the stick as far as I could. Of course, the sharks went behind it. What a relief!!!!

I sailed on for 3 more days, telling myself that I'd reach the island soon....Thinking about Cornelius, my raft hit something hard. Looking down, I saw that I had reached the island. As I looked around, I saw a man with a boat." hello there, May I help you? " I asked. As the man turned to look, I saw it was none other than Cornelius!!We were happy to meet and decided to continue with the plan and get to bottom of the mystery. As we started walking, we found out that there was nothing for miles and miles away. We found out a resting place where we decided we'll stay. It was nightfall by the time we reached the hiding spot.

Although it was uneasy, the plus point was that we had found the mansion and had also seen the burglars come out of a tunnel underground and had decided to get in contact with the police as soon as possible. The next day we saw a ship sail by and started shouting. The captain of the ship was a kind man and helped us a lot. He said he would return with the police in a day or two. The next night, as soon as the burglars came out of the tunnel, Cornelius blocked it with stones. As soon as the burglars entered the house, I locked the door with my hairpin. They were trapped!! A day later, the police arrived and were astonished to see what they had found impossible in soo many years had been done in a day. They rescued us and arrested the burglars. The mystery was solved!!!

A few days later, we were seen on the local newspapers. The headline-

**"TWO SECRET DETECTIVES SOLVED A MYSTERY AND CAUGHT SEVEN " WANTED " GANG OF BURGLARS "**

I have learnt a lot from this experience and also had a lot of fun. I will cherish this memory for the rest of my life.

THANK YOU

**Sai Meghana**  
**Grade 6 Greece**

**What is the most fascinating thing you learnt in the Dussehra vacation?**



The Dussehra vacation is vital for relaxing and invigorating your mind, having fun and most importantly, learning something new. Learning doesn't necessarily have to be Science, Math or English, but it can be about our cultures and traditions as well.

In this Dussehra vacation, I went to Rajahmundry to attend my aunt's house warming ceremony. This gave me a chance to learn how housewarming ceremonies are done in my tradition, which in my opinion is the most fascinating thing I learnt in the whole vacation.

For us, this is a very happy and important occasion before starting a new life in a new house. We plan it on an auspicious day and invite our family and friends. The house will be decorated very grandly using flowers, mango leaves and radiant lights. We start the ceremony by doing pooja to the main door before. After that, everyone puts unpolished rice on the step of the door before entering. Once everyone enters a cow and calf will be taken into every room as we believe that brings good life. Then, the house owners start a pooja which is approximately four hours long, while everyone else is sitting in the house. The pooja is done by reading stories of god and praying to god. After the pooja is done, everyone exchange gifts with a lot of joy and exhilaration. Later, we do another pooja called 'Homam' which is doing prayers around a fire which is set up with sticks, bricks and ghee. Then it is obligatory for the house owners to sleep in that house three nights.

I had a very good time at this ceremony and I am also very glad that I learned new things about my culture and traditions as it is very important.

New Words -

1. Vital - absolutely necessary, essential
2. Invigorating - making one feel strong, healthy and full of energy
3. Radiant - sending out light, shining or glowing brightly
4. Obligatory - required by a legal, moral or other rule, compulsory
5. Exhilaration - a feeling of excitement, happiness or elation

**Sanskriti Trivedi**

**Grade 6 Greece**

**WRITE ABOUT THE BOOK THAT HOOKED YOU THE MOST AND WHY?**

The man of the moment: Narendra Modi

The man of the moment unfolds the roller coaster of life and the evolution of a politician who has changed the politics in India. Modi is poised to be the Indian game changer of the Indian politics. Narendra Modi was born on 17th September 1950, in Gujarat. He was the chief minister of Gujarat from 2001 to 2014. He is currently serving as the 14th Prime minister of our mother India. He is the member of Varanasi and is also a member of BJP (Bharatiya Janata Party). Kattal Vimath Kalam is one of the authors of this book. He was an Indian journalist. He was the founder of Prasar Bharati. He worked as the editor of Sunday times for 2 years - from 1667 to 1669. Dr. Kalindi Randeri was the 2nd author of the this book. She was the founder of women's university in Mumbai. She was awarded as the women's of the year in 1995. Modi is a true firm of Gujarat as well as our mother India. Gujarat governance, his home issues and the world problem makes him a greater leader. Indeed his connection with foreign makes him the strongest for Congress in the Indian monopoly Modi's father used to sell tea. Modi used to help his father in selling tea too. Though, he was from a very poor family, he turned to be a great and inspiring leader for us in our eyes. I would give this book a 5 out of 5 rating because it is motivational and inspiring. I suggest that all of you should read this book. Lastly, I would end my speech by saying that this book's all in one story is that: People should understand that being a great person is not just by saying I am a great person. Being great is to have greatness and faith in heart.



