

My Life is One Big Puzzle

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It's effortless to think what life would be like if people didn't have challenges to conquer. What they don't realize is that they'd be bored sitting around with nothing to do. Responsibilities and challenges is what makes us human, it's what helps us grow to be a mature adult to take care of ourselves and others. My life is a puzzle that I am continuously adding on to, acquiring accomplished goals like a puzzle piece grasping for its missing spot. For instance, there is a lot of accountability put forth to being an older sister to my younger siblings. They enjoy exploring new activities and love being active but I realized it's extremely difficult taking care of them when they won't follow the rules. Caring for my brother and sister is one of the biggest duties I have, and is the one I take most pride in. Throughout the years I've noticed that giving them respect was a way I could gain respect, never to treat them a way I wouldn't want to be treated. Furthermore, a way I'd like to be more successful in this challenge is giving fairness. Impartiality is also something I really stuck to, since I was the oldest didn't mean I got to have more than them. In addition, keeping promises and never taking advantage of being in charge is a strategy. Having trust in my siblings to make the right choice really supports me for holding responsibility of their actions. Lastly, having citizenship is important for decision making. Knowing what is right and wrong in a situation and how to deal with a mistake. Always taking responsibility of your actions shows who you are as a person and your character. My life has many responsibilities, and many more to come down the road but for now, I'm just going to keep building my puzzle.