

## TEACHING HONESTY

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Honesty is a very important virtue that every human being should possess. Having this value inculcated in the minds of every child, we will be able to produce a just and humane society. No liars! No fakes! No forgeries!

Teaching honesty means finding someone in the class that will serve as a role model. Every honest endeavor must be recognized to uplift the morale of the class. When taking a test, tell them it's more dignified to get a lower score than a higher one got from cheating. During submission of projects, see to it that the one submitted was originally theirs not borrowed. I'm telling them always, "Don't take anything that was never yours! No finder's keeper", just put it in the "Lost and Found Corner" so anything lost can be returned.

In my class, honesty is implemented in the computation of grades in order to select the best deserving honor pupils. P.T.A. Fees and projects should be all accounted for in attaining transparency on financial reports. If only the whole nation could practice honesty, there will be no rooms for corrupt officials, every infrastructure built would serve as a strong pillars that remain standing though many calamities have passed. And the memories of those honest people will remain forever. Shining in every pages of the book the samples of great honest things that they have done, lifting the pride of his families and kababayans.

The saying is true "You can never put a good man down" especially a very honest man!

Educating a child to become honest means teaching him to live with pride, honor and dignity!!!

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