Source: I wrote it on my own

New Words: • Motivational • Governance • Journalist

**Anuhya G**  
**Grade 6 Italy**

**Many parents give their children certain chores or tasks to do at home.  
Should children have to do chores at home?**

Sometimes parents wonder if they should really give their kids chores. After all isn't it the parent's responsibility to manage the household? And don't kids need an opportunity to just be kids for now because they have the rest of their life to worry about chores?

However giving children chores may be one of the most important thing you will ever do. Kids who do chores learn responsibility and gain important life skills that will serve them well throughout their life. Why is sweeping the floor or cleaning the table so important to kids wellbeing life? One reason is that kids feel competent when they do their chores.

Whether they are making their bed or cleaning their room, helping out around the house helps kids feel capable. Doing chores also helps kids feel like they are a part of the family. Pitching in and helping family members is good for them and it encourages them to be good citizens. When parents give good feedback, the child will do more chores for the praise which in turn becomes a habit.



**Prachi G**  
**Grade 6 Italy**

**What are the skills with which you think you will become a super Boy or Super girl.**

We are all born with certain skills and develop few as we grow through different ways. And those could turn me into a super girl.

I learn new things on my own. You don't always need someone to tell you to traverse new things or study hard to get good marks. It's not always necessary because everyone has their own way of understanding.

People learn many things using divergent strategies.

Suppose, take magnets as a topic that we are exploring in school right now. Few of us would like to go home, get a magnet and start exploring about how it attracts different things. Some of us may listen to audios or know others perspectives about magnets. Few of us like to watch videos or read books and know more about magnets and how they work.

When it comes to me, I can analyze and model a physical process. Right now we are learning about sound. It has been raining with thunder and lightning for quite a long time now. When I looked out of the window, I discern that I can see the lightning first and then hear the thunder. With the skill of observation in nature I think I am able to make connections to the natural phenomenon and the scientific principle behind it.

I strongly believe that skills are necessary in learning new things and can be developed throughout our life. Because life never stops teaching and we never stop learning! This will in turn make me into a super girl!!



**Sreesai Keertan Juttiga**  
**Grade 6 Portugal**

### **The First Day of School**

It was the day before India's Independence Day. It was the 14th of August. I felt hot, and each thump of my shoe reminded me of the anxiety I felt as I was joining a new school in a new country. I feared strict teachers, who hit my hand with a stick as before my parents recited stories about their schools. My body was tight, my ears refused to hear anything. I was stuck in my growing world of fear. There was no exit, until I had met the class in which I would be in the entire school year. After meeting all the students, one stood out. A student named "Saketh Bethi". I learnt he was also from America, like me. We both had conversations; we even practiced for a Independence Day program. We quickly grew into friends and my fears all imprisoned inside my head all escaped from the jail of my mind as I the guard, did not pay attention to them. And my teacher, Mrs. Mausumi Dam, is a key piece in releasing those fears. And she, to this date, continues to happily unlock the prison rooms, helping me defend my fears from entering me again.



**Tanush Vadarevu**  
**Grade 6 Sweden**



**Where do you see yourself in 10 years?**

After ten years from now, I would be completing 22 years of my age. This period of mine, I would like to see myself as a post graduate student or a research scholar. The reason why I selected to be a postgraduate student is to master any subject which I choose for my career. This will further allow me to choose a field where I can use the mastered knowledge to excel in that particular field.

I would like to be very specific and selective while choosing my educational institution to pursue my graduation and post-graduation .I would prefer choosing the best of their kind in getting admissions to these institutions where I can have a good subject matter experts to impart with best practices to resolve any challenges that I face while doing duties in any field I select.

I hope I will succeed in getting my aim and desire fulfilled with lot of hard work.

**Venkata Rama Rishkek Madhuvarasu**  
**Grade 6 Sweden**

**Think about the historical figures you have inquired about so far in this Unit of Inquiry. If you could have dinner with any one of them, whom would you choose, and why? What will you talk about, and ask him/her? (Since it will be an imaginary scenario, your sentences are expected in future tense.)**



If I would ever have dinner with any one of the people I have inquired about, I would choose the scientist Archimedes.

First of all, I would feel ecstatic to meet Archimedes. I would like to acquire his taste of inventing things and his rational thinking. I would also like to learn about his history.

To meet him, I would rent a posh restaurant and invite him there. I would wear an elegant, chic, and sophisticated tuxedo and come there. Oops, I forgot! I would learn Ancient Greek, because it was his vernacular!

When he would come, I would formally greet him with a big smile, and ask him to sit down. I would order a Greek salad for each of us. Then, I would ask him, "Πὼς εἶσαι;" or, "How are you?" in Greek. After that, I would ask him to teach me his principles and formulas. I would also ask him to help me with my homework. Along with that, I would ask how he discovered and created things.

After eating, I would ask him about his history. Finally, I would solicit with him to give me some of his books and models of inventions. I would then fare him well, and return home.

