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Why is Education Important to Me?

Why is education important to me? Education is important to me because: for one, it provides a basic level of knowledge that I will need when I mature. Second, education is more than just math and English, it is also art. And third, the need to go to school and learn exposes us to new friends and inspiring teachers. It is truly important to get a basic education for the small things in life that all add up.

I will need to know how to spell and have good handwriting so that I can fill out a job application when I am older. I'll even use math when I'm older, maybe not all of it, but I will most definitely use what I know about unit price to go grocery shopping. And above all I am going to need adequate grammar. For example, people who want a job and apply for it are almost always interviewed. When you are interviewed, you will need to know how to speak properly without crude language and bad grammar. That is why even a basic education is important to me.

Moving on, education is more than just math, ELA, and science, it's also art. And for all the artists out there, including me, education has helped their imagination grow. For example, science is a form of art when you have to make a volcano explode. You see, you have to do paper mache and paint your volcano to make it seem more realistic. Art is also used in math. Really, art in math? Yes, you read it right, in math, when you learn geometry you usually learn about shapes and parallelograms, etc. On some occasions you will even draw cubes, spheres, buildings, and triangles. This is important to me because you start to learn how to draw 3D objects, instead of just boring squares and circles.

School isn't just to go and learn for four days a week, eight hours each day. School is also for us to meet new people and learn to make friends. It gradually exposes you to the real world instead of staying home all day, playing video games and not socializing. And sometimes, not all of the friends that you make are going to be students, they could be teachers. Teachers have so much knowledge and we have the privilege to learn from them. They've experienced most of the stuff we've been through and know what we're going through. The fact that they are willing to put up with us all day and still give us their knowledge is pretty outstanding. They will try to help solve problems, and that can be really inspiring. For instance, you see that your teacher is really good at building stuff, and you ask them how they do it. They then teach you, and when you grow up you become a carpenter because your teacher was inspiring. School isn't filled with a bunch of bad people, instead, the good counteracts the bad and you are in a building filled with amazing people.

To conclude, education *is* important to me. It shows me the basic needs I am going to require when I'm older. Education teaches me people skills and how to talk without stuttering, messing up my grammar, and using crude language. It also provides a place where I can imagine and be inspired. And lastly, it exposes me to friends that I will talk to and remember for the rest of my life. That is why I believe that education and school is important. Thank you :)