Sources: Web, Dictionary, My Thoughts

**Harini**

**Grade 6 Switzerland**

**Where would you see yourself in 10 years?**

Culpable- responsible

Life is really small, but full of challenges, surprises, goals, achievements, celebrations and many more. We should go through all of these but never forget to accomplish our goals, and become something we aspire for. I have a goal and a passion. When I achieve my goal and do what I'm passionate about as well.....



I see myself on a stage with my face full of happiness and my eyes filled with pride when I hear loud claps and appreciations, my heart filled with satisfaction when I hear happy thanking from innocent people proven guilty whom I save from getting punished.

I would hear loud accolades from theatregoers who will be enthralled watching me dance. I will be filled with gratification\_ when innocent people\_ thank me for supporting them as a culpable lawyer .

I will fill the stage with colors as I move across the stage with grace. I will attract the audience with my facial expressions to get them hooked onto my performance. I will use my knowledge and my words as my weapons to defend the innocent and convince the jury to punish the wrong.

Dance is my passion and it is the reason for me to become a dancer. In my perspective, law is very helpful and a very nice job. I think I can gain respect if I become a lawyer. So I aspire to become a lawyer as well as a dancer.

**Source:** I took a little help from thesaurus.com for new vocabulary.

**New words:**

- Accolades- applauses, appreciation.
- Theatergoers- spectators, audience.
- Enthralled- mesmerized, Impressed.
- Gratification- pleasure, delight

**NIKHILA**

**Grade 6 Switzerland**

**Write about a book which brought change in you or by which you got influenced (Mention characters that you can relate with and also mention the qualities that you have imbibed from the book**



In my prospect the book which I got influenced from is the 'Harry Potter' series where this book

Acquaints a good way of how to use our imaginary skills as the author J.K Rowling used her fantastic spectral skills to complete the series. This influenced me to use of my imaginary skills

In a distinctive way the series and stories are so perceptive, at a time even very creative that you can ever imagine and feel like reading it once again. All the characters in the series

Act as one of the main roles in at least a chapter or so by conveying a good message.

These books main idea is to construe good knowledge on the life/ story of Harry potter by 8 series.

The character "Harry potter "in the series influenced me to be brave and try hard to attain anything at any point of time. The character of Hermione granger influenced me to become a good learner and develop my culture to learn. All the three friends in the series Harry, Ron, and Hermione are great friends and conveyed a good message that "A friend in deed is a friend in need". I improved myself in being principled, open minded and the most interesting attitude being curious. This book created a great repercussion on me , and I will endeavor to continue implementing these learner profile.

**Source-** I wrote by myself using help from internet for vocabulary.

**New words:**

1. Acquaints- convey
2. Spectral- Imaginary
3. Distinctive- Unique
4. Perceptive -understandable
5. Attain- achieve
6. Repercussion- Influence

## Grade 5 - Argentina, Kyathi

### Super girl

I am a super girl. To prove this I need to develop my skills. I am a super girl because I think, write, speak logically in situations, I would predict the next process to solve it. I gain and learn new methods for solving a problem by thinking logically and inquiring. I always try to develop my skills, define problems, implement new methods and look into various solutions. I accomplish my task independently, appropriately and solve it in time. I can develop my time management skills by solving problems on time. Segregate physical processes to know the next code for solving my problems, this makes me develop my thinking skills. I try to solve the problems in experimental ways. I have the ability to think and learn new information rapidly, logically and systematically. I will use my methods for making appropriate decisions while solving problems. These skills help me solve problems and make me a SUPER GIRL.



## Grade 5 - Argentina, Puneeth

**Topic: If you could improve about yourself in any three cultures of the school, what are they and how would you improve?**

If I could improve three cultures about myself they would be culture to read, culture to consistent, and culture to give. I could improve them by doing many things. I could improve culture to read by reading books, newspapers, articles reports or any reading material to extend my knowledge. I believe that reading is the only treasure that accompanies its owner. Reading can extend our lifetime.

I could improve culture to consistent by coming to school regularly, by doing my homework and mind spark rigorously. I can develop culture to consistent by even practicing the extra-curricular activities.

I could improve culture to give by respecting other's needs; I save and earn coins for the country. I feel it is my responsibility not charity.



## Grade 5 - Argentina, Satvik

**Do you think a monkey would make a good pet? Explain why or why not?**

It was a holiday and I was going for a trip. On my way I saw a lost baby monkey. It got a hurt and it was searching for help. I took pity on that poor thing. I was looking for a hospital and finally found a hospital. It had recovered from its hurt and I brought it to my house. We taught the good habits like going for natural calls with fixed timings, signals like scratching (not harshly) beating (not hardly) for different calls. Food habits like throwing the peel of banana in the dustbin and eating neatly. Playing without harming others like not beating, scratching etc. Like that I treated it well and so it did treat me in the same way.

After this incident which happened I understood that there is no good or bad in others and how we teach like if we treat them in a good way they will return treat us good and vice versa.



Grade 5- Venezuela, Varshini

## The book that got me hooked on reading

### PARAMETERS-

Author of the book

Other books

Story line

What made you to get hooked to the book.

The book that got me hooked in reading is Ruskin Bond. The Author of Ruskin Bond is “Padma Shri” is the fourth highest civilian award in the Republic of India, after “Bharat Ratna”, “Padma Shri” and “Padma Bhushan” are awarded by the government of India. The other books of Ruskin Bond are out Tree still Grows in Dhera, Looking for the Rainbow, Dust on the Mountain, Monkey trouble, The day Grandfather tickled a tiger, the world of tree, The hidden Pool.

The cherry tree is a beautiful story line of Ruskin Bond. This story is all about a boy called Rakesh and a cherry, Rakesh plants a cherry seed and watches as the sapling grows through natural and unnatural disasters and was finally awarded with a cherry blossom on his 9th birthday. This book made me hooked as it is interesting and beautiful because the seed that Rakesh plants incurs many difficulties before it grows into a cherry tree, Just as an individual may struggle in life and becomes a cherry tree, standing tall and proud.

Source: I have written it on my own.



Grade 5 - Venezuela, Rama

**Imagine you find an old letter tucked inside a library book. The letter reveals that there is a hidden passage at your school. Write about your search for the passage and where it leads.**

I went to the library and returned my library book and issued another book from the library. Then I went to my class and started reading the book. After sometime, I turned one of the pages and saw an old letter tucked in the book. I thought it was treasure map which someone forgot and kept it in this book. I also imagined that there will be so much of gold, silver, platinum, titanium, golden biscuits, diamonds and many more.



I thought if I get that treasure I would be the world's richest child!!! So, I started my hunt, the starting point was silver oaks school .I searched a lot. At last I found the secret passage; I was shocked that it was in my block and that passage lead to the skating room. I closed my eyes. By the time, I opened the door, suddenly everyone told HAPPY BIRTHDAY and gave me a surprise, but I was sad and happy because i didn't get the treasure but I had a surprise. It's ok. At last I enjoyed with my family.

Source-I have written it on my own.

Grade 5, PERU - MAHATHI

## SMOKING

I have always wondered why people smoke. So I went up to one person to ask him why he smokes and got answers like, just for fun, fashion, satisfaction and it's a habit. Later I went home and researched about smoking so here is the information I have gathered:

Smoking has no advantages and has many disadvantages for example poor vision, unhealthy teeth, lung cancer, heart disease, wrinkly skin, blood clotting and many more. The first cigarettes were made in 1865, by a Washington Duke on a farm in Raleigh, North Carolina. Tobacco was grown by American Indians before the Europeans came to England. Tobacco was the first crop grown for money in North America. Modern cigarettes which were produced after the 1950's were composed mainly of shredded tobacco leaf which was made mainly of flue-cured bright leaf, burley tobacco and oriental tobacco. [Data collection]

Luckily this horrible thing has come to an end in 2 places Canada and Bhutan. These both countries have taken a wonderful initiative to not only ban but also make it illegal. So why don't we all and everyone who does not want others to smoke try with the help of the government make smoking illegal. The first step of my mission to ban smoking is to stop tobacco planting and ban all alternatives. If people are still very attracted well bad luck for them as the others have rights to give them heavy fines.

NO ONE SHOULD SMOKE

LET'S TRY MAKING SMOKING BAN!



Grade 5- Peru, Mahanyas Yamamanuru

### **My favorite place I went for Vacation!**

My favorite place I went for vacation is the Niagara Falls.

The Niagara Falls is located on the Niagara River which connects 2 of the Great Lakes: Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. This waterfall pours about 4.2 billion gallons (1.6 thousand crore liters) per second. During the night, very powerful laser lights are colorfully shown on this waterfall. There are a lot of hotels beside it, but the one we went to was called Embassy Suites. After we entered the hotel from the long drive from our uncle's house in Michigan, my dad booked a room for a waterfall view on the 42nd (highest) floor of the building.



The next day in the morning, we went to the luxurious dining hall of the hotel where in one of the rooms, we had to wait in one line to order food. After we ate our breakfast, we went on a boat ride in the Canadian side of the waterfalls. WE went so close to the waterfall that we were splashed by the water falling from 51 metres in the sky, and I was standing at the edge of the boat.

After the ride, we packed up all of our luggage and started back to my uncle's house in Michigan before Thanksgiving break was over.

*Source:* I did it by myself.

**Grade 5 -Peru, Arjun**

### **Doing chores**

According to me doing chores has a good and bad effect .Let me tell you about both of them. Ok, the good side of things is that doing chores increases the common sense of a person. It also improves the reflexes of a person. These qualities will help us in the long run. To listen to the bad side of things there is 1 condition. If the parents give pocket money to the child it will increase the greediness of him/her.so pocket money should not be given. Finally, I can say that doing chores is good as it is 2 good qualities vs 1 good quality (the condition for the bad quality may not be present in several circumstances).So, I recommend you all to do chores.



Grade 5 - Mexico, Pradyun

**If you are forced to spend one day of your life in a library, museum, Zoo or any other place which one would you choose? Why?**

I have observed many learners and facilitators relish their time on their respective favorite places. If I was to spend one day of my life in some other place, it of course would be the great Mt. Everest. There are two reasons: to enjoy the beauty of the magnificent place and to clean the area. The beauty of Everest is very-very seldom spotted.

Firstly, at the starting of the day I would saddle up for a journey through the Himalayas. I would come back to the camp and gobble up the delicious and hot food

available as I would be very tired, Has any of you noticed that the Tallest peak in the world the MT. Everest has transformed into garbage dump. It's my responsibility and maturity to pristine the region of the Himalayas. It's the temptation of many Tourists which has made this admirable destination. After eating my Food, I would clean the entire region Wholeheartedly. It would be an exceptional day and I would feel like I was attending a Picnic.



Grade 5-Mexico, Krishna Nayan

**Do you think a monkey would make a good pet? Explain why or why not?**

I think having a monkey as a pet is risky. Though there are some good qualities in monkeys like they can mimic and understand humans and the fact that we have descended from apes and monkeys. But, a long list negatives rule out monkeys as good pets. Most important amongst them are lack of food option, undomesticated history and lack of good veterinary care. Coming to the food options, no readymade monkey food is available in the market. You have to prepare the food yourself which demands a lot of time and money commitment from the owner. Also, monkeys have not been popular pets for humans. So, monkeys are really stressed and tensed when humans are around them. Even if monkeys get used to I or a members of household, we have guests now and then which makes them stressed wherever they are. Veterinary care is also a big challenge as most vets don't know the appropriate vaccination and are not experienced in curing monkey illness. We also need to be aware that monkeys are the best in company of their own kind. So, we need to provide at least two other companies and a lot of space to duplicate its natural habitat. All this amount to a very costly proportion. Monkey also catches the diseases we experience as they need to be treated carefully with a lot of protection when the owner is ill. Monkeys are also a reason for spreading dangerous diseases like yellow fever, Tuberculosis, Monkey pox and many more. Another big challenge for the dogs and cats monkeys cannot be trained to pee in a specific place which adds up cleaning the house as a new worry to the owner. So, many countries have made petting monkeys



illegal. If you are planning on adopting a monkey, beware because these are the perils of having a monkey in your house.

Grade 5-Mexico, Kopal

### **An Amazing Place I Visited**

I visited an amazing place named Sunderapuri on the 20th of October during my vacation. It is located in Yadagirigutta on the outskirts of Hyderabad. Before visiting it, I went to a temple and prayed to a lord Narasimha Swamy. When we arrived at Sunderapuri, it was lunchtime so we took out boxes of puri and sabji and enjoyed a picnic in the shade of a tree. After having our lunch and walking out of the parking area, in front of us was a gigantic statue of goddess Durga sitting on amazing golden throne with the mighty Lion by her side. After buying the tickets we were told to follow the red arrows in the ground to visit the whole place. We went inside the mouth of the mighty lion as it was the entrance. The place is amazingly huge and it is not really possible to explain the whole place but I have some facts and highlights. It had at least 10 statues of each and every god. It had scenes of Ramayana and the Mahabharata and showed the lives of many gods such as Buddha Krishna, Hanuman, and Shiva. One thing is sure: It is heaven for art lovers and is the perfect spot for family.



Grade 5-Cuba, Sanjay

**Choose the inquiry indicators of your choice from pg no.8 science book to write how will you become a detective scientist and detect what?**

Of the inquiry indicators available to become a detective scientist I'll choose the following

Explores, wonders and questions

Collects data and reports findings

Solves problems in a variety of ways

First let us understand who is a detective scientist. A detective scientist is a person who uses scientific methods to gather, analyze and process data to find the correct solution to a problem. In the process of becoming a detective, with my conceptual lens I detected a problem "Ocean Pollution", a major threat to the oceanic ecosystem. During my exploration in the definition in depth, I started collecting information related to ocean pollution. Ocean pollution also called as Marine pollution occurs due to the entry of when harmful or potentially harmful objects such as chemicals, industrial, agricultural and residential waste, noise or the spread of invasive organisms into the ocean. Reports show that over 1.4 billion pounds of trash enters the ocean every year, 1 million seabirds and 100,000 sea mammals are killed by this pollution every year. I wondered and questioned about how to find a solution to this problem. Let us understand in depth, how this ocean pollution impacts humankind. Small animals at the bottom of the food chain absorb these chemicals, waste as a part of their food. These small animals are eaten by larger animals that increase the contamination of chemicals. People get contaminated easily by eating contaminated seafood that can cause serious health problems, from cancer to damage to immune system. In a measure to save the ocean from pollution we can do the following

Mind your carbon footprint and reduce energy consumption; We can reduce climate change on the ocean by doing few things switching to fluorescent light bulbs, avoid using lifts by taking stairs, use a fan to avoid oversetting your ac thermostat. Use fewer plastic products; plastic those ends up as ocean debris entangle and kill thousands of marine animals every year. To limit your impact on the ocean I suggest carrying a reusable water bottle, storing food in a non-disposable container, using a reusable bag when shopping and recycling whenever possible. Finally we should educate ourselves, friends and family about oceans and marine life. In the future I'll also invent an automated device to clean up the ocean.



Grade 5 - Cuba, Chinmai

**Choose the inquiry indicators of your choice from page 8 science book to write how you will become a detective scientist and detect what.**

One day in school the whole grade-5 was asked to detect something! They also said you have to do it alone. Luckily my parents were out of station. After I went home, I went upstairs without even getting dressed as though I was as busy as a beaver. I started planning.

“To become a detective scientist, you should do many things. In my perspective, I have only a few. Firstly the thing I want to detect is that “How new species’ are formed from extinct species bodies. “The ways I will become a detective scrohitronnyientist are: I should explore about the species through evident sources like internet. I should clarify my wonders by asking questions wherever required. I should connect my previous and present learning about mammals. Last but not the least, I will collect the data and present it. Done planning.” I said. I did everything as planned and collected data for every research. At last I found the answer. It was “Due to the left outs, change in DNA and chemical reactions, a new species is formed. But it takes lot of years to form.

“Yes! Yes! Yes! I have become a detective scientist.” I shouted. The next day I went to school and reported my findings. The day went good. As I came home, something wet fell on me. And oh! It was my mom she had woken me up from my dreams!

Source-Myself



Grade 5 - Cuba, Anahita

**Choose the skills with which you think you can become a super girl.**

One Sunday evening when I was in the movie theatre, watching 'Super Girl', I started observing how she was behaving. The next day at school, when it was lunch break, I asked my friend Khushi "What makes a super girl a super girl?" She thought then answered "One of the many idiosyncrasies is that a super girl should have the ability to logically and systematically pursue a line of thought." I got confused and asked what she meant by that. She elucidated to me "It means to continue thinking about something with logic and the thoughts to be organised." "Oh, that's much more explicit." I said. Once I arrived home, I took my notebook and told my mother that I'm studying, but I wasn't studying. I was actually making a list which was entitled 'Things I need to have in me for becoming a super girl'. The first thing on my list was what Khushi said. I thought long and hard about what else to write. Then a bolt out of the blue hit me with 3 new things to add to my list. They are:-



\*Develop skills on how to learn, define problems, strategically plan, implement and communicate solutions.

\*Gather data, make and test models and predictions.

\*Be logical and use data in decision making.

Once I was done making the list I made, I called my friends so that we can play outside. Before going, I took the list with me. I wanted to show the list I created to my friends. After seeing the list, my friends wanted one like the list I made. So I thought I could photo copy the list.

Source: - I wrote with the help of Google and my science resource book.

New Vocabulary:-

Idiosyncrasies- a mode of behavior; characteristics

Elucidate- make (something) clear; explain

Explicit- stated clearly in detail

Bolt out of the blue- A sudden unexpected even

**Grade 5- Costa Rica, Sejal**

### **The Book that got me hooked on Reading**



The book that got me hooked on reading is Geronimo stilton because it is funny, interesting, adventurous, attractive and also charismatic. This book is written by Elisabetta Dami. Elisabetta Dami is an Italian Children's books author who is most famous as the creator of the character Geronimo Stilton. There may be more than 80 Geronimo series published. Mostly, there are 5 reasons why I love Geronimo Stilton; It is because of its colorful and engaging interiors, fascinating facts on ancients and Modern Rome, tools

for readers to retain historical facts, a bonus material, Including a pizza recipe and shareable jokes. Finally, I would conclude by saying that if you get a chance to read this book you would love it.

## Grade 5 - Costa Rica, Milisha Negi

**If you are forced to spend 1 day of your life in a museum, library, zoo or any other place, which one would it be and why ?**

Museum, a building in which object of historical, scientific, artistic, or the cultural interest are stored and exhibited.

I have always been curious by nature. I always wanted to know how kings and queens lived. How did humans develop from apes? The history of Egypt. The answer to all my questions can only be found in a museum.

If I was forced to spend a whole day in the museum I would like to go in the art gallery. First, I would be eager to perceive about the Mystery of the Mona Lisa painting. If I shall ever be able to go there I would handbill every single corner till I clarify all my doubts. After that ancient things are kept.

But I will be busy exploring the whole place that I will not know when the day came to an end.



## Grade 5 - Colombia, Srinika

**Many parents give their children certain chores or task to do at home? Be sure to explain why you think it is a good or a bad idea. Include examples to support your reason.**



I think giving chores to children is a good idea .In this way children can become independent to their work. They will learn new things. They can help their parents when they are not feeling well. When my mother is not well I help in few house chores like cutting vegetables, cleaning shelves and the house. In this way I am learning all things which will help me become independent. I balance my studies and other things, so my grandparents and parents appreciate me. They give gifts to me. So I try to do all the house chores, get gifts and be appreciated. You should try to help your parents' in house chores and they will appreciate you and give rewards to you. The money which I donate it for COINS FOR THE COUNTRY.

Source: I took my mother's help and wrote it on my own also.

## Grade 5- Colombia, Harshith

### Where do you see yourself in 10 years?



From the first sight it is a very simple question “Where you see yourself in 10 years? Many people struggle with answering it. For now, I have a clear picture in my mind where I see myself in ten years. Like many other individuals full of ambitions. I have a lot of unrealistic goals that can never become true. However, to move forward the way I want, I have also created the realistic plans that I will follow to become a person I want to be .To begin with, 10 years from now, I will have a distinct career and stable earning. Nevertheless, don’t to accumulate wealth but, first, of all I will concentrate on becoming healthy and empowering my healthy habits. I have no doubts that wealth is nothing in comparison with health. Probably I will even try to be a vegan for some time to eat only plant based food that will clear my organism. Also, learn more about zero wasting minimalism that will assist me in caring about the world around.

Talking about my character and personal goals. I will stop comparing myself to other people and concentrate my attention on who I am. Every day I will work hard on enhancing my physical and mental health. I want to step up as a leader to feel more confident in my ability to manage different projects and motivate the employees. I want to become person I will be proud of .As far as my career is concerned I will do my best to perform and my duties perfectly for sure, sometimes life events are not happening the way we want. However I will never be frustrated and disappointed, learning from my own mistakes.

Lastly, all my free time I will devote to self-education, improving my skills and knowledge on various subjects. I will travel a lot and explore the world and learn new cultures and languages. Hence in ten years from now I will

be a prominent worker and merely a good person .Even though our future is like a long unpredictable hallway as long as I will have strengths and move forward, I will make everything possible to make sure that all my plans will come true.

**Grade 5 - Colombia, Aldrin**

**The book that got me hooked on reading.**



Books are no doubt, our best friends .They are food for thought. My favourite book is'' space hopping'' by Nigel Henbest. The reason why I got hooked to this book is that I love learning about space. But this book is my favourite because it describes each planet as we have never seen before. The information is in detail and it will keep us intrigued. The book also has beautiful pictures which makes it more interesting. At the end of the book, there is a planetary data showing diameter, mass etc. In my opinion everyone must read it.

Source: I took the help of my parents and books.

## Grade 5 - Chile, Keerthi

**Many parents give their children certain chores or tasks to do at home. Should children have to do chores or tasks at home? Be sure to explain why you think it is good idea or a bad idea. Include examples to support your reason.**

I think children have to do chores or tasks at home so, they can be independent, responsible and be balanced. You can also be fit because you exercise your body while doing chores. You can do small chores like folding your clothes, filling bottles, arranging things, giving things to others when they are in need and many more. If you do these small chores you won't be lazy and be active always. By this you will know how to fold your clothes properly, know how to fill bottles, know that you should give things when they are in need and know how to arrange things. By this you also know new things. So, I conclude that doing chores or tasks at home is good thing and also you will be able to know new things.



Source: - I wrote it on my own.

New vocabulary:-

1. Independent- not depending on another for livelihood or subsistence.
2. Responsible- having to report to [a superior] and be answerable to them for one's action.
3. Balanced- taking everything into account; fairly judged or presented.

**Grade 5 - Chile, Ishita**

**The book that got me hooked on reading.**

I have read a lot of books. But there is one book that makes love it. I could not help getting hooked up on it. Can you guess it? Yes. It is Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince. It was written by Jennifer Rowling. She goes the pen name J.K Rowling. She has written the whole Harry Potter series. She wrote the tales of Beedle the Bard, The Fantastic Beasts, Quid ditch through the ages, History of Magic, Hogwarts A History etc. She researches first hand. She makes



characters realistic yet has wild imagination. There are 7 main characters.

They are: Harry Potter, Ron Weasley, Hermione Granger, Albus Dumbledore, Draco Malfoy, Severus Snape and the Death Eaters. Harry potter goes on a brief quest to convince a teacher to go Hogwarts. Then after he went to the Burrow where Harry Potter stayed till term starts. Draco Malfoy Practices something anonymous to let the Death eaters in to Hogwarts. Meanwhile Harry has a mysterious book that helps him ace his potions and gives him dangerous spells. One night every week Dumbledore and Harry meet so that they can understand Voldemort's Past, While Harry and Dumbledore go on an adventure to thwart Voldemort, Draco gets the Death Eaters and kills Dumbledore when he gets back Well, Technically it's Severus Snape who kills Dumbledore It's really great. How everything fits in place. The thin that the hooked me up was the way that the words are so describing do hats off.

Source: I wrote it on my own.

## Grade 5 - Chile, Bharadwaja

**Many parents give their children certain chores to do at home. Should children have to do chores or task at home? Be sure to explain why you think it is a good idea or bad idea. Include examples to support your reason.**

Helping parents is a good idea. I think that is a good idea. Kids who do chores learn responsibility and gain important life skills that will serve them well throughout their lives.

Here are six fantastic benefits giving children to do household chores:

- Children who have chores are more successful as adults.
- Hands on movement will help the child with Gross and Fine motor skills.
- Children who have chores learn to work well with others.
- Chores will teach your child about delayed gratification.
- Chores give children a purpose.
- It teaches self-discipline.

Chores kids under 12 years can do:

- Assist in household projects/repairs [painting, etc.]
- Cut flowers and make a centerpiece.
- Do more difficult cleaning projects [windows, etc.]
- Doing simple ironing.
- Feeding baby and younger siblings [if you have].

At last I conclude that doing chores helps you to be active.

New Vocabulary:

- **Gratification:** pleasure, especially when gained from the satisfaction of a desire.

Source: I wrote it on my own.



## Grade 5 - Canada, Vidya

**Many parents give their children certain chores or tasks to do at home. Should children be able to chores or tasks at home? Explain your views (include examples).**

Yes, I believe that children should have chores at home. Children should be able to know how it is to work, help and accept. Many children dislike doing chores and tasks as they are used to living in comfort and people doing whatever they want. Many parents also agree with their stubborn child just because of their love for them. I agree with the parents that give their children work to do because it is important for them. Here are a few examples of why it is a good idea for parents to give chores and tasks to their children:



- BOOSTS PHYSICAL ACTIVITY-(throwing out garbage, wiping windows, ironing his/her school shirt etc.)
- IMPROVES LISTENING SKILLS-(by listening to parents ,grandparents etc.)
- LESS CHANCES OF GETTING GLASSES-(because you don't have enough time to finish your tasks as well as playing games or watching something on an electronic item)
- MORE MINDSPACE- (you will think about more thing you wouldn't have thought about if you were absorbed on a screen)

And many more.....

There are a lot more advantages for doing chores and tasks, your parents give you. I hope you take this piece of advice in and start listening to what your parents say you to do instead of denying it.

Source: I wrote it on my own.

### **Hard words:**

**Stubborn:** to not listen, having or showing dogged determination not to change one's attitude on something.

**Denying:** A state that one refers to admit the truth or existence.

### How will you see yourself in 10 years?

A 10 year old child can start learning about many things. He or she get to know about a new topic. But they do not know what to do after 10 years.

Now I am going to say what I would be after 10 years. First I should know my age at that time. It is 20.

That time I will be doing some job.

At the age of 15 I should choose a job and take an exam on it. Few examples are doctor, different types of scientists, AS and IPS coaching, engineering etc.

I would like to become a biologist.

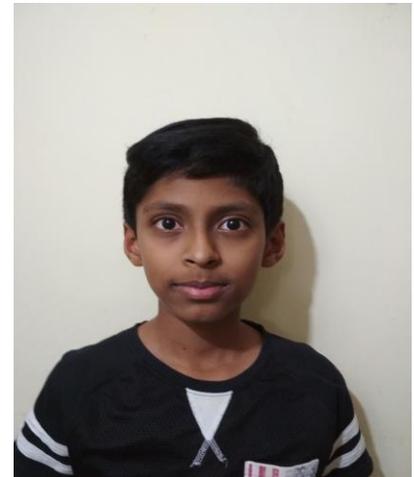
1. Why would I like to become a biologist?

I have a lot of interest in biology. I can learn more and more about the topics I know now. I can get a deep and brief understanding about each part in each living organism.

Ex: humans: immune system and its parts, endocrine system etc. plants: the genetic information passed by each cell and connection from other plants too etc. animals: the new type of tissue in them known as central root etc.

If not I would like to become a zoologist. Even though it is a part in being a biologist, there is a lot of difference in both. My interest on these 2 things will not change. I will take coaching for these two.

This is how I will be after 10 years.



#### VOCABULARY:

1. Brief: good explanation or depth in some situation
2. Biologist: an expert in biology
3. Zoologist: an expert in zoology

4. Genetic information: information passed by DNA to the offspring  
**Grade 5 - Canada, Jyothi**

**Many parents give their children certain chores or tasks at home. Should children have to do chores or tasks at home? Be sure to explain you think it is a good idea or bad idea. Include examples to support your reason.**

I think children can do some chores at home. That's because doing chores at home will remove or abolish the child's laziness or sloth. After the parents are so tired they ask their child a little succor. Doing a chore is a benefit or advantage for the child as it helps them in two things-

1. It gives the child an exercise while they are moving around.
2. It teaches the child the basic chores and helps the child learn independence.



When a parent asks a child for a help or chore, the parent checks if the child shows kindness and tenderness towards people.

Examples of some chores- setting the bed, getting a glass of water hanging the washed clothes on the hanger.

Source- I wrote this on my own.

Vocabulary-

1. Abolish- stop or eliminate
2. Sloth- reluctance to work or make an effort
3. Succor- assistance and support in times
4. Tenderness- gentleness and kindness
5. Advantage- an opportunity to benefit or profit

THANK YOU